

A Warm Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Church, Hedge End



We hope you find joy and blessing in your time of worship with us.

- ◆ It may help you to know we have a **Loop system** operating in the church.
- ◆ You may wish to take advantage of our **Crèche** in the centre on **2nd and 4th Sundays** for babies & toddlers. We also have a Godly Play-based **Sunday School** for older children.
- ◆ If you are a taxpayer you can **Gift Aid** your offering by using one of the envelopes in the pews.

4th February, 2018 - 2nd Sunday Before Lent -

8.00 am - Holy Communion

Old Testament *Proverbs 8. 1, 22-31*
Gospel *John 1. 1-14*

9.45@945 - All Age Service

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6.00 pm - Sunset Café on the Emmaus Rd.



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FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For the World:

PRAY for The Anglican Church of Burundi

FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

We journey through Epiphany remembering the joy of Christmas, anticipating a prayerful Lent, and looking forward to Easter. We pray for Christians in nations where they are persecuted and where they must observe the changing Christian seasons in secret.

PRAY FOR:

We pray for children lacking basic needs such as food and clean water, a safe home, and a loving family. We pray for our sponsored child in Uganda, Mariam.

PRAYING FOR OUR PARISH PLAN

We pray for our growing links and regular collections for St James centre developing with a commitment to a growing relationship and understanding of what St James Trust does. We pray for the staff and the residents of all the projects run by the trust.

Lord we pray

NEIGHBOURS:

Albert Rd; Alexandra Rd; Pretoria Rd;
Newcliffe Gdns; Church La; Granada Rd;
Woodside Way.

Wildern Opportunities Group

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING:

Brian, Cyril, Caroline

DEPARTED:

Thelma English

MUSIC FOR TODAY - NHWS

Opening Hymn	122
Psalm (8 am)	104 (26-end)
Before Gospel	180
Offertory	46
HC1	269
HC2	29
HC3	70
Closing Hymn	247

NEXT SUNDAY

11th February, 2018
Sunday next before Lent

8.00 am - Holy Communion

<i>Old Testament</i>	<i>2 Kings 2. 1-12</i>
<i>Gospel</i>	<i>Mark 9. 2-9</i>

9.45am - Sung Eucharist

<i>Old Testament</i>	<i>2 Kings 2. 1-12</i>
<i>New Testament</i>	<i>2 Corinthians 4. 3-6</i>
<i>Gospel</i>	<i>Mark 9. 2-9</i>

9.45 am - Sunday School

Women's World Day of Prayer

In preparation; **Monday, 12th February, 10-15 to 2pm** in the Underhill Centre:

Reflection on the Bible reading led by deacon Carole Smith from the Methodist church.

- Music practice, no choir; we all join in.
- Presentation on Suriname; the country that has prepared this year's service.

All welcome. Please bring sandwiches and share lunch with folk from local churches, soup and hot drinks will be provided.

Margaret Dowle

PS. Service 2nd March- posters up soon

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

5th - 10th February

Monday:

9 am Hedge End WI -
Free Educational Day
6.15 pm Yoga Class (Mike)
7.00 pm HIAS

Tuesday:

9.30 am Table Tennis
10.30 am Counselling Meeting
12.30 pm FUNERAL - Thema English
2.45 pm Slimming World

Wednesday:

9.15 am Maraca Jacks
10.00 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Art Club
11.30 am FUNERAL -
Pauline Marion Sherman
12.00 pm Monkey Music
6.30 pm Yoga (Rae)
7.30 pm Vestry Hour

Thursday:

9.15 am Maraca Jacks
11.30 am Singing for Lungs
2.00 pm Crafty Afternoon

Friday:

9.15am Maraca Jacks
1.45 pm Breathe Easy
6.45 pm Choir Practise

Saturday:

10.00 am Wildlife Haven - Meeting
11.00 am Wedding Prep
4.00 pm Quiz Night & Supper

PRAYER MEETING

The next meeting of St. Johns IPM (Intercessory Prayer Ministry) is on Wednesday 7th February at 7.30 pm in the Underhill Centre (Matthew Room).

This month we will be praying for the growth and development of St. John's, our Parish Plan, for those living in debt, for victims of crime (which has increased by 14% in 2017), and for Mission India.

Please Join Us - Roy

PRAYER VIGIL (24th February)

There is a ecumenical prayer vigil across the globe on the **24th of every month**. On this day we pray with and for our brothers and sisters in Israel and the occupied Palestinian territory. Please join us for prayers for peace on **24th February** in Church **6.00 pm**.

St John's Quiz Night

with Ploughmans and Puds + raffle
Saturday 10th February
6pm for 6.30 pm start
(Bring your own drinks)

Teams of up to 8 people, or join a team on the night
Adults £8/children £4
Please add your names to list in Centre

Tickets in advance from Di Hawkins
on 01489 784587

Raising funds for the mission and outreach of St John's Church

The Funeral of Thelma English will take place here at St. John's at **12.30pm on Tuesday 6th February**. If you knew Thelma and would like to attend please do so.

Thank you - Dennis

PRAYER LIST

Please note that the prayer list will be renewed at the beginning of each month. Please contact the Parish Office with the names you would like to be included.

Thank You

Psalm 104 26-end (8 am) Said antiphonally

A There go the ships,
And Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

B These all look to you
To give them their food in due season;

A when you give to them, they gather it up;
When you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

B When you hide your face, they are dismayed;
When you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

A When you send forth your spirit, they are created;
And you renew the face of the ground.

B May the glory of the Lord endure for ever;
May the Lord rejoice in his works -

A who looks on the earth and it trembles,
Who touches the mountains and they smoke.

B I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

A May my meditation be pleasing to him,
For I rejoice in the Lord.

B Let sinners be consumed from the earth,
And let the wicked be no more.

A Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Praise the Lord!

**All Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
As it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be for ever. Amen**

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