St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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Sunday 9th March 2025 1st Sunday in Lent Rev'd Phil Aindow

Readings:

1st Reading: Romans 7: 14-25 2nd Reading: Luke 4: 1-13

Services:

Sunday: 9.30am Holy Communion Service

6.30pm Contemporary Evening Service



FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

We remember the gifts of the Wise Men and pray that we may also give to those who need it. We pray for people struggling to get through the winter. We pray for those who celebrated Christmas in secret and will also observe Lent behind closed doors.

PRAY FOR: We pray for children who do not know Jesus. We pray for children living in homes where food is scarce and their parents must choose between heat or food.

Pray for the situations in Israel, Palestine, Ukraine and Sudan.

ANGLICAN COMMUNION CYCLE: The Anglican Church of Canada

DIOCESAN LIFE: Winchester Social Enterprise, particularly in its work of setting up our own preschool settings and offer support and guidance to others affiliated through the Launchpad Early Years Network.

NEIGHBOURS: Thistle Road, Lucerne Gardens, Goodlands Vale, Gullycroft Mead and Coltsfoot Close.

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING: Marguerite Ackroyd, John Martin, Susan Phippard, Mike Collins, Dave Taylor, baby Ember, Linda, Craig Rees, David Lynch, Adie Phippard and Jay Davis.

DEPARTED: Diana Fouch

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S

We love meeting new people. If you are new to our congregation or visiting, it would be great to say hello. If you can, please stay for tea & coffee after the morning service.

As a church family there are many ways you can become involved. You can make a commitment to worship with us regularly, join us in our weekly activities and financially contribute to our work.

To make a donation to enable the church there is the basket at the back of church, a card machine next to it or there is the online giving page at www.achurchnearyou.com/church/18453/. If you would like to make a regular contribution please enquire about the PGS scheme, you can find a leaflet at the entrance to the UHC.

MUSIC FOR TODAY

1st: Guide me O thou great Redeemer

2nd: All I once held dear3rd: O come to the altar

4th: Is he worthy?

5th: Worthy is the lamb

6th: Great is thy faithfulness

This week the office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday between 9.00 - 1.00 pm. Please see the website for more information. Office | office@stjohns-hedgeend.org.uk | 01489 790048



DIARY FOR THE WEEK W/B 8thMarch 2025

Saturday

11.30am Private Party

Sunday -

Monday

10.00am Private wake (Downstairs)6.30pm Yoga with Mike (Upstairs)

Tuesday:

9.30am Table Tennis (Upstairs)

2.00pm Cleaner

3.30pm Perform Group (Upstairs)7.00pm WI Meeting (Downstairs)

7.30pm Yoga with Julia (Matthew & Mark)

Wednesday

9.30am Art Group (Matthew& Mark)

9.30am Men's Shed (Downstairs)

6:30pm Pilates with Zoe (Matthew&Mark)

7.30pm Mothers' Union (Downstairs)7.30pm West End Singers (Luke)

Thursday

7.00am Slimming World (Downstairs)2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Downstairs)

5.00pm Joanna Vowles dance (upstairs M&M)

Friday

1.45pm Breathe Easy Group (Downstairs)

<u>Saturday</u>

2.00pm tea and Cake Afternoon

COFFEE ROTA

Next Sunday - 16th March

Marnie Davis Sally Gailer William Sambrook

Next Sunday 16th March:

9.30 am: All Age Service of the Word

Readings: Romans 4: 1-8 John 11: 17-27

6.30pm: Evening Communion Service

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday 7th March 2pm

All Saints Church, Botley

This year's service has been put together by women of the Cook Islands.

ALL WELCOME

Fair Trade Stall

Fair trade stall this Sunday.

We have Easter eggs and cards. We can also take orders for Easter eggs.

We get 10% commission on sales and have been able to donate £100 to Christian aid. We have purchased 2 'send a child to school', and 5 'a pair of chickens'.

Thank you for supporting us. Leonie and Jackie.

APCM and ELECTORAL ROLL

Once every 6 years we have to wipe clean the electoral roll and start again—this is happening this year.

The process begins with the announcement of our APCM, which will be held on

Sunday 27th April

following the 9.30am service.

The official notice can be found on the church door and notice board.

You should have received and email with a link to complete the form. Paper copies will be available at church for those not on email.

Forms must be completed by **4th April** and handed to Marsha (Electoral Roll Officer), Phil (Vicar) or David L & Jim (Churchwardens).

Thank you.

Tea and Cake Afternoon

With a treasure Hunt for children and adults

Saturday 15th March 2.00pm—4.00pm

Free event, but please reserve your tickets at

https://bit.ly/4bgI6T1

Or by filling out a card outside the office and leaving in the office. Thank you.