

St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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Sunday 12th January 2025

3rd Sunday of Christmas

Rev'd Phil Aindow

Readings:

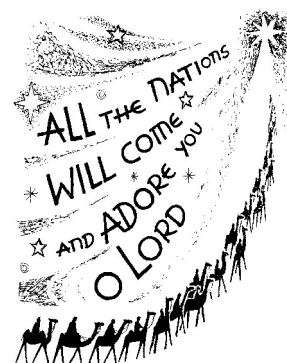
1st Reading: Isaiah 43: 1-7

2nd Reading: Luke 3: 15-22

Services:

Sunday: 9.30 am
6.30pm

Hoy Communion Service
Evening Prayer and Worship



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 Church of the Province of West Africa

DIOCESAN LIFE: Our Bishops Philip, Rhiannon and David, their lead in mission and their oversight, and giving thanks for their office support.

NEIGHBOURS: Dean Close, Sowden Close, Park View, Ratcliffe Road, Lynton Gardens, Watts Road and Hilton Road.

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

DEPARTED: John Reynolds



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:** On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry
- 2nd:** I heard the voice of Jesus say
- 3rd:** Just as I am
- 4th:** The Power of Your Love
- 5th:** Holy Spirit, living breath of God
- 6th:** Blessed Assurance

This week the office will be **open Monday and Thursday** 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 13th January 2025

Monday:

6.30pm Yoga with Mike & Steve (Upstairs)

Tuesday:

9.30am Table Tennis (Upstairs)

1.15am GEMS (Downstairs)

2.00pm Cleaner

7.00pm WI

7.30pm Yoga with Julia (Matthew & Mark)

Wednesday:

9.30am Art Group (Matthew & Mark)

9.30am Men's Shed (Downstairs)

4.00pm Little Eagles (Whole building)

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

7.30pm West End Singers (Luke)

Thursday:

2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Downstairs)

5.00pm Joanna Vowels Dance (Upstairs)

7.00pm Bible Study Group (Downstairs)

Friday

10.30am Southern Health (Luke)

1.45pm Breathe Easy

Saturday:

2.00pm Sarah Siddons Theatre Group

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

Sarah Siddons Theatre Group

18th January - 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Underhill Centre £5.50 per person

ALL WELCOME

Please book tickets online through iKnow

<https://bit.ly/4iXTx5B>

(or come into the office where we will book it through iKnow for you).

Fair Trade Stall

We will be running the stall on the 2nd Sunday of every month. Lots of 'goodies'.

Leonie and Jackie.

A SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

Sunday 19th January 3pm

St John's Church, Hedge End

Followed by refreshments

ALL WELCOME

This will be followed by our early evening Holy Communion Service at 4.30pm

Next Sunday:

9.30 am: All Age Service

1st Reading: Isaiah 62: 1-5 (Jim)

Gospel: John 2: 1-11 (Jenni)

4.30pm: Holy Communion Service

(Please note the change to usual time!)

COFFEE ROTA

Next Sunday - 19th January

Marnie Davis

Sally Gailer

COFFEE ROTA

Would you be able to help with making the coffee / tea on the Third Sunday of the month?

One volunteer needed to join the team please.

Please speak to Phil, Jim or David L.

COFFEE MORNING

in aid of Motor Neurone Disease

Saturday 25th January

10:00am - 12:30pm

If anyone can bake a cake to sell or is able to gift a raffle prize please I would be grateful.

Jackie

SAVE THE DATE!

Quiz night

Saturday 15th February

6:00pm for 6:30 start

£10 per person

Choice of fish or sausage both with chips.

Bring your own drinks/glasses

Details of how to book to follow.