St John's

Tuesday	10.30am	Holy Communion	
	2pm	Tea & Chat	
	8pm	Rectory Home Group	
Wednesday	1pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group	
Thursday	10.45am	Year 6 Visit from St John's School	
	2pm	Funeral of Peter Wong	
	8pm	Ascension Day Service	

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St John the Evangelist Great Stanmore 14th May 2023

Welcome

We are delighted to see you in church today and hope you enjoy your time with us.

If you are visiting (or new), please introduce yourself to the Clergy or Churchwardens.

Service today

Readings: Priest Matthew Stone Bible Readings: Acts 17:22-31 1 Peter 3:13-22

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9.30am PARISH COMMUNION Matthew Stone

Priest Matthew Stone Hymns:

NT 1 Bill Wyon 11 Alleluia, sing to Jesus

NT 2 Lorna Wyon 575 Seek ye first

Gospel Wendy Wall 238 Great is thy faithfulness

Sermon Lydia McLean Prayers Lydia McLean Welcome Danny Curran

Jackie Peters

Warden Jane Prentice

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST - MISSION STATEMENT

Drawn together by Christ's love, we seek by his grace to live out his commandments to love the Lord our God with all of our being; and to love everyone we come across as we love ourselves.

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The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Collect

Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Post Communion

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen.

Please remember to pray for:

Sick - Elsie Ashton, Marek Kepka, Callum Lilley, Ben Morton and Chris Woodcock.

RIP - Afolabi Nelson Banwo, Wendy Cottrell, Iain Taylor and Peter Wong

Church Flowers

The church flowers have been given by Janet Davis, Chris, Sarah & Matt in loving memory of Ray Davis.



Engage - 5pm Tonight

The Revd Ian Dowsett, Vicar of St Paul's South Harrow, is the speaker at this evening's contemporary service. His theme is "Hearing God's Voice."

Ascension Day - ThursdayJesus told his disciples he would always be with them, as well as promising them the gift of the Holy Spirit. He took them to the Mount of Olives, where it is believed they watched him ascend to heaven. Do come to our 8pm service which will include hymns and communion.

Firm Foundation

Firm Foundation is a local charity based in Harrow working with the homeless. We have supported their work in recent years with the provision of meals for their night shelter project.

Firm Foundation is looking for new trustees to join its board. Trustees' meetings are bi-monthly with occasional away days.

Matthew has a role description and the contact details for the Chair of Trustees if you are interested in finding out more.

Next Week's Bible Readings (Easter 7)

Àcts 1:6-14, 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11, John 17:1-11

Willesden Pilgrimage

Bishop Lusa thought it would be wonderful to finish the year long Willesden Pilgrimage of Prayer with a walk from St Mary's Willesden to St Paul's Cathedral on **23rd May**. We have all been invited to take part

It is accepted that not everyone will be able to walk the nine miles, so the pilgrimage has been divided up into sections in ways that hopefully will include everyone.

- The final leg begins at 10.15am, with prayer at St Mary's Willesden where the pilgrimage began in May last vear.
- There will be prayer for London from the viewpoint at the top of Primrose Hill for 1pm.
- And then there are two shorter walking sections from Holborn Station at 3.30pm and City Thameslink at 3.45pm.
- Finally, you could simply join for tea at 4pm and evensong 5pm at the end of the day at the Cathedral.

Bring your own lunch and drinks or buy at Primrose Hill Cafe at our lunch stop.

Please let Matthew know if you would like to take part and he will send you a link!

BBQ Thanks!

Enormous thanks to Shaun Knevett and his amazing team for Sunday's BBQ. It was amazing with 160 people attending!