St John's

Tuesday	10.30am	Holy Communion
	5.30pm	Light Party at Stanmore Baptist Church
Wednesday	12.30pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
Thursday	8pm Bell Ringing Practice (speak to Shaun)	
Friday	11am	Bentley Wood High School Visit

Who's who		
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St John the Evangelist **Great Stanmore 29th October 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

8am	HOLY COMMUNION	Bible Readings:
Priest	Wendy Wall	Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
		1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
		Matthew 22:34-46

9.30am	PARISH COMMUNION	Hymns:	
Priest	Wendy Wall	306	Imr

mortal, Invisible A New Commandment OT Edit Rees Nancy Pillay-Newton 340 Jesus Christ is Waiting NT Gospel Jean Orpwood (vs. 1, 3 & 5) Jean Orpwood Sermon 157 Firmly I Beliéve Jean Orbwood Pravers 678 Thy Hand O God Welcome Sylvia Daniels (vs. 1, 3 & 5) 10 Price

Graham Nicholson Warden

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 Last Sunday After Trinity

Collect

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Post Communion

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen.

Please remember to pray for:

Sick - Brenda Bostock, Ben Morton, Olive Oliver, John Whitfield and Chris Woodcock.

RIP - Edward Lynd and Jennifer Mintoft.

Church Flowers

The church flowers have been given by Lisa, Sara and Caitlin in loving memory of their mum and grandma, June Bertie.



Welcome to St John's Church! Our services today will be led by Wendy. Matthew is taking the services at All Saints' Harrow Weald as their Vicar is away.

St Paul's Cathedral 1st November (5pm)

Matthew has been invited to preach at Evensong which begins at 5pm. If you are in Central London and have the time to spare, Matthew would appreciate a friendly face in the congregation!

All-Age Service 5th November (9.30am)

Next Sunday we are having our monthly all-age service during which Sophia and Joshua (Junior Church members) will be baptised. Please pray for them and their families.

Annual Memorial Service 5th November (2.30pm)

If you would like a name read out in the service, please write it on the list which is on the table near the font.

Remembrance Sunday 12th November (9.45am)

A reminder that on Remembrance Sunday the Parish Communion will begin at the slightly later time of **9.45am.** This is to reduce the waiting time before the Act of Remembrance which will begin in the churchyard just before 11am.

Advent Carol Service

2nd December (5.30pm)St Paul's Cathedral has invited us to attend this uplifting service which will see the Cathedral Choir move throughout the building.

The choir will sing music which reflects the Advent themes of light and hope, together with readings from scripture and literature, and some of the best-loved of the Advent hvmns.

Tickets are free but on a first come first served basis Please let Karen (Parish Administrator) know by 19th November 2023 if you wish to go.

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Confirmation Service 10th December (10am)

The Bishop of Willesden is coming to St John's during Advent to admit children (Year 3 upwards) to communion, and for confirmation (Year 6 úpwards). If you are interested in taking this step in your faith, please speak to Matthew or Wendy. The classes will begin after half-term.

Amethyst

...has had her hair cut to raise money for The Little Princess Trust who provide wigs for children with cancer. Nancy is still collecting donations if you wish to support this worthwhile charity.