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
25th October 2026
Bible Sunday

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	336
Gradual	803
Offertory	272
Communion	360
Final	485

Church Temporarily Closed
Whilst lighting works continue
Next Come and Sing Choir
Sunday 22nd November 2026
Online Services
10am Eucharist is available live via Facebook on the pages:
Younis Francis &
St John the Divine Selsdon

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:

26th Oct	Audrey Patterson	(1983)
	Agnes Bates	(1988)
	Lawrie Sawford	(1988)
	Katie Burton	(2001)
27th Oct	Kenneth Hall	(2003)
	Gerald Taylor	(2013)
	Nancy Wadey	(2015)
	Peter Morris	(2014)
	Brian Hollands	(2020)
28th Oct	Henry Joyce	(1982)
29th Oct	Mabel Dingley	(1979)
	Fred Smith	(1979)
	William Ewing	(1991)
	Mark Young	(1996)
	Chanda Dougan	(2020)
31st Oct	Elsie Houlding	(1980)
	Derek Sheen	(2011)
	Alf Walton	(2016)

Forthcoming Services & Events – October 2026

Sun 25th	12.00pm	Lunch in the Pub
Mon 26th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
Tue 27th	7.30pm	Wives & Friends Group – *talk by Janice White on Wimbledon with a tennis quiz*
Wed 28th	10.00am	Coffee Morning

Forthcoming Services & Events – November 2026

Sun 1st	8.45am	Sunday Breakfast
	6.00pm	All Souls Service
Mon 2nd	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence
	7.00pm	Walsingham Mass
Tue 3rd	10.00am	Bible Study Session in the Garden Room
Sun 8th	10.00am	Remembrance Sunday
	6.00pm	Choral Evensong
Mon 9th	6.00pm	Meeting God in Silence

Notices

All Souls Service – Sunday 1st November 2026 at 6.00pm. Please write the names of your loved ones **CLEARLY** on the sheet at the back of the church and join us for our annual service when we remember and give thanks for the lives of those we love but no longer see. All are welcome to attend.

90 Years – A Journey Through History – the historical display boards have been temporarily removed to accommodate the ongoing lighting works in the church. They will be reinstated once the works have been completed. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

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 - Saturday 21st November, 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.

Croydon Refugee Centre – requires donations please. In particular, jackets, hoodies, waterproof shoes, suitcases, kitchenware, bedding items and toiletries. For a full list or for more information, kindly speak to Debbie Brown, Churchwarden.

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