

This Week

Sunday 8am-1pm Sunday Worship
Monday 9:30am Churchyard 10:30 Funeral 7pm
Bellringing 8pm Mandolin Monday
Tuesday 6.30pm Office Hour 7:30pm Hand bell
ringing 8pm Wedding Rehearsal
Wednesday 9:00am Church cleaning 9:30
Churchwardens 12noon Words & Music 1.30pm
Knitting
Thursday 9.30am Morning Prayer Jazz 12noon
8pm Music Group practise
Friday Jazz 12noon 7pm St Johns Singers
Saturday ECO FESTIVAL 1PM –5PM

Come & Go Sunday Morning Worship

**"Come when you can
& Go when you like"**

Early Morning: 8am, 8.30am
Mid-Morning: 9.30am Songs of Praise
10-11am Welcome, Worship,
Word & Communion
Late Morning: 11.30am, 12pm
with lunch @ 12.30pm

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Sunday 24 Sept 2017

Welcome

Welcome to St John's, especially if
this is your first visit here. We hope
you enjoy worshipping with us.

Theme: Let God Shine

Readings:

Matthew 28:16-20

The great commission

Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee,
to the mountain where Jesus had told them
to go. When they saw him, they
worshipped him; but some doubted. Then
Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority
in heaven and on earth has been given to
me. Therefore go and make disciples of all
nations, baptising them in the name of the
Father and of the Son and of the Holy
Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything
I have commanded you. And surely I am
with you always, to the very end of the age.'

Romans 10:12-15

For there is no difference between Jew and
Gentile – the same Lord is Lord of all and
richly blesses all who call on him, for,
'Everyone who calls on the name of the
Lord will be saved.'

How, then, can they call on the one they
have not believed in? And how can they
believe in the one of whom they have not
heard? And how can they hear without
someone preaching to them? And how can
anyone preach unless they are sent? As it
is written: 'How beautiful are the feet of
those who bring good news!'

Matthew 25:34-36

'Then the King will say to those on his right,
'Come, you who are blessed by my Father;
take your inheritance, the kingdom
prepared for you since the creation of the
world. For I was hungry and you gave me

something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was ill and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.”

Today's Conversation Question: How do we, individually and as Church, presently share God's love with others?

Coffee is served by Michelle & Christine

Prayer Ministry available in the Prayer Chapel during mid-morning communion.

For your prayers:

Family and Friends of Inga Britt -Smith who recently passed away. Funeral will be at St John's on 3rd October at 12pm.

Patrick Devoy recovering at home after a recent accident.

Theme for September: Let God Shine

Our vision and purpose is being formulated and confirmed. Following prayer, discussion and reflection this reached a threshold stage in late June/early July. God has helped us reach a key stage and we need to look at this Church together. God has helped us with clarity and Alan will share what we now have with the whole Church. This will be over the latter three weeks of September,

Eco tip of the week: buy local- the rural activities centre is open 7 days a week 10-4 for runner beans, salad veg, plus honey from their own bees and eggs from their own chickens!

Harvest Festival 1st October we will be supporting Water aid, gift aid envelopes will be handed out today. We will also be asking for support with non perishables for Hillingdon foodbank more info on this during the notices.

Church cleaning takes place every Wednesday morning between 9am-11.30am. Anyone is welcome to come and help, there are jobs for all abilities! All equipment is provided. On Monday mornings 9.30am-12noon, the churchyard team meet to work on maintaining the churchyard. Anyone is welcome to come and help.



**Eco Festival
Saturday 30th Sept
1pm-5pm**

If you are on Facebook or twitter please share the posts that will be appearing -this will really help spread the word.

Bakers- please can you bake a cake to bring on the day?

We still need support with setting up and clearing away.

Unfortunately John Randall cannot join us for the festival (He has been appointed the PM's environmental adviser and has a meeting in Manchester)

Fliers are available at the back of church. Please take one to invite a friend.

Harvest Festival On Sunday 1st October as part of our harvest festival and Eco weekend, there will be an afternoon walk (one hour approx) followed by a cream tea (£3.50, children £1) and a film show. Booking essential- please add your name to the list for any/all of these.

Harlington Hospice Open Day 11th October 12pm-6pm . St Peters Way UB3 5AB. This is an opportunity to take a look inside and find out more about volunteering, staffing opportunities and the range of services provided to adults with advanced illnesses and those in need of end of life care. RSVP to Nikki by the 4th October

The metal gate to the south area of the Church yard has recently been renovated by Steve Birt (Christine Turners Son in law) in memory of Albert Freeland. There will be a special dedication ceremony on Sat 7th October at 12pm.

Mandolin Monday are playing at St Johns on the 14th October at 7:30pm more details to follow.

Deanery Synod 17th October here at St Johns Hillingdon! 7pm refreshments 7:30pm start.

The Christian resources exhibition returns to Sandown Park on October 17-19th tickets are £8 on the door or £4 if booked in advance online.

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