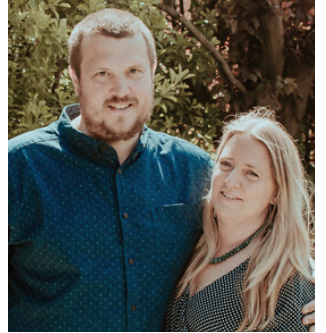


ST JOHN'S WEEKLY UPDATE

SUNDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

HELLO FROM THE VICARAGE!

This week we remember those who have served their country, given in the cause of peace, and even made the biggest sacrifice of laying down their life. Jesus said that 'There is no greater love than this, that someone would lay down their life for their friends.' (John 15:13)



Today (Sunday 12th) at 10am, we begin our service in Church and welcome the local organisations and those come to Remember. After the church service, we will go outside to gather at the war memorial and share together in an act of Remembrance. Everyone is welcome to join us. This will also be a joint service so there is no 4pm service this afternoon.

God bless, and see you soon, although I'm not in the centre this Tuesday as we have a funeral in Church.

Tom

WELCOME IF YOU'RE JOINING US TODAY

Our Sunday services are at 10am, 4pm (not today) and 6.30pm on the 1st.
We have a quiet service of Holy Communion, Wednesdays at 9.30am.

Our aim is: '*Together, to make Jesus known.*' We would love the chance to get to know you and share more of the life and faith of our church.

If you are visiting, please ask the welcome team for a welcome pack.
Prayer is usually available after the services.

More information is available at: stjohnssouthbourne.com
Including details of groups for all ages at various times through the week.

For any further information, please contact the Church office:
(01243) 375576 or email: admin@stjohnssouthbourne.com
Or for St Nicholas, Thorney Island, please go to stnicholastimeline.org.uk



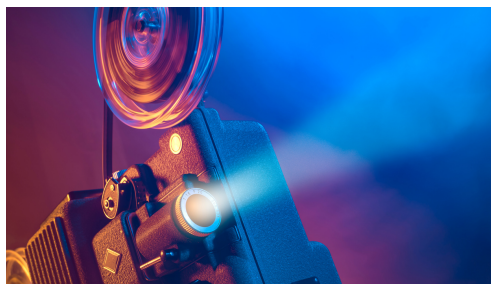
LATEST NEWS & UPDATES



Veterans Remembrance Service and Breakfast at St. John's on Thursday, 9th November.



There will be final clear up of leaves around the Church and Centre on Saturday at 9.30am ready for the Remembrance service on Sunday. It would be great if you could come along and help!



The Film Club is Tuesday, 14th November at 2.00pm. The film is about love, futility of war and how to make sense of the darkest times during the WW1. All donations will be given to the Royal British Legion.



Eco news Each year we throw away 300 million tonnes of plastic, and every 30 seconds somebody dies from diseases caused by plastic waste. Discarded plastic kills marine life, clogs rivers causing flooding, clutters landfill, and causes illness especially when burnt releasing toxic fumes. Please pray for the global conference meeting this week to address this issue, to restore creation and protect vulnerable communities.

Can you make 1 change this week to reduce the amount of single-use plastic you throw away?

Please pray for all the young people going to Mini May Camp this Friday that they have a good time of fellowship with other children across the Diocese.



It's not too late to join the singing group for the Christmas Carol Services on 17th December. See Mike Prosser for more information, or come along to the rehearsal at 7.30pm on Wednesday in the Centre



FAMILIES IN NEED CHRISTMAS 🎄 APPEAL

If you would kindly like to consider contributing to our appeal please speak with Julie....

We are hoping to support families who are struggling to provide presents for their children and buy the extra Christmas goodies we possibly for granted.

We are also holding a Christmas hot turkey and ham baguette afternoon tea **SATURDAY 9TH DECEMBER 11AM-2PM CHURCH LOUNGE**

Please [sign up here](#) or the sheet at the back of church.

Julie Fair

MISSION
OF THE MONTH

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Serving In Mission



This is the church that Steven and Jo serve at.

Jo is teaching children's Sunday school & ladies group. Steven is helping to build up the Leadership through Bible Stories & is on the preaching rota.



Street Prayer 9.30am on Tuesday.

This week we will be praying for:

Prinsted East & Frarydene.

We will also be including our prayers for People who give us personal services – Refuse Collectors, Post persons, Milk and other deliveries, and not forgetting those who do Street Cleaning



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Online Prayer is on zoom. [Click here to join.](#) Meeting ID: 832 7893 7113. Passcode: 141540



Sunday, 12 November

10:00am **Remembrance Service at Church and then at the war memorial**
6:30pm **Online Prayer at Zoom**

Monday, 13 November

8:30am **Online Prayer at Zoom**
10:00am **Homegroup at Lounge**

Tuesday, 14 November

9:00am **Coffee Connect at Foyer**
2:00pm **Film Club at Upstairs**
6:00pm **Japan Prayer Group at Prayer Room**

Wednesday, 15 November

9:00am **Coffee Connect** at Foyer
9:30am **Communion** at Church
10:30am **Nurture Group** at Prayer Room
7:30pm **Singing Practise** at Lounge
7:50pm **Men's Football** at The Bourne Leisure Centre

Thursday, 16 November

8:30am **Online Prayer** at Online - Zoom
9:00am **Coffee Connect**
10:00am **St John's Tots** at Centre Hall
3:00pm **Book Club** at Lounge
7:30pm **Book Club** at Lounge

Friday, 17 November

9:30am **Praise & Prayer** at Church
5:00pm **Mini MayCamp** at St. Andrews Church, Burgess Hill

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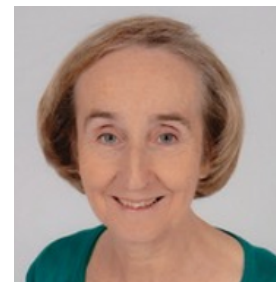
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