



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
23rd November 2025
Christ the King

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 332
 Gradual 397
 Offertory 849
 Communion 282
 Final 439

Church open for Prayer

Monday - Thursday: 10.00am - 4.00pm

Come & Sing Choir -

Sunday 28th December 2025

Forthcoming Services & Events - November 2025

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 - showing 'Paddington in Peru'
	6.00pm	Friday Night Out
Sun 7th	8.45am	Sunday Breakfast
	4.00pm	Christmas Concert and Raffle
Mon 8th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence

In our Prayers

For Health and Healing:

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

Recently Departed: Jeanette Warbank,
 Paul Ellis

Anniversary of loved ones:

23rd Nov	Lionel Easton	(1969)
	Geoff Dwyer	(2009)
	Alex Barrett	
	Lesley Ann Smith	(2014)
	Margaret Rapp	(2021)
24th Nov	Irene Back	(1981)
	Rita Lincoln	(2013)
25th Nov	William Thomas	(1970)
	Velma Wollen	(1994)
	Winifred Steed	(2000)
	George Bullock	(2017)
26th Nov	Sylvia Bolingbroke	(2010)
	Mary Sackey	(2003)
27th Nov	Cecil Prickett	(1979)
	Minnie Pratt	(1980)
28th Nov	William Hopgood	(1949)
	George Winstanley	(1976)
	Bill Brown	(2007)
	Greta Carey	(2021)
29th Nov	William Barrett	(1957)
	Gilbert Sawyer	(1988)
	Evelyn Horton	(1991)
	Paddy Bucket	(2005)

Notices

Christmas Market Book Stall - we'd very much like good-quality books (paper or hardback) and DVDs/Blu-rays to restock our shelves for the stall at the market. If you've got items in great condition, please bring them in and either leave in the church porch or the parish office. Many thanks in advance for your help!

Bible Study Sessions - next session on **Tuesday 25th November 2025** at 10.00am in the Garden Room. All are welcome to attend.

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!

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.**

Christmas Market Donations!

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 church porch
 or the parish office. Thank you!

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