

# St John's *this week*

# St John 6th October 2019

## the Evangelist

Tuesday	10.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	1.15pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
	2.15pm	Tea and Chat
	8pm	Home Group (Pat) Acts Chapter 3
Wednesday	8pm	Home Group (Ken)
Thursday	9.30am	St John's School Harvest Service
	8pm	Bell Ringing
Friday	8pm	Choir Practice
Saturday	6.30pm	Deanery Choirs' Festival at St Mary's Harrow-on-the-Hill

### The Daily Office:

Morning Prayer: Tuesday (8.30am), Saturday (9am)  
Evening Prayer: Tuesday (4:30pm), Wednesday (5pm), Thursday (5pm)

### Next Sunday: 13th October

### Trinity 17

<b>8am</b> President Reader	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> The Rector John Pay	<b>11am</b> Officiant	<b>MATINS</b> Lydia McLean
<b>9.30am</b> President OT NT Gospel Preach Prayers Warden	<b>PARISH COMMUNION (with Junior Church)</b> The Rector Carole White Frederick Oshunniyi The Curate Bill & Lorna Wyon Jane Prentice	<b>5pm</b> Leader Speaker	<b>ENGAGE</b> Becky Stone Mary Rimmer  <b>Bible Readings:</b> 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Luke 17:11-19

### Welcome to St John's Parish Church, Great Stanmore

We are delighted to welcome you to our church today.  
If you are visiting or new, please introduce yourself to the  
Clergy or Churchwardens.

Refreshments will be served in Church House after the Parish Communion.

### Services today

<b>8am</b> President Reader	<b>HOLY COMMUNION</b> The Rector Pat Hodgson	<b>8pm</b> Officiant	<b>COMPLINE</b> The Rector
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<b>10am</b>  President Address NT Gospel Warden	<b>ALL-AGE HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE (No Junior Church)</b> The Rector The Curate Ryan Allcorn-Power Andrea Rees Graham Nicholson	<b>Bible Readings:</b> Genesis 1:11-13, 24-28 (Page 1) Matthew 13:31-35 (Page 11)
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**Hymns:**  
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**12 Noon HARVEST LUNCH  
IN CHURCH HOUSE**

### Harvest Festival

#### Collect

Father in heaven all good gifts come from you. You send the sunshine and the rain, and it is through your love and care that we enjoy harvest time. Thank you for providing so richly for our needs and help us to share the good things we have with those who have little or nothing. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.



**Prayer Ministry** (for you or someone else) is available in the Chapel during communion in the 10am Service. If you would like prayer at any other time, please be in touch with Matthew.

The Church is fitted with a loop system; hearing aids should be switched to 'T'

## Who's who

Rector	The Revd Matthew Stone	020 8954 3876	Email: rector@stjohnschurchstanmore.org.uk	
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Data Protection Compliance	The Rector/Karen Stirrup	as above/below		
Parish Office (9am-2pm) Tue, Wed & Fri	Karen Stirrup	020 8954 7064	Email: parish@stjohnschurchstanmore.org.uk	

## Please pray for:

**Sick:** Bryan, Chris, Claude, David, Dawn, Delicia, Deepa, Edwina, Jack, John, Keith, Maria, Melissa, Paul, Pauline and Ruth.  
**RIP:** Alison Campbell and Owen Roberts.



This week the altar flowers have been given by Sue Wright and family in celebration of Marianne's birthday.



## **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.

## Harvest Appeals

Thank you for your donations of food which will be taken to the Harrow Foodbank this week.

Our financial donations will be sent to support the work of Tearfund, a Christian Charity called to follow Jesus wherever the need is greatest around the world. Please place donations in a white pew envelope and write 'harvest' on it.

## Memorial Service - 11th October Alison Campbell

The Revd Canon Bruce Kinsey is conducting this service which will begin at 11.45am. We are also invited to attend the reception at the Bernays Memorial Institute (next door to Sainsburys).

## Annual Deanery Choirs' Festival 12th October at 6.30pm

This year's service will take place at St Mary's Harrow-on-the-Hill.

## Junior Choir

We will again be having our very successful children's choir singing at our Christmas Carol service on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December. Children of all ages are welcome – please speak to Edit or Philip for more information.

## Fairtrade Stall

Thanks for supporting this stall last Sunday. £270 of stock was sold.

## Knitting for Neo-Natal Unit

The Stanmore and Canons Park Synagogue has invited us to take part in 'Mitzvah Day' which promotes community cohesion. They are planning to meet on the afternoon of 10th November from 3pm until 5pm at the London Road synagogue to knit hats (neutral colour) for the neo-natal unit at Northwick Park Hospital.

Please let Karen know if you would like to participate on the day. Copies of the knitting pattern are available on the table in the corner if you wish to knit at other times for this cause.

## Confirmation Service 8th December (10am)

If you would like to be confirmed this year (adult or young person aged 11 upwards), please speak to Jonny. We will be running separate classes and there will be a rehearsal so everyone knows what to do.

## Communion Before Confirmation

We will also be holding some classes to prepare younger children (Year 3 upwards) for communion before confirmation. Again, please speak to Jonny if you are interested.

## First Aiders

Please let Karen know if you have a valid first aid qualification and of what sort. We need to update our list which is displayed in the Church and Church House.