

# What's happening at King's.

**SUNDAY 17th May with Ricky Mallet speaking.**

**King's Church Iver Sunday Service**, Iver Village Hall  
10.30am (10.15am for refreshments, **please bring your own mug**)

**SUNDAY 24th May with Maria Bond speaking. COMMUNION**

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## Mondays

**Home Group with Erica**, 7.30pm-9.00pm (Various Locations)

## Tuesdays

**The Hub**, 9.30am-11.15am (King's Church building)  
**Exercise, Knit and Natter**, 3pm-5pm (King's Church building)  
**Prayer Meeting**, 6.30pm-7.30pm (King's Church building)

## Wednesdays

**King's Place with Quiz**, 2pm - 4pm, (King's Church building)  
**Home Group with Janis**, 8pm - 9.30pm (Various Locations)  
**Home Group with Suzy & Jumoke**, 7.30pm - 9pm (Jumoke's Home)

## Thursdays

**'Love Your Neighbour' Food Boxes** (every other week)

## Fridays

**Home Group with Jerry & Ingrid**, 10am-11.45am (King's Church Building)

## Saturdays

**AI-Anon**, 10.30am - 12.00noon (King's Church building)

For more information please contact Christine (07450 322958)  
For the location of Home Groups & further details please contact the Home Group Leaders  
or the King's Church Office

## Church Office Opening Hours

The office can be contacted on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 9am and 5pm, by email on [office@kingschurchiver.org](mailto:office@kingschurchiver.org) or if you need to speak to someone, please call 01753 651178.

Stay up to date with our latest news and information on how to join us for Sunday morning services and much more via our website and social media channels.

## Listen again!

We love to hear God's word, to be changed by it and put it into action. We have a number of gifted speakers in the church and benefit from some fantastic guest speakers.

Head to [www.kingschurchiver.org/30/talks](http://www.kingschurchiver.org/30/talks) to find all our Sunday sermons that are recorded each week...



# King's News.

17th & 24th May 2026

## Let's be people who cheer one another on!

Recently, Pete and I both found ourselves in London on marathon day — for different reasons — but we met along the Embankment in the warm sunshine before both our events started. As I walked back down the street towards my event, I was unexpectedly moved to tears watching the action unfold.

What struck me most wasn't just the effort or determination of those taking part, but the crowds. People were cheering on complete strangers — with banners, cowbells, and shouts of encouragement — willing them on, step by step, towards the finish line. It made me think about how much encouragement matters.

I was reminded of the words from Proverbs: "As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another." (Proverbs 27:17). It's a picture of discipleship, fellowship, and the importance of church family life. We are not meant to walk this journey of faith alone — we are called to encourage, support, and strengthen one another along the way. The Christian life isn't a race in the same sense as the marathon — we're not competing against one another — but we are all on a journey of faith. And one day, we will be able to say we have run the race set before us, having ran to win the race, faithfully completing what God has set before us.

Songs like "Faith and Faithfulness" from New Wine remind us that it is God who sustains us through it all — His faithfulness carrying us, even when we feel weary. So let's be people who cheer one another on. Let's be quick to encourage, to support, and to walk alongside each other. Because sometimes, a simple word of encouragement can make all the difference in helping someone keep going.

Lord God, thank You that we do not walk this journey of faith alone. Thank You for the people You place around us to encourage, support, and strengthen us. Help us to be those who lift others up, who speak life and hope, and who walk faithfully alongside one another. And when we grow weary, remind us of Your constant faithfulness, carrying us through. Amen.

by Will



# Ricky speaking



**"Waiting for Power"**

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May, 10.30am  
Iver Village Hall

RESURRECTION  
PEOPLE



RESURRECTION  
because Jesus is ALIVE, we LIVE differently  
PEOPLE

New Sermon Series  
Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April, 10.30am  
Iver Village Hall



# Maria speaking



We'll take  
Communion  
this week

**"The Fire Falls"**

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May, 10.30am  
Iver Village Hall

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## Praise and Prayer points.



Though the fig tree does not bud and there are no grapes on the vines, though the olive crop fails and the fields produce no food, though there are no sheep in the pen and no cattle in the stalls, yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will be joyful in God my Saviour.

Habakkuk 3:17-18 (NIV)

Give thanks that God is always there for us.

Pray for the 'Open the Book' team as they meet the children at the Academy each week.

Pray for our Elders as they lead us forward.

Pray for Tear Fund and their partners as they provide clean water in communities throughout the world.

Pray for the health and safety of those who work in the public services.

We're so excited for  
**ETTA'S  
BAPTISM**

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May 10.30am  
Iver Village Hall and King's Church building

