

A Call To Prayer



Now when Joshua was near Jericho, he looked up and saw a man standing in front of him with a drawn sword in his hand. Joshua went up to him and asked, “Are you for us or for our enemies?”

“Neither,” he replied, “but as commander of the army of the Lord I have now come.” Then Joshua fell facedown to the ground in reverence.

Joshua 5:13-14



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Make Christianity cool again: Why Gen Z is flocking to church

As a new report suggests that the number of young churchgoers has quadrupled, **Helen Coffey** investigates this potential UK spiritual revival – and asks why the next generation is more likely to be keeping the faith



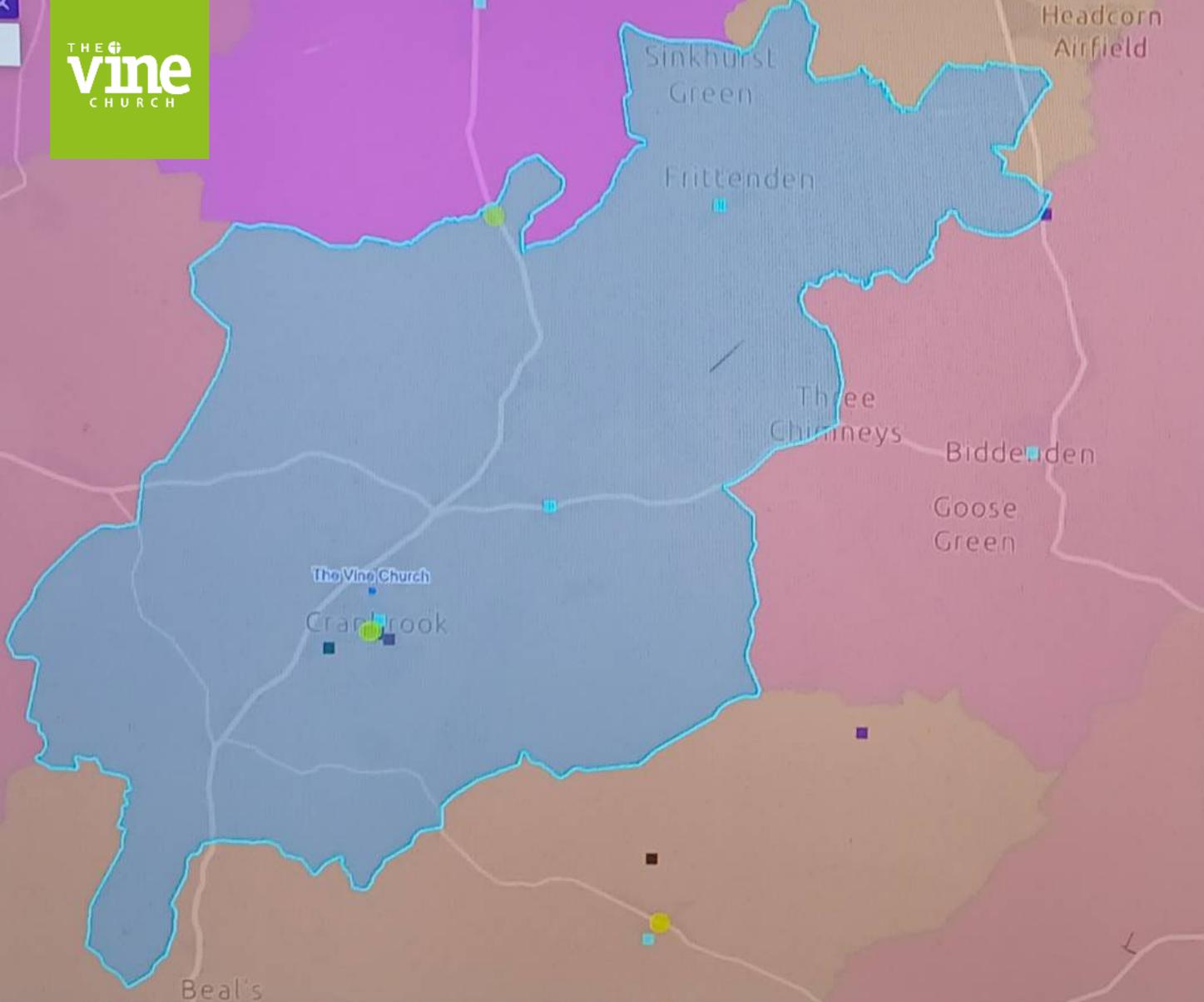
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It's 10am on Sunday, and people are already starting to filter through the doors of Harbour Church. Sun streams through the windows – there's an air of anticipation as... the five-piece worship band strikes up; the crowd gets to its feet; the air vibrates as more than a hundred voices sing praises to God.





Tunbridge Wells 013

 Zoom to

The "All Church Count" is counting all Christian churches from all denominations as per open source data. The Evangelical Alliance estimate of 85 persons per church is used for calculating "Estimated" categories. This is admittedly, generous

Percent of Population Churchgoers	7.9
Percent Unchurched	92.1
Total Population	7,576
All Church Count	7
People Per Church	1,082
Christian Total (Census)	4015
Christian Percent	53.0
No Religion Total (Census)	3,431
No Religion Percent	45.3
Other Religion Total (Census)	130
Other Religion Percent	1.7
Estimated Churchgoers	595
Est Non-Churchgoing Christians*	3,420
Estimated Non-Churchgoers	6,981

MISSING DATA: In Wales, please ignore Carmarthenshire and the Isle of Anglesey as there were errors getting all the church data in these locations



In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith,
with which you can extinguish
all the flaming arrows of the evil one.

Ephesians 6:16



The prayer offered in faith
will make the sick person well

James 5:16



Action Points

- Decide to daily lift up your prayer shield.
- Decide to pray for the community in your locality.

