

St John's *this week*

Tuesday	10.30am	BCP Holy Communion (by extension)
	2.15pm	Tea and Chat
Wednesday	8pm	Home Group (KP)
Thursday	8pm	Bell Ringing

The Daily Office:

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

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.

Next Sunday: 27th October

Bible Sunday

8am **HOLY COMMUNION** **11am** **MATINS**
 President The Revd Rachel Phillips Officiant Frances Westcott

9.30am **PARISH COMMUNION (with Junior Church)** **Bible Readings:**
 President The Revd Rachel Phillips Isaiah 45:22-25
 OT/NT Mick & Sheila Oliver Romans 15:1-6
 Gospel The Curate Luke 4:16-24
 Sermon The Revd Rachel Phillips
 Prayers Edit Rees
 Warden Sue Jones

St John 20th October 2019

the Evangelist

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

8am **HOLY COMMUNION** **5pm** **EVENSONG**
 President The Rector Officiant Jean Orpwood
 Reader Diana Phillips Prayers Frances Westcott

9.30am **PARISH COMMUNION (with Junior Church)** **Bible Readings:**
 President The Rector Genesis 32:22-31 (Page 23)
 OT/NT John & Rosemary Mackenzie-Corby 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 (Page 166)
 Luke 18:1-8 (Page 62)

Gospel The Rector
 Preach The Rector
 Prayers Jean Orpwood
 Organist Rachel Phillips
 Warden Jane Prentice

Hymns:
 131 630 726 (302 559 387) 403

11am **MATINS**
 Officiant Michael Carmody

The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Collect

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Post Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. Amen

Who's who

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Please pray for:

Sick: Bill, Bryan, Chris, David, Delicia, Deepa, Edwina, Jack, Jenny, John, Keith, Maria, Melissa, Pat, Paul and Ruth.

RIP: Brian Hitchon, Dawn Pinnell and Sheila Tyler.



Prayer Ministry (for you or someone else) is available in the Chapel during communion in the 9.30 am Service. If you would like prayer at any other time, please be in touch with Matthew.

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Today we welcome the Revd Rachel Phillips are our guest organist. Rachel was Director of Music for several years until she went to theological college to train for the ordained ministry. She was a Curate in Eastcote then Vicar of Northaw and Cuffley, before being appointed Canon for Mission and Growth at Rochester Cathedral.

An Invitation...

On 31st October Rachel will be installed as Team Rector of Dunstable Team Ministry. She would be delighted to see friends from St John's at her installation: 31st October 7.30pm at The Priory Church, Dunstable, LU5 4RS.

Junior Choir

We will again be having our very successful children's choir singing at our Christmas Carol service on Sunday 22nd December.

Rehearsals start this afternoon (3pm -4pm) in the church. Children of all ages are welcome. Please speak to Edit or Philip for more information or just turn up at 3pm!

Healing Service - Tonight

The Bishop of Willesden will be speaking at a Healing Service taking place at Holy Trinity Wealdstone this evening (6pm start). Fliers on the table in the corner by the font.

Please let Karen know if you have a valid **first aid certificate** as we are updating our records.

Firework Display 2nd November

Matthew has been given a supply of free tickets for the Harrow Fireworks display which will take place in Byron Park (HA3 7QX). The actual display will start around 7.45pm but the park will be open from midday as there are a number of stalls and activities which may be of interest.

Memorial Service 3rd November at 2.30pm

Next month our annual memorial service will take place to remember loved ones who have died. Names can be added to the list which is on the table in the corner near the font.

It would also be helpful to know if you plan to attend the service and whether you will stay for refreshments which will be served in Church House afterwards.

Advent Procession 30th November at 5.30pm

St Paul's Cathedral has invited us again to attend this special service which reflects the Advent themes of light and hope. There will be readings from scripture and literature and some of the best-loved Advent hymns. Tickets are free on a first come first served basis. Please let Matthew know if you wish to go.

Clock Change - Next Weekend!

The clocks will go back by one hour at 2am which means we will all enjoy an extra hour in bed. Yay!