



St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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Sunday 4th January 2026
2nd Sunday of Christmas
Rev'd Phil Aindow

9.30am Family Communion Service

Readings: Isaiah 60: 1-6
Matthew 2: 1-12

3.00pm The Patch

6.30pm Northumbrian Evening Prayer



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 Central Africa; Archbishop Albert Chama

DIOCESAN LIFE: Our Mission and Ministry Team, which supports our discipleship, discernment, calling, training and equipping in ministry and mission.

NEIGHBOURS: Albert Road, Alexandra Road, Pretoria Road, Newcliffe Gardens, Church Lane, Granada Road and Woodside Way

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING: Susan & Adie Phippard, Linda, Craig Rees, David Lynch, Marguerite Ackroyd, Michael Rosendale, Mary, Sue, Lee Davis, Wendy, Roger Bailey, John Mansfield, Alex A, Mary & Gerald Miller, Valerie Emery, Phil Raine and Lilly Quigley.

DEPARTED: Mr Noah Page.

This week the office will be open **Monday, Tuesday and Friday**
between 9.00 - 1.00pm

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DIARY FOR THE WEEK
W/B 4th Jan

Sunday

Monday

1.00pm DPP (Luke)
6.30pm Yoga with Mike and Steve (Upst)

Tuesday

9.30am Table Tennis (All upstairs)
12.45pm GEMS (Meeting Area)
3.30pm Perform (All of upstairs)
7.30pm Yoga with Julia (Matt & Mark)

Wednesday

9.30am Art Group
6.30pm Pilates with Zoe (Matt & Mark)

Thursday

Office Closed
8.00am Slimming World (Downstairs)
2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Downstairs)
5.00pm Jo Vowles Dance (Matt & Mark)

Friday

10.00am Southern Health (Luke)
1.45pm Breathe Easy (Downstairs)

Saturday

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Bee Creative

Our next craft group will be held on
Saturday 3rd January 10am—12 noon

£2.00 per person (inc refreshments)

Bring your own craft along.

Please speak to Lyn C to find out more.

Church Breakfast

Saturday 31st January 2026
9.00—10.30am

Everyone welcome .

This is a 'pay as you can' event—please reserve
your space via iKnow.

<https://tickets.myiknowchurch.co.uk/gb/OTMzLTE5/t>

Thank you

Mary and Gerald Miller would like to thanks
the family of St John's for the many get well &
Christmas cards and gifts they have received.
God bless you all.

Churches Together
Service for Christian Unity

You are all warmly invited to this service on
Sunday 18th January at 3.00pm

At Anchor Community Church,
26 Quob Lane, West End.

Everyone Welcome.

Table Tennis Quiz

Thank you to everyone who supported the
recent Table Tennis Quiz last month.
£200 was raised for St John's Church.

Thank you

A very big thank you to all those who made our
Christmas events possible. From welcomers to
coffee makers, servers to fire starters and
to everyone who celebrated with us.

Next Sunday 11th January

9.30 am: Communion Service
Readings: tbc

3.00pm: The Patch

6.30pm: Contemporary Evening Worship