

# St John's

<b>Monday</b>	10am	Funeral (T/L Jennifer Mintoft)
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.30am	Holy Communion
	1.30pm	Bentley Wood High School Visit
	2.30pm	Tea & Chat
	2.30pm	Bushey Home Group
	7pm	Alpha Course
	8pm	The Rectory Home Group
<b>Wednesday</b>	12.30pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
	12.45pm	Funeral (T/L Edward Lyng)
	7.15pm	Prayer Meeting (Chapel)
<b>Thursday</b>	1pm	North London Collegiate School (Y3)
	7.30pm	Flower Arrangers' Meeting
	8pm	Bell Ringing Practice (speak to Shaun)
<b>Friday</b>	4.30pm	Wedding

## Who's who

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# St John the Evangelist Great Stanmore

## 5th November 2023

### Welcome

We are delighted to see you in church today and hope you enjoy your time with us.

If you are visiting (or new), please introduce yourself to the Clergy or Churchwardens.

## Service today

**8am**  
Priest

**HOLY COMMUNION**  
Matthew Stone

**Bible Readings:**  
1 John 3:1-3  
Matthew 5:1-12

**9.30am**

**ALL-AGE SERVICE  
WITH HOLY BAPTISM**

Priest  
NT  
Gospel  
Address  
Welcome  
Warden

Matthew Stone  
Nkiruka  
James  
Matthew Stone  
Valerie Banger  
Marianne Wright  
Pam Curran

**Hymns:**

161 For all the saints (vs. 1-4, 8)  
60 Be still for the presence  
535 O, when the saints  
Stand Together

**2.30pm**  
Officiant  
Address

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**  
Wendy Wall  
Matthew Stone

### ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST - MISSION STATEMENT

Drawn together by Christ's love, we seek by his grace to live out his commandments to love the Lord our God with all of our being; and to love everyone we come across as we love ourselves.

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## All Saints' Sunday

Collect

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Please remember to pray for:

**Sick** - Brenda Bostock, Ben Morton, Olive Oliver, John Whitfield, John Wing, Chris Woodcock and baby Nico.

**RIP** - Edward Lyng and Jennifer Mintoft.

## Church Flowers

The church flowers have been given in loving memory of Leonard Stevens by Jenny Neve 'the butterfly lives on.'



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## All-Age Service Today

It is very exciting that Joshua (aged 11), Connor (9) and Sophia (8) will be baptised during this service by Wendy. They are members of Junior Church and attend St John's School.

We are pleased to welcome their families and friends who have come along to support them.

## Annual Memorial Service Today

If you would like a name read out in this afternoon's service, please write the name on the list which is on the table near the font by 10.30am. The service will begin at 2.30pm.

## Prayer Meeting 8th November

Wendy is leading the next prayer meeting which will begin at the new time of **7.15pm**.

## Remembrance Sunday 12th November (9.45am)

A reminder that on Remembrance Sunday the Parish Communion will begin at the slightly later time of **9.45am**. This is to reduce the waiting time between the service finishing and the Act of Remembrance, which will begin in the churchyard just before 11am.

The Act of Remembrance is usually very well attended and will include a large number of uniformed air cadets from the local squadron.

## Engage

### 12th November (5pm)

Our speaker this month is the Revd David Varcoe, Minister of Trinity Church in Harrow. The title of the talk is "Follow Me."

## Admission to Communion and Confirmation Classes

Today is the last chance to sign up to be admitted to communion (Year 3 upwards) or confirmed (Year 6 up to adult).

Details of when the classes are taking place have been circulated to parents and adult candidates.

## Advent Carol Service 2nd December (5.30pm)

St Paul's Cathedral has invited us to attend this uplifting service which will see the Cathedral Choir move throughout the building.

The choir will sing music which reflects the Advent themes of light and hope, together with readings from scripture and literature, and some of the best-loved of the Advent hymns.

Tickets are free but on a first come first served basis. Please let Karen (Parish Administrator) know by 19th November 2023 if you wish to go.

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