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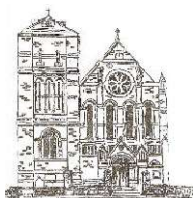
This morning at St John's, the 15th Sunday after Trinity, we came to the end of our series of sermons around the Beatitudes and enjoyed Canon Cathy reflecting on what they mean for each one of us in today's world.

We also celebrated Raphael starting his new job in the civil service and Canon Cathy gave him a blessing - Congratulations and Good Luck Raphael.



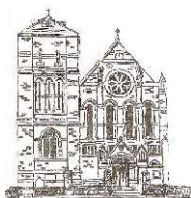
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A reminder of the notices:

The Banns of Marriage for Bobby Anthony Denton and Grace Maria Josephine Louise Hudson were read for the 2nd time of asking. They will be married at St John's on 28th November 2026.

Thanks to Tom for playing the organ for us this morning.

A reminder that Confirmation classes will be starting soon - if you are interested in being confirmed, please speak to Canon Cathy or a member of the ministry team.

Next Sunday - 20th September - Afternoon Service - Tea Time Together at 4pm - aimed at children and young people, all are welcome.

ST. JOHN'S SIDCUP Suitable for Families & Young people
All ages are welcome

Short Cafe Church Style Service

On the following Sundays:
20th Sept
18th Oct
15th Nov
at **4pm**

Tea Time Together

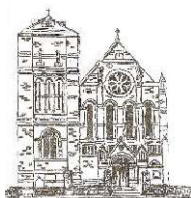
Bible Reading Fun & Games Craft Activity
Relaxed Prayers Conversation

Refreshments

Singing led by Joyful Voices

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Inclusive Church



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We will be collecting coats for those in need in the community larder over the next few weeks, please see Liz or Chris if you have a coat you would like to donate, or drop it to the larder on Tuesday or Fridays.

All of our events take place as usual:

Monday 7pm - Joyful Voices rehearsal

Tuesday 9:30am- 11:30am - English lessons for Ukrainian speakers

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:

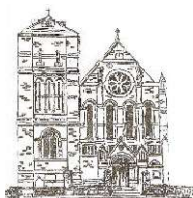
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Thursday 24th September - The Funeral of Rita Benwell RIP

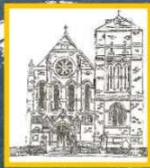
1pm at Eltham Crematorium for the committal

2:30pm St John's for a celebration of her life, followed by light refreshments in the church.

Saturday 26th September - Gardening Group



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GARDENING GROUP**

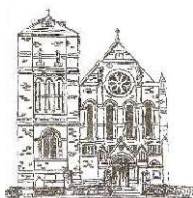
Dates for your diary:
Mar 28th, Apr 25th, May 30th,
June 27th, Jul 25th, Aug 29th,
Sept 26th, Oct 24th, Nov 21st.
(weather dependant)

**Volunteers
Welcome!
Join us from
9am- 12pm**

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Sunday 4th October - Harvest Festival 10am



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 **ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST SIDCUP**

HARVEST Festival

PLEASE COME & JOIN US

SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER
10.00AM

FAMILY SERVICE

HARVEST DONATIONS
WILL BE MOST WELCOME FOR
THE SIDCUP COMMUNITY LARDER

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Everyone Welcome!

October is Black History month and we look forward to a talk by Dr Marcia Philbin on Sunday 11th October.

ST. JOHN'S SIDCUP 

BLACK HISTORY Month 2026

**THEME:
HONOURING
OUR
COMMUNITIES**

SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER
10AM

**PARISH COMMUNION
SERVICE**

**TALK BY :
DR. MARCIA PHILBIN**

ALL ARE WELCOME ★ ★ ★

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