

Harvest – Final Update



The food collection weighed 114.8kg this year – that is more than Mike! We also raised Over £140 in cash. Thank you to everyone who contributed.

Autumn Sale



Our Autumn sale took place on a very wet and windy Saturday morning, so we are grateful for all those who turned out to support us. We thought we would try some new things so limited our crafts and tried selling some new clothes. Our win every time tombola was ever popular, and we sold

2/3 of the plants available. The jams Marmalades and cakes sold like hot cakes,... pun intended....leaving just enough for after the service on Sunday. We made over £530 with some monies still to come in. The money will go into our maintenance and redecorating fund.



Macmillan Coffee Morning

Our Macmillan coffee morning is on Monday 23rd November from 10:30 to 12:00 and we will have two special guests - Matthew Battista and his plumber Ian Miles, who start work destroying the existing toilets on that same morning. If you can help, with cakes not plumbing, or can help serve, please let Mike or John know. We will have some fliers, so if you can display one or invite people, that would be great too.

Church Improvements – underway at last

After a long period where we were pushing but couldn't get approvals, work on various improvements is now starting. The accessible toilet is being built and installed with Matthew doing the building work, Ian doing the plumbing and Alistair doing the electrics. It should take 3 weeks, and we are arranging for a porta-loo for the time the work is being done.

Matthew will finally install the ramp he made ages ago but we were not allowed to fit. That will make getting wheelchairs into the church itself much easier. He will also remove the old storage heater at the front of the church, which will make more space for wheelchairs to park when they get in. We have asked him to make and fit a second, smaller ramp next to the electric piano for those who find the step difficult.

John and Mike are cabling and installing the first part of a new sound system, which will include new microphones on the lectern and pulpit. They can fit an Auracast Bluetooth transmitter for hearing aids. If you have Auracast enabled hearing aids and join in any service during the year, can you please let us know.

Dates for your Diary

23rd November – Macmillan Coffee Morning 10:30 to 12:00

13th December – Advent Lunch after the service

24th December – Candle Lit service and candle distribution in the evening