



The Parish of St John the Divine, Selsdon

A Very Wam Welcome to St. John's Church.

*Please join us for tea/coffee after the service in the Church Hall.
Please feel free to take this sheet home with you and pass it on to family and friends.*

Week beginning
18th October 2026
Celebratory Eucharist

When the bell rings, please be seated and keep silence as we gather before God.

Sunday School: meets in the Garden Room from 10.00am – for more information contact Katie or Nancy.

Sunday Services

8.00am Holy Eucharist (BCP)
10.00am Holy Eucharist

Hymns

Processional 334
Gradual 808
Offertory 205
Anthem Ave Verum Mozart
Final 427

Church Temporarily Closed

Whilst lighting works continue

Next Come and Sing Choir

Sunday 25th October 2026

Online Services

10am Eucharist is available live via

Facebook on the pages:

Younis Francis &

St John the Divine Selsdon

Forthcoming Services & Events – October 2026

Sun 18 th	10.00am	90 th Consecration Celebration Eucharist
	12.00pm	90 th Consecration Buffet lunch (ticketed event: admission by prepaid ticket only)
Mon 19 th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
Sun 25 th	12.00pm	Lunch in the Pub
Mon 26 th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
Tue 27 th	7.30pm	Wives & Friends Group – talk by Janice White on Wimbledon with a tennis quiz
Wed 28 th	10.00am	Coffee Morning

Notices

90th Anniversary of the Consecration of St. John's

As we celebrate this special milestone, we extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who has joined us in marking this special occasion. For nine decades, St. John's has been a place of worship, prayer, fellowship and welcome. We give thanks for all who have contributed to its life, past and present. Above all, we thank God for His enduring love and guidance. May we continue to grow in faith and shine as a light in our community for generations to come.

In our Prayers

For Health and Healing:

Nicola Poulton, Christopher Samuel,
Emily Brooks, David Lane, Ena Wallace,
Roland Gardner

Recently Departed:

Betty Riddle, Teldra McDonald

Anniversary of loved ones:

18 th Oct	Eric Oldham	(1997)
	Vera Garland	(2005)
19 th Oct	George Robinson	(1981)
	Arthur Connop	(1985)
	Dora Butler	(1989)
	Malcolm Asbridge	(1993)
20 th Oct	Charles McFarlane	(1986)
	Carole Hensher	(2014)
	Barbara Blunt	(2014)
	Peter Morris	(2014)
	Brian Hollands	(2020)
21 st Oct	Horace Daniels	(1966)
22 nd Oct	Anthony Chew	(2008)
23 rd Oct	Janet Green	(2010)
	Ellen Daniels	(2010)
	Yvonne Berry	(2011)
24 th Oct	Henrietta Mills	(1987)
	Allan Simper	(1993)
	Charles Allen	(1994)
	Russell Bailey	(2004)
	Sandra Walford	(2018)

90 Years – A Journey Through History – do take a moment to enjoy the wonderful historical display boards around the church, researched and compiled by John Williams, charting 9 decades of St. John's history. Pick up an index sheet at the back of the church to identify the photographs on display. Thanks to John for his remarkable dedication in bringing our history to life!

Quiz & Curry Night – we raised an incredible £1,200 for church projects. Once again, a huge thank to all those who were involved in this fun evening.

Bible Study – Encounters with Jesus: Preparing for Advent - a four-week Bible study course begins on Tuesday 3rd November from 10am-12pm in the Garden Room. All are welcome to attend.

Sponsored Walk for Refuge – Alison Graham is walking 62 miles this October for Refuge, marking Domestic Violence month. Please support this cause if you can. Further details are available at the back of the church.

Advent Wreath Making Workshop - join us on Saturday 21st November, in the church hall from 1pm to 4pm to make a beautiful advent wreath. Cost: £35 which includes all materials and light refreshments. Please sign up at the back of church. For more information, contact Gill Salter: 0208 405 9971

Croydon Refugee Centre – requires donations please. For a full list, or for more information, kindly speak to Debbie Brown, Churchwarden.

The Parish of St. John the Divine, Upper Selsdon Road, Selsdon, CR2 8DD
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For Baptism, Marriage, Home Visits and House Blessings please talk to Fr. Younis

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