

# St John's

<b>Tuesday</b>	10.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	2pm	Tea & Chat
	2.30pm	Bushey Home Group
	8pm	Stanmore Home Group
<b>Wednesday</b>	12.30pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group

## Contact Information

### Clergy

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### Safeguarding Team

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

# St John's Church Stanmore

## 8th March 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 Matthew Stone Exodus 17:1-7  
OT Steph Oji Romans 5:1-11  
NT Nancy Pillay-Newton John 4:5-42

Gospel Frances Westcott  
Sermon Frances Westcott  
Prayers Frances Westcott  
Prayer Min. Sylvia Daniels  
Catharine Tasker  
Laptop Graham Nicholson  
Welcome Sylvia Daniels  
Jackie Peters  
Warden Lorna Wyon

**Hymns:**  
19 All My Hope on God  
704 We Love the Place O God  
64 Be Thou My Vision  
523 O Thou, Who at Thy Eucharist  
33 And Now, O Father Mindful  
81 Brother, Sister Let Me Serve

**5pm ENGAGE**  
Leader Rachel Phillips  
Speakers PCC Members

### **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 Third Sunday of Lent

### Collect

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Post Communion

Merciful Lord, grant your people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Please remember to pray for:

**Sick:** David Bell, Mavis Deluce, Sheila Rodgers and John Wing.

**RIP:** Joan Foster, priest



## Junior Church

Junior Church is taking place this morning in Church House. Drop off between 9.20am-9.30am.

## Lent Course

During Lent this year, the Diocese of London is holding an online course which will explore the journey of discipleship amid uncertainty, mystery and unknowing. Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

## Lent Home Groups

The Bushey and Stanmore groups are meeting every Tuesday in Lent. You are welcome to join either during this season.

## Lent Appeal

The PCC has decided to support a charity called [ShelterBox](#) who provide shelter, essential items and technical assistance to help some of the world's most vulnerable people recover and rebuild their homes after disaster. To donate by bank transfer (preferred):

Sort Code: 20 29 37

Account Number: 10722049

Account Name: Parochial Church Council of St Johns Stanmore

Ref: Lent Appeal

For cash, please place in an envelope marked "Lent Appeal" and leave it in the bowl by the south door.

## St John's School PCC Appointed Governor Vacancy

A vacancy has arisen owing to the retirement of one governor. Please speak to Kelly Kehn (Chair of Governors) or Matthew for more information. A DBS check is required.

## Mothering Sunday Prep

If you can spare an hour from 11am on 14th March to help prepare the posies in church, we would be grateful.

## Electoral Roll (ER) Revision

We invite you to join our ER if you have been attending for six months. Being on the ER enables the Church of England to see the membership strength of each church. It also enables you to stand for election as a Churchwarden, Deanery Synod Rep and PCC Member (and vote on church matters at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting).

Please complete a green application form from the table by the font. The revision of our Electoral Roll will take place between 27th March-10th April.

## Palm Sunday Passion Reading

We are recruiting volunteers to take part in the dramatic reading of the Gospel which will be performed during the 9.30am service.

Please email Janet Davis if you would like to take part: [jd168@icloud.com](mailto:jd168@icloud.com)