

St John's

Tuesday	2pm	Tea & Chat
	10.30am	Holy Communion
	2.30pm	Home Group (Frances') Meeting in Bushey
	8pm	Home Group (Jane's) Meeting in The Rectory
Wednesday	1pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
	8pm	Lent Course (on Zoom)

Who's who

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St John's Church

Stanmore

3rd April 2022

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.

Services today

8am HOLY COMMUNION
Celebrant Jonny Rapson

Bible Readings:
Isaiah 43:16-21
Philippians 3:4b-14
John 12:1-8

9.30am PARISH COMMUNION
Celebrant Jonny Rapson
OT Tayo Oshunniyi
NT Frederick Oshunniyi
Gospel Jonny Rapson
Address Jonny Rapson
Prayers Nancy Newton

Hymns:
Will you come and follow me
There's a wideness in God's mercy
There is a Redeemer

Our online service is available [here](#)

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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Please do check our website for future updates

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The Fifth Sunday of Lent (beginning of Passiontide)

Collect

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever. Amen.

Please remember to pray for:

RIP - Michael Bernard, Jeremy Fearnough and Irene Lynch.



Lent Course

The online Lent Course continues on Wednesday at 8pm. If you would like to join, please let Jonny know and he will send the link.

Lent Appeal

Please consider giving £10 to support this year's Lent Appeal which is raising funds to support three mental health charities.

You can give online or by using one of the white envelopes which are on the table by the south door (please write 'Lent Appeal' on the envelope).

Palm Sunday Readings

Luke 19:28-40 (Liturgy of the Palms)
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Luke 23:1-49

Holy Week and Easter Services

Fliers detailing these services on the table by the south door.

Junior Church

Thank you to the leaders and members of Junior Church. We are very blessed to have so many children attending and always enjoy their participation in all-age services.

With the Easter Holidays starting this weekend, there will not be a Junior Church on Palm Sunday (10th April). Easter Sunday (17th April) will be an all-age service. The next 'normal' Junior Church will be on 24th

Church Annual Meetings

The annual meetings will take place in Church House on 24th April after the Parish Communion.

In preparation, our Electoral Roll (= list of members) is now open for revision from 26th March until 8th April. If you have joined St John's Church in recent months, and consider us 'your' church, please join the Electoral Roll.

At the annual meetings, as well as electing two new Churchwardens, we need to elect four new PCC members who will serve a three-year term. If you are interested and would like to find out more, please speak to Matthew or Jonny. Application/nominations forms are now available from the wooden cabinet next to where Jane sits. The 2021 Annual Report and Accounts have been sent by email and there are a few hardcopies next to where Jane sits. A copy of the Accounts has been pinned to the porch noticeboard.

Jonny Rapson

A reminder that Jonny's last Sunday will be on 1st May and we plan to have an informal sandwich lunch. Venue TBC.

Jonny will be installed in St Mary's Amersham on 24th May (7.30pm). We need a good turnout to show our support and love for him. If you wish to go, please click on the [link](#) or tell Jonny who will add your names.