



## **Welcome to St John's, Stoneleigh**

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**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2019**

**Eleventh Sunday after Trinity**

### **Welcome!**

We are delighted that you are joining us for worship today and we pray that each of us will meet with God. We thank Rev. Lynn Alsop and Joan Simon for taking our services today.

### **Collect**

God of glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom, and to give all that we have to gain the pearl beyond all price, through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Amen**

### **Bible readings for today:**

**First Reading – Hebrews 13:1-8 15-16**

**Gospel Reading – Luke 14: 1, 7-14**

### **Hymns at our 10.00 am service**

Go forth and tell (MP 178)

Make me a channel of your peace (MP 456)

When I needed a neighbour (song sheet)

Give me oil in my lamp (MP 167)

## **MORNING PRAYER**

There will be no Morning Prayer on Tuesdays 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> September. It will start again on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September.

*Jean Tutton*

## **WEDNESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER**

Wednesday's morning service will be taken by Richard Denyer and will be non-eucharistic.

*Janis Forder*

## **JEAN WASHINGTON**

Jean Washington's funeral will be held on at 11:30am on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September at Putney Vale Crematorium.

*Jean Tutton*

## **MESSAGE FROM REV. MARK**

Thank you very much for the personalised Good Luck card and the messages with kind thoughts and good wishes. It was wonderful to be able to share a final service with so many of you. I'm sorry I wasn't able to say a proper goodbye to all of you. However you are in my thoughts and prayers. The postcards with the quote I shared in the sermon are on the welcome desk. Do let me know if you'd like an audio or paper copy of the sermon. May God go with you. Every blessing, Mark.

*Rev. Dr Mark Borley*

## **DOVECOTE BOOKSHOP, EPSOM**

Next year changes will be made in the Dovecote Bookshop in Epsom. All the churches in the area are being asked if there is anyone who would be interested in being part of a Focus Group to consider the future of the Bookshop. For further details, see Sue Pennington.

*Sue Pennington*

## **A DAY FOR ALL**

A day for children and adults to enjoy a variety of activities is being held on 21<sup>st</sup> September, 12pm to 4:30pm at St Mary's, Ewell. Please see posters and leaflets for more information.

*Sue Pennington*

## **CHURCHES TOGETHER ANNUAL REVIEW MEETING**

This will take place on Wednesday 25th September at 8pm at Stoneleigh Baptist Church. Any members of the congregation who would like to come would be very welcome.

*Sue Pennington*

## **FORTHCOMING EVENTS:**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September:

- Hearing Clinic 12pm to 1pm

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September:

- Baby and Toddler Group starts

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September:

- Tea 'n' Tunes

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September:

- Craft club 10am to 12pm

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September:

- Third Thursday Coffee Morning 10:30am

Contact Roger Blake for information on 020 8393 1724.

**Items to be included in the next notice sheet should be emailed by 8am next Friday to Kerrie Winter, the Vicar's Administrator, at [office@stjohnsstoneleigh.org.uk](mailto:office@stjohnsstoneleigh.org.uk)**

## OUR REGULAR SERVICES AT ST JOHN'S

### Sundays at 8.30am:

**Holy Communion** – a 'said' service held in the side Lady Chapel using Common Worship.

### Sundays at 10.00am:

**1st Sunday of the month: Worship Together** – a family friendly service sometimes including Holy Communion.

Followed by refreshments.

**Other Sundays at 10.00am: Holy Communion** – a service with hymns and a sermon followed by refreshments. Each week there is a dedicated family area in church for very young children and in term time there is a children's group in the Parish Centre.

## MIDWEEK SERVICES

### Tuesdays at 9.15am:

**Morning Prayer** using Celtic liturgy, including prayer together and times of silence. Held in the Lady Chapel for around 20 minutes.

### Wednesdays at 10.00am:

**Holy Communion** – a reflective service using the Book of Common Prayer held in the lady chapel. Refreshments are served afterwards with a time for conversation.

### Thursdays at 6.00 pm:

**Evening Prayer** using Celtic liturgy, including prayer together and times of silence-held in the Lady Chapel for approximately 20 minutes.

*Please speak to those administering communion if you would like to receive either a gluten free wafer or non-alcoholic wine.*

*At any of our Communion services, if you would like to receive Communion but find walking difficult, please speak to a Welcomer at the door and they will arrange for Communion to be brought to you in your seat.*

*This Church has a loop system. Hearing aid wearers should turn their aids to "T".*