



The Parish of St John the Divine, Selsdon

A Very Warm 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
16th November 2025
Second Sunday
Before Advent

For Baptism, Marriage, Home Visits and House Blessing please talk to Fr Younis Francis - 07504721294.

Sunday School: meets in the Garden Room from 10.00am - For information contact Katie or Nancy.

Sunday Services

8.00am Holy Eucharist (BCP)
10.00am Holy Eucharist

Hymns

Processional 452
Gradual 57
Offertory 495
Anthem Ave Verum - Byrd
Final 858

Church open for Prayer

Monday - Thursday: 10.00am - 4.00pm

Come & Sing Choir - 23rd Nov 2025

Forthcoming Services & Events - November 2025

Sun 16th	12.00pm	Lunch in the Pub
Mon 17th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
Tues 18th	10.00am	Bible Study in the Garden Room
Wed 19th	10.00am	Coffee Morning
Sun 23rd	10.00am	'Come & Sing' Choir
Mon 24th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
Tues 25th	10.00am	Bible Study in the Garden Room
	7.30pm	Wives & Friends Group - 'Make a table arrangement'
Sat 29th	11.00am	Christmas Market
Sun 30th	10.00am	Advent Sunday
	6.00pm	Advent Sundry Carol Service

Forthcoming Services & Events - December 2025

Dec 1st	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
	7.00pm	Walsingham Mass
Wed 3rd	10.00am	Coffee Morning
Fri 5th	1.00pm	Film & Food Club

In our Prayers

For Health and Healing:

Julia Barclay, Alexandra Radford,
Andrew Cornish, Brian Miller,
Maureen White

Recently Departed:

Keelan Shorten, Paul Ellis

Anniversary of loved ones:

16th Nov	Alan Bailey	(1994)
17th Nov	Wendy Massay	(2012)
18th Nov	Doris Downham	(1994)
19th Nov	Jane Prew	(1972)
	Nick Griffiths	(2014)
20th Nov	Winnie Cookson	(1982)
21st Nov	Rosemary Wheeler	(1978)
	Jack Selby	(2013)
	Jean Treasure	(2021)
22nd Nov	Doris Inge	(1985)
	Sylvia Simper	(1999)

Christmas Market Donations!

We would very much welcome donations as raffle prizes etc. Kindly consider donating the following items:- bottles of wine, champagne or spirits, biscuits, chocolates, unopened and unused toiletries, vouchers from John Lewis/ Marks & Spencer or similar, jewellery, handbags, unwanted gifts, wallets, scarves, nearly new toys, stylish indoor homeware etc. Please leave in the parish office or hand to Jane Guglielmi or Janice White. Many thanks in advance!

Notices

Bible Study Sessions - sixth session on **Tuesday 18th November** at 10am in the Garden Room. Final session will be held on 25th November 2025.

Remembrance Tree - Christmas can be a difficult time if you've lost a loved one. St John's invites you to write a dedication label in their memory for our Christmas Remembrance Tree, on display from 29th November until 3rd January 2026. The tree will be dedicated at our 'Quiet Christmas Service' on Monday 15th December at 7pm. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. For more information, please contact Gill Salter at salterg@outlook.com or 020 8405 9971

Friday Night Out - 5th December 2025 at 6.00pm. Sign up sheet is available at the back of the church. £7 minimum donation. All welcome to attend!

2026 Dates for your Diary - Film Club: 23rd January, 13th February, 13th March, 24th April 2026 | **Friday Night Out:** 23rd January, 13th February, 13th March, 24th April 2026 | **Quiz & Curry Night:** 20th February 2026 at 7.00pm

Croydon Refugee Centre - would be most grateful for men's coats, shoes, socks, gloves, scarves, jumpers and umbrellas. All items to be clean please! For a full list of items needed, please speak to Debbie Brown.

Online Services - The 10.00am Holy Eucharist is available live via Facebook pages: **Younis Francis & St. John the Divine Selsdon.**

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