

# St John's

Tuesday	10.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	2pm	Tea & Chat
Wednesday	12.30pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
	2pm	Funeral (T/L Jonathan Lisle)
Thursday	7.30pm	PCC Meeting

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Karen Stirrup as above  
(Privacy Notices are on display in the church porch and on the website)

**The Parish Office is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday  
(9am-1pm)**

# St John's Church

## Stanmore

### 8th February 2026

#### 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**  
Priest Matthew Stone

**9.30am** **PARISH COMMUNION** **Bible Readings:**  
Priest Rachel Phillips  
NT/ Rosemary & John  
Gospel Mackenzie-Corby  
Sermon Harrow Street Pastors  
Prayers Rachel Phillips  
Prayer Min. Sylvia Daniels  
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Min. Sylvia Daniels  
Catharine Tasker  
Laptop Jon Lawford  
Welcome Danny Curran  
Jackie Peters  
Warden Lorna Wyon

**Hymns:**  
673 Thou, Whose Almighty Word  
455 My Jesus, My Saviour x 2  
457 My Song Is Love Unknown  
(omit vs. 2 & 4)  
605 Take My Life and Let It Be  
540 Peace Perfect Peace  
683 To God Be The Glory

**5pm** **ENGAGE**  
Leader Matthew Stone  
Speaker Oli Douglas-Pennant

#### 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.

[www.stjohnschurchstanmore.org.uk](http://www.stjohnschurchstanmore.org.uk)

The Church of England's online service is available [here](#)

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## The Second Sunday Before Lent

### Collect

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever. Amen.

### Post Communion

God our creator, by your gift the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise, and the bread of life at the heart of your Church: may today we who have been nourished at your table on earth be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Please remember to pray for:

**Sick:** David Bell, Mavis Deluce, Jackie Mee, Phyllis O'Leary and John Wing.

**RIP:** Jonathan Lisle, Janet Sullivan and Laura.

**RIP Anniversary:** John Williams.

### Church Flowers

The altar flowers have been given by the Williams family in remembrance of John Williams on the first anniversary of his passing.

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**Junior Church** is taking place this morning in Church House. Drop off at 9.20am.

### Harrow Street Pastors Visit

Today we are pleased to welcome a team from the Harrow Street Pastors to speak in the 9.30am Parish Communion about their work in Wealdstone and Harrow.

Street Pastors in the UK are trained Christian volunteers from local churches who patrol town and city centres, typically from 10pm-3am on Fridays and Saturdays.

They offer practical help, a listening ear, and non-judgmental support to vulnerable people, often assisting those affected by alcohol or drugs to reduce crime and improve safety.

Rachel Phillips is taking the service and will interview the Street Pastors.

### Engage - Today (5pm)

Our monthly contemporary service is taking place this afternoon. The speaker is Oli Douglas-Pennant, the new Vicar of All Saints' Queensbury. The title of his talk is "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?". The Bible passage is Job 38.

### PCC Meeting - 12th February

The papers were sent by email last week. Please let Matthew know if they have not been received.

### Diary Dates:

18th February - Ash Wednesday  
15th March - Mothering Sunday  
29th March - Palm Sunday  
2nd April - Maundy Thursday  
3rd April - Good Friday  
5th April - Easter Day  
26th April - Annual Church Meetings

### Can you help...?

At this year's annual church meetings we need to elect (or re-elect) two Churchwardens, and elect four new Deanery Synod Representatives and four new PCC Members.

Churches can only function because people are willing to give some of their time to support the leadership.

Deanery Synod meetings last 1.5 hours and meet once a term (three meetings a year). PCC Meetings last for just under an hour and take place bi-monthly.

In order to stand for election, you need to be on the Electoral Roll.

Please prayerfully consider whether this is the right time to make a new (or another) commitment to support our growing church.

Matthew and Rachel will be pleased to answer any questions.

**Pre-Lent Lunch** - gigantic thanks to the team for the delicious lunch and all those who cleared up afterwards.

