# St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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# 3rd March 2024 - 3rd Sunday of Lent Rev'd Phil Aindow

**Readings:** 

1st Reading: Exodus 30:17-21 2nd Reading: Mark 1:1-11

**Services:** 

**Sunday:** 9.30 am Family Communion Service

6.30 pm Evening Prayer and Worship



# **FOR YOUR PRAYERS:**

Whilst looking forward to the joy of Easter, we ask Your guidance that we use this penitential season of Lent fruitfully to deepen our Christian faith. Guide us in daily prayer to a more faithful way of living the Christian life.

**PRAY FOR:** children growing up knowing only uncertainty and turbulence in their young lives, both here and abroad.

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

#### **ANGLICAN COMMUNION CYCLE:**

The Church of the Province of Uganda

**DIOCESAN LIFE:** The team at the

Diocesan Registry who advise the parishes, Bishop, and all the other organisations and officers of the Diocese on legal matters.

**NEIGHBOURS:** Waylands Place, Foord Rd, Downlands Place, Damen Cl, St John's Rd, Vicarage Drive, Maidman Place, Hedge End Way, Hellyar Rise and Blyth Gardens.

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING: Dave Arveschough, Peter Clarke, Emily and her baby, John Martin, Margaret Freeman, Marguerite Ackroyd, Tony Trist, Euan, Val Cheffey, Mary Miller and Dee O'Neill.

**DEPARTED:** Nell Francis, Rita Elsey, Audrey Settle

and Betty Hall.

# **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 <a href="www.achurchnearyou.com/church/18453/">www.achurchnearyou.com/church/18453/</a>. 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 The Power of your Love

**2nd:** Water and Dust

**3rd:** Just as I am

4th: The Heart of Worship

5th: The Stand

**6th:** I stand amazed (My Saviour's love)

The office is open on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday mornings between 9.00 - 1.00 pm. Please see the website for more information.

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# **DIARY FOR THE WEEK**W/B 26th February 2024

**Monday:** 

6.30pm Yoga (Luke)

6.30pm Yoga (Matthew & Mark) 7.00pm HIAS (Meeting Area)

Tuesday:

9.30am Table Tennis (Upstairs)

2.00pm Cleaner

Wednesday:

10.00am Art Group (Upstairs)6.30pm Pilates (Matthew & Mark)

Thursday:

1.00pm Funeral (Nell Francis)

(Meeting Area)

2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Matthew/Mark)
 7.00pm Southampton Quilters (Luke)
 7.00pm Lent Course (Meeting area)

Friday:

10.30am Private Hire (Luke)

1.45pm Fitness Friday (Meeting area)

Saturday:

12.30pm Southampton Choral Society

(Church & Meeting area)

# Next Sunday: 10th March 2024

9.30 am: Holy Communion Service

1st Reading: Psalm 91: 9-16 Gospel: Luke4: 1-13

# **COFFEE ROTA**

**Next Sunday - 10th March** 

David & Angela Taylor Lyn Goodfellow

#### **APCM**

#### Sunday 28th April @ 11am

You are all warmly encouraged to attend our Annual Parochial Church Meeting following refreshments after the 9.30 service.

# **BIRTHDAY GREETINGS**

Congratulations and best wishes to David Dimmick as he celebrates his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday on Monday 4th March.

# **World Day of Prayer**

# Friday 1st March 7.30pm

This year's theme is Palestine.

'I beg you, bear with one another in love'.

All are welcome to a service at

# Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church

followed by refreshments in the church hall.

#### **Charity Collection**

There will be a collection for the Amos Trust and Christian Aid this Sunda.

Also, please don't forget the St. James' Trolley in the Underhill Centre

Thank You

#### **Funeral of Nell Francis**

# Thursday 7th March at 1.00pm

You are all warmly invited to Nell's funeral, here at St John the Evangelist.

Helen & family.

#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you so much to the family of St John's for all the cards, flowers, prayers and good wishes I received during my recent hospital recovery. I have been overwhelmed by your kindness.

Sally Lloyds

#### **THANK YOU**

Mary and Gerald would like to thank their friends at St Johns for all the get well messages, cards, beautiful flowers and a lovely cake!

God bless you all.

# **Quiz Night**

# Saturday 16th March 6:00 for 6:30pm

Tickets £10 per adult
Includes Fish or Sausage and chips
Bring your own drinks and glasses
Max team size 6
To book please email:

150th.anniversary@stjohns-hedgeend.org.uk