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This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday and there are special Remembrance Services at both churches and we look forward to welcoming our new Director of Music - Richard Decker - to St John's.

At St Johns there will be a said Eucharist at 9am followed by the Mayoral Civic Service at 11am. Please be seated by 10:45am.

The service will be followed by the laying of Wreaths at the War Memorial.

Poppies are available to purchase at the back of the church.



The Reading this week will be: From the Letter of Paul to the Romans Chapter 8 Verse 31-39

The Gospel will be: John Chapter 15 V 9-17

The Benefice Prayer List can be found via this link: Benefice Prayer List 8th November 2026.pdf

Coming up this week:

There will be **No Morning Prayer** at All Saints on Thursday and No Morning Prayer at St John's on Friday as Canon Cathy is on a course on Tbursday and then on leave, returning on Wednesday 18th November.

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Friday 6th November - Knit and Natter 2pm - 4pm



Monday 9th November 6:30pm - Choral Evensong for Remembrance, including an act of Remembrance hosted by Chislehurst and Sidcup School. The School would be delighted for anyone to join the service.

Wednesday 11th November 11am - Short service of Remembrance at the War Memorial

Place of Welcome will be joined by the Functional Fitness Coordinator at Age UK to give mobility advice and guidance.

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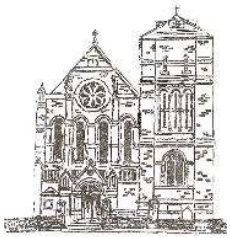
Saturday 14th November 9am - Benefice Prayer Breakfast - Guest Speaker Shirley Williams - We all wear many hats!

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With the exception of Morning prayer on Thursday and Friday, and Joyful voices on Monday, all of our other usual events will take place:

Monday 7pm - **No** 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



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and more. **Age UK!**
Wednesday 8pm-9:30pm - Bell Ringing Practice
Thursday 9.30-10am - **No** Morning Prayer at All Saints
Friday 9am - **No** Morning Prayer at St John's

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 15th November - Safeguarding Sunday, led by Ven Dr Paul Wright

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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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