



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
30th March 2025
Mothering Sunday

For Baptism, Marriage, Home Visits and House Blessing please talk to Fr Younis Francis - 020 8657 2343 / 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 285
Gradual 161
Offertory 375
Anthem A Gaelic Blessing - Rutter
Final 394

Choral Evensong

Introit God so loved the world -
Stainer
Hymns 64, 294 & 408
Responses Clucas
Psalm 30
Canticles Collegium Regale- Howells
Anthem Like as the hart - Howells
Readings: 1 Samuel 1:20-end &
Colossians 3:12-17

Forthcoming Services & Events - March 2025

Sun 30th 10.00am **Mothering Sunday** - Holy Eucharist
11.30am Burial of Ashes Service - Renee & Derek Taylor
6.00pm Choral Evensong

Forthcoming Services & Events - April 2025

Tues 1st 10.00am Lent Course in the Garden Room
Wed 2nd 7.30pm Stations of the Cross or Meditation & Mass
Sun 6th 8.45am Sunday Breakfast
Mon 7th 7.00pm Walsingham Mass
Tues 8th 7.30pm Wives & Friends Group - 'Looking towards Easter'
Wed 9th 10.00am Coffee Morning
Fri 11th 1.00pm Film & Food Club - showing '12 Years a Slave'
Sun 13th 10.00am Palm Sunday - Holy Eucharist with procession
12.00pm Lunch in the Pub
6.00pm Choral Evensong

In our Prayers

For Health and Healing:

Julia Barclay, Brian Mason, Clement Royal,
John Parsons, Elizabeth Callard, Jean Turner,
Alexandra Radford, Andrew Cornish,
Kate Kingsley, Elizabeth Whitbread

Recently Departed:

Baby George Sparks

Anniversary of loved ones:

31st March Ronnie Corbett (2016)
Sidney Ferris (2016)
1st April Grace Hall (1968)
2nd April Joan Sheen (2017)
3rd April Ethel Smith (2001)
Robert McDowall (1999)
Keith Holt (2012)
4th April Elizabeth Kewn (1977)
Margaret Simmons (1981)
Michael McKenzie (2006)
5th April Colin Nockolds (2019)

Church open for Prayer

Monday - Thursday: 10.00am - 4.00pm

St John's Passion Tree

Come and make your Lenten Gift in the basket at the foot of the Passion Tree which will be in place in St. John's throughout Lent. Take a label from the tree and replace it with a motif card from the box next to the tree. Bring it back with the item requested then put the gift and label in the basket. Your gifts will go to St. Francis Selsdon, Food Stop Pantry and we will be collecting up until Easter. Please speak to Fr. Younis or Gill Salter for more information.



Online Services - The 10.00am Holy Eucharist is available live via Zoom.
Please use: **Meeting ID:** 676 872 1937 & **Passcode:** 202024 or Facebook pages:
Younis Francis & St. John the Divine Selsdon

Notices

Happy Mothering Sunday - we give thanks to the church as Mother, the Virgin Mary as the mother of Jesus, we remember that God cares for us like a mother and last but not least, we give thanks for our own mothers and all those who show us motherly love and care.

"May she who gave you birth be happy" Proverbs 23:25

Quiz & Curry & Croydon Male Voice Choir Concert - a big thank you to all who helped at and supported both of these events. We raised over **£800** between the two for Project Warm Church!

Passover Seder Meal - Tuesday 15th April, 7.30pm. Please add your name to the sign up sheet. £10 per person. Please bring your drinks.

Lent Course 2025 - next session: **Tues 1st April 2025 10.00am** in the Garden Room. Next evening session: **Wed 2nd April 7.30pm.**

Electoral Roll - Once in every 6 years, the new electoral roll takes place. Everyone must come off and reapply. Application forms are available on the table at the back of the church. Please return to the Parish Office or Janice White by Sunday 13th April 2025. Many thanks for your help.

The Parish of St John the Divine, Upper Selsdon Road, Selsdon, CR2 8DD.

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