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St John the Evangelist

This Sunday is Safeguarding Sunday. At St John's we will be led by Ven Dr. Paul Wright and Rev. Stephanie will be at All Saints.

Canon Cathy is on leave, returning on Wednesday 18th November.



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At 4pm there will be our monthly afternoon Tea Time Together service, aimed at families and young people but all are welcome. This month the theme is Thanksgiving and will be led by Sandra.



The Reading this week will be: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

The Gospel this week will be: Matthew 25:14-30

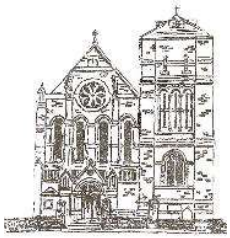
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The Benefice prayer list can be found via this link: Benefice Prayer List 15th November 2026.pdf

Coming up this week:

Saturday 14th November 9am - Benefice Prayer Breakfast - Guest Speaker Shirley Williams - We all wear many hats!





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Saturday 21st November 10am - Sandra's Bible Study Group starting to look at Women of the Bible.

Bible Discussion Group Dates





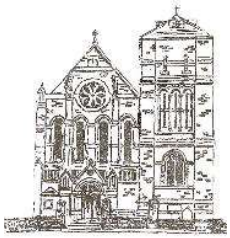


Session	Date	Passage for Discussion	Title	Time
		REVELATIONS		
Session 35	05/09/2026	Revelations 1	*Introduction in three parts*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 36	03/10/2026	Revelations 2 & 3	*Vision of the Son of Man Message to the Seven Churches*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 37	31/10/2026	Revelations 4 & 5	*Introduction to the Drama*	10 am – 11.30 am
		WOMEN OF THE BIBLE		
Session 38	21/11/2026	Genesis 38, Matthew 1	*Tamar*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 39	16/01/2027	Judges 4	*Jael*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 40	20/02/2027	Matthew 9, Mark 5, Luke 8	*The Woman who bled*	10 am – 11.30 am
		SERVANTS OF THE BIBLE		
Session 41	20/03/2027	Exodus 3:10-22, Numbers 11:10-15, Acts 3:22, Acts 7:22, Hebrews 11:23-28	*Moses*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 42	17/04/2027	Luke 1:28-55, John 19:25-28	*Mary, mother of Jesus*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 43	01/05/2027	Gal 1:12-21, Acts 9:1-30, Acts 11:24.28, Acts 18, 2 Cor 11:23-33	*Paul*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 44	29/05/2027	Joshua	*Joshua*	10 am – 11.30 am
Session 45	19/06/2027	1 Samuel 16:7, 17, 2 Samuel 11–12, 1 Samuel 13:14, Acts 13:22	*David*	
Session 46	17/07/2027	Matthew 1:16-25, 2:14–15, Luke 3:23	*Joseph, father of Jesus*	

New Topics welcome

All of our usual events take place this week.

Monday 7pm - Joyful Voices rehearsal
Tuesday 9:30am- 11:30am - English lessons for Ukrainian speakers



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Tuesday 11:30 - 12:30 - Sidcup Community Larder **OPEN**
Tuesday 2.30pm - Singing for the Brain -a relaxed and informal dementia singing group.
Wednesday 9am - Morning Prayer at St John's- a short contemplative service of prayers, Bible reading and reflection.
Wednesday 10-1pm - Place of Welcome at St John's - free coffee, cake, children's corner, wifi and more.
Wednesday 8pm-9:30pm - Bell Ringing Practice
Thursday 9.30-10am - Morning Prayer at All Saints- a short contemplative service of prayers, Bible reading and reflection.
Friday 9am - Morning Prayer at St John's- a short contemplative service of prayers, Bible reading and reflection.

Friday 10am - 11am - Sidcup Community Larder **- Open**
Friday 10.30am-12 noon term time - Busy Bees Toddler Group - everyone is welcome if accompanied by someone age 4 or younger.

Friday - Choir Practice

Dates for your diary:
Please check via the Link to:
https://www.stjohnsidcup.greenhousecms.co.uk/Calendar/

Sunday 22nd November is our Christ the King service.

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Sunday 29th November is Advent Sunday. Santa will be collecting toys for the orphanage in Ukraine and gifts for Bexley Womens Aid.

After the Service we will have our Advent Fair, with stalls and refreshments.

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