



St John the Evangelist, Hedge End

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Sunday 5th April 2026

Easter Sunday

Revd Phil Aindow

9.30am Holy Communion

Readings: Jeremiah 31: 1-6
John 20: 1-18

3.00pm No Patch

6.30pm No evening service



WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S

We love meeting new people. If you are new to our congregation or visiting, it would be great to say hello. If you can, please stay for tea & coffee after the morning service.

As a church family there are many ways you can become involved. You can make a commitment to worship with us regularly, join us in our weekly activities and financially contribute to our work.

To make a donation to enable the church there is the basket at the back of church, a card machine next to it or there is the online giving page at www.achurchnearyou.com/church/18453/. If you would like to make a regular contribution please enquire about the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). You can find a leaflet at the entrance to the Underhill Centre.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

PRAY FOR: Alleluia, He is risen! As we celebrate the joy of Christ's resurrection and our own salvation, we pray for those Christians who must celebrate in secret. We ask You to move the hearts of the rulers in those lands that they will allow all faiths to worship openly.

PRAY FOR: We pray for all children and ask Your guidance for them in this uncertain world.

Pray for the situations in Israel, Palestine, Ukraine and Sudan.

ANGLICAN COMMUNION CYCLE: La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico – Primate Enrique Treviño Cruz

DIOCESAN LIFE: At Easter we pray for our link Provinces and Dioceses: Burundi, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, Uganda, Myanmar, Chile and Newcastle.

NEIGHBOURS: Netley Firs Close, Netley Hill, West End Road, Peewit Hill Close, Peewit Hill, Dodwell Lane, Boundary Acre and Ayreswood

FOR WHOLENESS & HEALING: Susan Phippard, Linda, David Lynch, Michael Rosendale, Roger Bailey, Alex A, Mary & Gerald Miller, Phil Raine, Lilly Quigley, Paul Green and Cheryl.

DEPARTED: Roger Bailey



Usual office opening hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday between 9.00 - 1.00pm.

Office closed Good Friday (3rd April)

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DIARY FOR THE WEEK
W/B 4th April

Saturday

10.00am Bee Creative (Downstairs)

Sunday

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Monday

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Tuesday

9.30am Table Tennis (All upstairs)

7.30pm Yoga with Julia (Matt & Mark)

Wednesday

9.30am Art Group (Upstairs)

9.30am Men's Shed (Downstairs)

1.30pm Hamble Valley Health (Downstairs)

6.30pm Pilates with Zoe (Matt & Mark)

7.30pm West End Singers (Luke)

7.30pm Mothers' Union (Downstairs)

Thursday

8.00am Slimming World (Downstairs)

2.00pm Crafty Thursdays (Downstairs)

Friday

10.00am Southern Health (Luke)

1.00pm Breathe Easy (Downstairs)

Saturday

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Next Sunday 12th April

Rev John Currin

9.30am Holy Communion

Readings: Acts: 2:14a, 22-32

John 20: 19-29

3.00pm No Patch

6.30pm No Evening service

Confirmation

Are you interested in finding out more about being Confirmed?

If you are not yet baptised, this can be incorporated into the Confirmation service too. If you are interested, please speak to Phil.

Sides people needed

Are you friendly and welcoming?

If so, we would love for you to be part of our sides-people team.

Please speak to David L to find out more.

St John's PCC

We have some vacancies on our PCC. Please prayerfully consider if this is something you would be able to be part of.

In addition to a general PCC member, we are also looking for people to fill the roles of:

Churchwarden

Deanery Synod Representative

Treasurer

Safeguarding Officer

Please speak to Phil or David L if interested.

Hampshire Police Male Voice Choir Concert

Saturday 25th April - 6.30 for 7.00pm

Early bird tickets now on sale!

£12.50 (standard price £15 from 12th April)

Everyone Welcome.

Please book tickets via iKnow or by completing an envelope and leaving in the Parish Office

<https://tickets.myknowchurch.co.uk/gb/OTMzLTl5/t>

Electoral Roll 2026

It is the time of year where we review our Electoral Roll in preparation for our APCM.

Sunday 26th April at 11am.

If you are already on the Electoral Roll you do not need to do anything—there is a list between the church and the UHC if you wish to check. If you are not on it and would like to be, please speak to Marsha, see attached form in weekly email or paper forms available outside the office.

Thank You

Good Friday Reflections — A Drop In Service

Friday 3rd April 2.00 - 4.00pm

Come and join us for a time of reflection to contemplate the events of Good Friday. There will be a reading, reflection and time of prayer, every 15 minutes, running from 2pm with the final one starting at 3.45pm.

Do pop in at a time that suits you and stay for as long as you wish.

Easter Sunday Sunrise Service

Sunday 5th April 6.15am—The Pontoon at River Hamble Park.

This Easter Sunday we will be celebrating Jesus' resurrection with a Sunrise service by the River Hamble. We will be joining in worship and communion in a short service, with congregations from St Paul's Bursledon, St Luke's, Hedge End and St James', West End.

Watching the sunrise over the water is quite amazing and there will be coffee and pastries afterwards ~ a great start to your Easter Day.

All are welcome and please wrap up warmly!

(Paid parking at Barnfield car park SO31 1BH)