# **Advice and Support Available for Families in Bucks**

## All areas

**Bucks Family Information Service** 

https://www.bucksfamilyinfo.org/kb5/buckinghamshire/fsd/advice.page?id=T0RPT0o3REc

#### **Food Bank Vouchers and Referrals**

- Speak to your Children's Centre, Health Visitor or Social Worker or
- Speak to your local Citizens Advice Bureau

**Free government food vouchers** are provided by the council. This is part of the Emergency Support Scheme. The government will provide up to a few days of free groceries, hot meals, tinned or canned goods, and fresh food too. The help is for families on a low income or benefits, and find more details on **Buckinghamshire Emergency Support Scheme**.

#### **Fare Share**

Food donations from Tring road Tesco in Aylesbury, Loudwater Tesco, Wycombe and Eden Tesco <a href="http://fareshare.org.uk/">http://fareshare.org.uk/</a>

### **Buckinghamshire Disability Service**

https://buds.org.uk/if-you-are-in-crisis-and-need-emergency-food/

### Transforming Lives for Good – Make Lunch

https://www.tlg.org.uk/

### **Trussell Trust**

The Trussell Trust's 400-strong network of food banks provides a minimum of three days' emergency food and support to people experiencing crisis in the UK.

<u>Trussell Trust</u>

#### **Connection Support**

https://www.connectionsupport.org.uk/01296 484322

### **Salvation Army**

https://www.salvationarmy.org.uk/homelessness

## **Olio Food Sharing**

https://olioex.com/

## Joseph Rowntree Foundation

https://www.jrf.org.uk/

### **Family Lives**

https://www.familylives.org.uk/

# Aylesbury & the North

**Aylesbury Vineyard** - Make Lunch, Storehouse clothing and furniture & foodbank https://aylesburyvineyard.church/

### **Aylesbury Foodbank**

https://aylesbury.foodbank.org.uk/

#### **Wendover Free Church**

http://www.wendoverfreechurch.org.uk/

#### Milton Keynes Foodbank

http://mkfoodbank.org.uk/about-the-food-bank/

#### **Buckingham Parish Church**

https://www.bpchurch.uk/Groups/149163/Buckingham Parish Church/Church Life/Community/Community.aspx

### St Peter & St Paul's Church, Buckingham

Provides food for those in need living north of Winslow

https://www.buckinghamparishchurch.org.uk/Groups/237838/Buckingham\_Parish\_Church/Church\_Life/Community/Buckingham\_Food\_Bank/Buckingham\_Food\_Bank.aspx

## **Thomas Hickman's Charity**

14 Bourbon Street , Aylesbury, HP20 2RS

01296 318500

Offers small grants to Aylesbury Town residents in need; applications can be made by families to cover expenses such as uniform, school shoes etc. There is a form available from the charity and schools can help parents complete the form if necessary.

**Youth Concern** will only help young people under the age of 25 with a connection to Buckinghamshire. They will be provided with a hot meal as well as shelter and advice. The charity has a post of Whitehill Lane, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, HP19 8FL, call 01296 431183.

## **Aylesbury Homeless Action Group**

http://www.ahag.org.uk/ 01296 435026

## Chiltern & South Bucks

### **Chesham Community Fridge**

https://cheshamcommunityfridge.org/

**Kings Church**, Amersham, Make Lunch, baby baskets, dad's support and furniture project. Call 01494 431882. Bags of food, fruits, and more is provided from the church.

https://kca.church/

#### Kings Church Amersham/Tesco Foodshare

https://www.facebook.com/groups/1861807350804960/

#### **Chiltern Foodbanks**

http://chiltern.foodbank.org.uk/

### Hope Church, Beaconsfield

https://www.hopebeaconsfield.co.uk/Groups/243545/Hope Community Drop.aspx

#### Slough Foodbank

https://slough.foodbank.org.uk/

## St George's Church, Little Chalfont – Thursday lunch

https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/5924/service-and-events/events-regular/

### St Michael & All Angels church in Beaconsfield

Phone number is 07584 637697

#### **Denham One Can food bank**

Phone number is 07584 637697

**Chiltern Trussell Trust food bank** is located at 71 Broadway, Chesham, Bucks, HP5 1BX, and telephone is 01494 775668. They have several distribution centres in Buckinghamshire County, and the locations are below.

- Calvary Parish, Community Suite, Church Of England Primary School, Orchard Paradise, Berryfields, Aylesbury HP18 OWS.
- 71 Broadway, Chesham HP5 1BX is open from 10.30am 12.30pm.
- The King's Church, Raans Road, Amersham, provides a parcel of food on Monday from 10 am to 2 pm.
- St George's Church is open on Thursdays. The address is White Lion Road, Little Chalfont HP7 9LW.

## The Baby Bank (Windsor)

https://www.thebabybank.org/

## **Wycombe**

**High Wycombe Society** has free food or meals for older residents, such as pensioners, from the Pop-In-Centre. The charity also runs a furniture project, provides financial aid (which can be used for buying food or groceries) and other help. Find more information on <u>support from High Wycombe Society</u> and how the charity can assist.

**Big Yellow Storage in High Wycombe is a partner**. A bag of groceries with enough food for 3 days in provided to the low income.

Phone - 07584 637697

### Maidenhead foodbank

https://www.facebook.com/MaidenheadFoodbank/?hc\_ref=ARQIEG41PkoWtjYwZoJmwtQNdwQcsqY71D-Ow2bXGNBAcxg6MJgTpdTCZ4lUQY-92Wk

### **One Can Trust**

One Can Trust has operates a foodbank based in High Wycombe, serving the Wycombe and Marlow area. They work with almost 100 front line agencies who refer people for food aid.

http://onecantrust.org.uk

#### Food Club Friday – Castlefield Children's Centre

https://www.bucksfamilyinfo.org/kb5/buckinghamshire/fsd/service.page?id=g-iggqtQZ34

### Food Club Tuesday – Wycombe Methodist Church

https://www.bucksfamilyinfo.org/kb5/buckinghamshire/fsd/service.page?id=TP1Nr3EOxYk

### Little Marlow Church, Coldmoorholm Lane, Little Marlow

Telephone - 07584 637697

## **Wycombe Homeless Connection**

https://www.wyhoc.org.uk/

## **Money and Budget Advice**

https://www.bucksfamilyinfo.org/kb5/buckinghamshire/fsd/family.page?familychannel=3

https://quidsinmagazine.com/

https://www.moneyadviceservice.org.uk/en

https://www.moneysavingexpert.com/news/2011/04/free-money-advice-service-launches/

http://www.billhelp.uk/

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/zm2chbk/money/1

## **Support and General Advice**

https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/

https://www.relate.org.uk/

https://england.shelter.org.uk/

https://www.samaritans.org/

http://www.barnardos.org.uk/what we do/our work/service-search.htm

https://www.myrtwellbeing.org.uk/

https://www.womensaid.org.uk/

https://www.aylesburywomensaid.org.uk/refuge/

https://www.wycombewomensaid.org.uk/

https://www.refuge.org.uk/get-help-now/help-for-men/

http://www.mensadviceline.org.uk/

https://www.gingerbread.org.uk/

https://www.singleparents.org.uk/

https://singlewithkids.co.uk/

https://www.netmums.com/support/single-parents

# Wellbeing

https://www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/care-for-adults/advice-for-vulnerable-adults/

https://www.buckscc.gov.uk/services/health-and-wellbeing/public-health/

https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/mental-health-helplines/

https://www.time-to-change.org.uk/mental-health-and-stigma/help-and-support

http://www.aylesburyspace.co.uk/

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/z7qg6v4/mental-health/1

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/feeling-lonely/

https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/tips-for-everyday-living/loneliness/#.XeZ-ZoP7TIU

https://www.royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk/our-services/advice-and-support/feeling-well-and-overcoming-loneliness?gclid=CjwKCAiArJjvBRACEiwA-WiqqxBrJtMFVDXdY-LRUcrFFl42fw0QUXaDZuCP5K9L0yWEQnoqylFBwhoCWLUQAvD\_BwE

https://www.nuffieldhealth.com/article/10-ways-to-take-action-against-loneliness