



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
21st December 2025
Fourth Sunday
of 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 10
 Gradual 161 t.385
 Offertory 11
 Anthem Gabriel's Message -
 trad. Arr. Pettman
 Final 186

Church open for Prayer

Monday - Thursday: 10.00am - 4.00pm

Come & Sing Choir -

Sunday 28th December 2025

Forthcoming Services & Events - December 2025

Sun 21st 12.00pm Lunch in the Pub
 6.00pm 9 Lessons and Carols
 Mon 22nd 6.00pm Meeting God in Silence
 Wed 24th 4.00pm Crib Service
 11.00pm Midnight Mass
 Thurs 25th 10.00am Christmas Day
 Sun 28th 10.00am Holy Eucharist

Forthcoming Services & Events - January 2026

Thurs 1st 11.30am New Years Day Service in Church Hall (lunch after)
 Fri 2nd 11.00am Funeral Service of Brian Huggett
 Mon 5th 6.00pm Meeting God in Silence
 7.00pm Walsingham Mass
 Sun 11th 6.00pm Choral Evensong
 Mon 13th 6.00pm Meeting God in Silence
 Tues 14th 7.30pm Wives & Friends Group - Hogmanay at
 the Sir Julian Huxley pub

In our Prayers

For Health and Healing:

Nick Langford, Rachel Webb, Hannah Adie,
 Alexandra Radford, Andrew Cornish,
 Brian Miller, Maureen White

Recently Departed:

Julia Barclay, Brian Huggett

Anniversary of loved ones:

21st Dec Florence Yorke (1959)
 Ted Green (1980)
 Lester Dutton (2015)
 22nd Dec Toni Simmons (1980)
 James Hall (1965)
 Robert Frankham (2019)
 23rd Dec Colin Blood (2015)
 Heather Reynolds (2016)
 24th Dec Dorothy Williams (2008)
 25th Dec Marjorie Tyrrell (1990)
 Mary Ann Wailes (2004)
 Sylvia Edie (2010)
 Winifred Cameron (2010)
 Daphne Owen (2021)
 27th Dec Winifred Bates (1974)
 Tom Hughes (1982)
 Margaret Sergeant (1987)
 Andrew Hay (2016)

Donations

The PCC has agreed the following
 donations:

Centrepont: £1,000,

St. Christopher's Hospice: £1,000,

Selsdon Contact: £1,000 and DEC: £1,000.

Notices

Jesse Tree - At the back of the church in the baptistry. Please take a label from the tree and replace it with a bauble from the box. Then bring the gift listed on the card and place it in the basket. Your gifts will go to local food banks.

New Years Day Service - 1st January 2026 at 11.30am, in the church hall, followed by a bring-and-share lunch. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church, indicating which food items you're able to bring along. All are welcome.

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.**

THANK YOU - We would like to express our heartfelt thanks for all the wonderful Christmas cards and the kind messages of love and support we have received. Your thoughtfulness has truly warmed our hearts this season. Wishing everyone in our church family a blessed and joyful Christmas filled with peace, love, and God's grace.

Younis, Nancy and Zeron



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