## St John's

Tuesday	10.30am	BCP Holy Communion
	2pm	Tea & Chat
	2.30pm	Bushey Home Group
	7pm	Hope Explored Course
Wednesday	12.30pm	Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group
Thursday	8pm	Bell Ringing Practice
Friday	11.30am	Funeral - T/L Audrey Saker

### Who's who

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### St John the Evangelist **Great Stanmore 21st April 2024**

**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.

#### **Services today**

<b>8am</b> Priest	HOLY COMMUNION Matthew Stone	<b>Bible Readings:</b> Acts 4:5-12 1 John 3:16-24 John 10:11-18
<b>9.30am</b> Priest NT 1 NT 2 Gospel Sermon Prayers Welcome Warden	PARISH COMMUNION Matthew Stone Nancy Newton Victoria Ward Wendy Wall Becky Stone Becky Stone Nigel Bayliss Pauline Bayliss Graham Nicholson	<ul> <li>Hymns:</li> <li>344 Jesus Is Lord</li> <li>584 Sing Of the Lord's Goodness (omit v2)</li> <li>97 Colours of Day</li> <li>81 Brother, Sister Let Me Serve</li> <li>385 Let Us Talent &amp; Tongues</li> <li>683 To God Be the Glory</li> </ul>

**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 Fourth Sunday of Easter

#### <u>Collect</u>

Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep: teach us to hear your voice and to follow your command, that all your people may be gathered into one flock, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

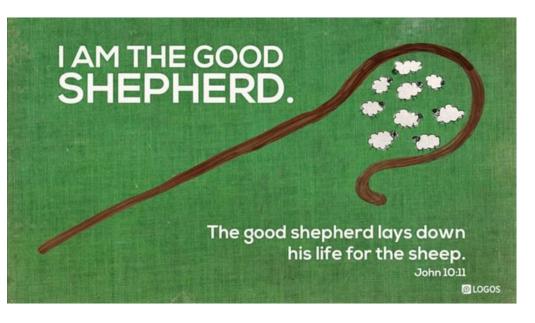
#### Post Communion

Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### Please remember to pray for:

Sick - Rose Akbar, Sheila Bond and George Fitzpatrick.

**RIP -** Julie-Ann Nicolaou, Audrey Saker, Bryan Siegertz and Delicia Theron.



**Junior Church Games** is taking place in Church House this afternoon between 2.30pm-3.30pm.

#### Hope Explored Course 23rd April (7pm)

There is still time to join this course which started last week. It is being held at Stanmore Baptist Church and begins with a meal.

#### Little Fishers Parent & Toddler Group

This wonderful group, ably led by Edit Rees, meets every Wednesday in Church House between 12:30pm-2pm. With the improving weather, it is now possible for the children to venture outside to use the play equipment. There is always a story, song, craft, snack and lots of fun!

Please tell you friends and neighbours about the group and encourage them to come along.

Access Church House via the double gates using the doorbell on the left-hand gate post.

#### Audrey Saker - RIP

Audrey's funeral will take place at 11:30am on 26th April in St John's Church, followed by committal at Breakspear (1pm). There will also be a reception at the Grims Dyke Hotel from 1.45pm.

Next Week's Bible Readings Acts 8:26-40 & John 15:1-8.

#### Annual Church Meetings 28th April

Do come to our annual meetings which are taking place, during Café St Jean, next Sunday in Church House.

The first meeting is 'The Annual Meeting of Parishioners' and will elect (or re-elect) the Churchwardens.

The second meeting is 'The Annual Parochial Church Meeting' or 'APCM' and will last for approximately 30 minutes. In this meeting a review of 2023 will take place including the adoption of the accounts. We will also elect four new PCC Members to serve 2024/2027

Following the recent revision the latest version of our Electoral Roll (ER) will be available on the font if you wish to check your entry.

You need to be on the ER to stand for election to the PCC or as a Churchwarden. Nomination forms are on the wooden cabinet (next to where the 'Warden on Duty' sits). All people on the ER are encouraged to put themselves forward.

#### Lent Appeal

The latest total (incl. Gift Aid) is  $\pounds 1,362.50$ . Enormous thanks to all those who have contributed to support the amazing work at St Luke's Hospice.