Bridport venues with a warm welcome 2026 - 2027



Refreshments are free of charge or for a small donation at these cafes. They are open to everyone in the community and a great chance to make new friends and chat. No need to book, just turn up.

Monday 13.00 Lunch at Bridport Christian Fellowship, 4 Kings Square, East Street car park, DT6 3QE.

Wednesdays 10 – 12. Coffee morning with hot drinks and biscuits with a drop in knitting and crochet session at Bridport United Church, East Street, DT6 3LJ. 4th Wednesday of the month is lunch club **12.30 - 2.30** £6 and booking needed. 01308 459191.



Wednesdays 10.30 - 2. Community Kitchen cafe & lunches at the Beacon Church, Priory Lane, DT6 3RW. Showers & washing machine available.

Wednesdays 10 – 12. Between October and May. Cafe and early (11.45) soup lunch at Chapel in the Garden, 49 East Street, DT6 3JX.

Thursdays 10.30 - 12.30. Community Kitchen 'Women together' group; a cuppa and chat session at Beacon Church, Priory Lane, DT6 3RW. This group will meet at Coffee Number 1 on the last Thursday of each month. Just the women's group on Thursdays here.

Thursday - 1st Thursday of the month. **9.30 - 11.15** hot drinks, cakes, (sometimes bacon roll) at St Swithun's Church, North Allington, DT6 5DU.

Thursday - 3rd Thursday of the month. **2 - 4.30** - crafts, games, chat followed by Afternoon Tea Bridport United Church, East Street, DT6 3LJ.

Fridays 10.30 - 2. Community Kitchen cafe & lunches at the Beacon Church, Priory Lane, DT6 3RW. Like Wednesday it is freshly cooked lunch and dessert with showers and washing machine available.

Saturdays 10 - 12. Coffee morning at Bridport United Church, East Street, DT6 3LJ. 1st Saturday of the month is Big Breakfast **9.00 - 11.30** (there is a charge for the breakfast)
Saturdays 10 – 12. Cafe at Chapel in the Garden, 49 East Street, DT6 3JX.
Saturdays 10 - 12.30. Coffee and cake morning at Bridport Christian Fellowship, 4 Kings Square, East Street car park, DT6 3QE.
Saturday 10 - 12. 3rd of each month Bridport Men's Breakfast at Beacon Church, Priory Lane, DT6 3RW

Library (including work areas and free Wi-Fi). Monday 10 - 5, Tuesday 10 - 5, Weds 10 - 6, Thurs 10 - 5, Friday 10 - 5, Sat 10 - 6. On Fridays there is a coffee and chat session 10 - 12. On Saturdays there is a knitting session 1.30 - 3**.** South St, DT6 3NY.



You can be assured of finding a warm and friendly environment in which to enjoy refreshments, social activity and the company of other people. If you have a listing you would like to add please contact:

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Food and Clothes Support in Bridport

Bridport Community Fridge: Located at Chapel in the Garden, 49 East Street, DT6 3LJ. Open Tuesdays and Saturday mornings from 10 - 11 (or until supplies run out). Offers food that would otherwise be thrown away to reduce food waste. Anyone can collect.

Bridport Community Food Stall (formerly The Glut Stall): Located at St Swithun's Church, North Allington, DT6 5DU. Open Thursdays from 9.30 - 10.30. Provides food from shops, individuals, and growers that would otherwise go to waste. Includes a rail of clothes and shoes maintained by Bridport Clothes Bank. On the 1st Thursday of the month, there is a community cafe alongside in St Swithun's Hall.

Bridport Food Bank: At St Marys Church, 84 South Street, DT6 3NN: Open Mondays 5pm - 6.30 pm and Wednesdays 11 - 1 pm for food collection (referral system in place, but first-time collection can be without referral). Food donations accepted from 9 - 1 pm.

Bridport Clothes Bank: Clothes available during Bridport Food Bank on Wednesdays at St Marys Church and St Swithun's Church Hall (see above). In addition, Bridport Youth and Community Centre, Gundry Lane, DT6 3RL is filled with clothing, bedding, household items, and more on the 1st Saturday of each month. All items are free of charge. Donations are welcomed and updates are available on their Facebook page. Drop off points include Bridport Leisure Centre, Bridport Town Council at Mountfield, Rax Lane, DT6 3JP.

Beacon Church Community Kitchen: Located on Priory Lane (behind Rockburn) DT6 3RW. Offers home-cooked lunches on Wednesdays and Fridays. Provides showers and clothes washing facilities for rough sleepers.

Edible Bridport support residents to grow fruit and vegetables in public spaces. To get involved email Rachel and Sheri ediblebridport@gmail.com

For children: There are 3 "messy churches" in Bridport with activities, games, crafts, singing and interactive bible stories for children and also a free meal. Usually up to 11 year olds.
1st Wednesday of month at the Beacon Church, Priory Lane, DT6 3RW. **3.30 - 5.30pm.**
2nd Thursday of month at St Swithuns, North Allington, DT6 5DU. **3.30 - 5.30pm**.
4th Thursday of month at Bridport United Church, East Street, DT6 3LJ. **3.30 - 5.30pm**.





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