



St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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Sunday 15th February 2026

Sunday Before Lent

Revd Phil Aindow

9.30am All Age service of the Word with Baptism

Readings: Exodus 24: 12-18
Matthew 17: 1-9

3.00pm The Patch

6.30pm Holy Communion Service



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 Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). You can find a leaflet at the entrance to the Underhill Centre.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

PRAY FOR: 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 the Indian Ocean;
Primate: Gilbert Ratelison Rakotondravelo

DIOCESAN LIFE: Our IT Support & Communication Team as we seek to grow in the ways we can reach out to others with the good news of God in Christ Jesus.

NEIGHBOURS: Taplin Drive, Lake farm Close, Waterbeech Drive, Simmons Close, Harris Avenue and Bader Close.

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING: Susan & Adie Phippard, Linda, David Lynch, Michael Rosendale, Roger Bailey, Alex A, Mary & Gerald Miller, Phil Raine, Lilly Quigley and Cheryl.

DEPARTED: Barbara Wyeth and Pam Hodgson.

This week the office will be open **Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday**
between 9.00 - 1.00pm **Office closed** Friday 27th February.
office@stjohns-hedgeend.org.uk 01489 790048



DIARY FOR THE WEEK
W/B 15th February

Sunday

Monday

9.00am WI Education Day (Luke)
3.00pm DPP (Luke)
6.30pm Yoga with Mike (Matt & Mark)

Tuesday

9.30am Table Tennis (All upstairs)
12.45pm GEMS (downstairs)
7.00pm WI Com Meeting (Luke)
7.30pm Yoga with Julia (Matt & Mark)

Wednesday

9.30am Art Group (Upstairs)
9.30am Men's Shed (Downstairs)
12noon Chapter Meeting (Luke)
1.30pm Hamble Valley Health (Downstairs)
2.30pm Ash Wed Service 1 (Church)
6.30pm Ash Wed Service 2 (Church)
6.30pm Pilates with Zoe (Matt & Mark)
7.30pm West End Singers (Downstairs)

Thursday

8.00am Slimming World (Downstairs)
2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Downstairs)
7.00pm Bible Study Group (Downstairs)

Friday

10.00am Southern Health (Luke)
1.00pm Breathe Easy (Downstairs)

Saturday

2.15pm Private Hire (Meeting Area)

Next Sunday 22nd February

9.30 am: Holy Communion Service
Readings:

3.00pm: The Patch
6.30pm: Taize service

Funeral of Pam Hodgson

You are all warmly invited to Pam's funeral service
to be held here at St John's on
Tuesday 10th March at 12noon

Ash Wednesday Services

We are holding 2 services on
Wednesday 18th February
2.30pm and 6.30pm
Everyone Welcome.

World Day of Prayer

HEWEB joint service

We are delighted to be hosting this service on
Friday 6th March at 7pm
Everyone Welcome.

Quiz Night with Fish and Chips

Saturday 14th March 6.00 for 6.30pm

£12 per person
Bring your own drinks & glasses.

Everyone Welcome.
Please book tickets via iKnow or by completing
an envelope and leaving in the Parish Office
<https://tickets.myiknowchurch.co.uk/gb/OTMzLT11/t>

St John's PCC

We have some vacancies on our PCC. Please
prayerfully consider if this is something you
would be able to be part of.

In addition to a general PPC member, we are
also looking for people to fill the roles of:

Churchwarden
Deanery Synod Representative
Treasurer
Safeguarding Officer

Please speak to Phil or David L if you would like
to find out more about what this may involve.

St John's Strollers

Will be meeting at Brock Hill Car Park,
New Forest, SO42 7QB

Saturday 21st February 2pm

Gentle walk mainly on the flat and
mainly on gravel tracks.
All welcome