

Sunday 30th November

St. John's

10:30am All-Age Holy Communion

Resurrection of the dead

Leader: James Dudley-Smith

Preacher: Ben Graham

St. Andrew's

3pm Advent Carol Service

St. John's

6:30pm Evening Service

Psalm 93

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Weekly Notice Sheet

WELCOME

New here?

If you are visiting, or here for the first time, please do come and say hello. We would love to get to know you.

After the service

Tea and coffee will be served. You are very welcome to stay and join us.

Here with children?

Our 10:30am service at St. John's is an All-Age Service. This means the children stay in for the whole service to learn and worship with us. We have an area for under 5s available at the front-right of the church, where you will find books, colouring sheets and a few Bible story bags. You are welcome to use this area mindfully with your children throughout the service.

Any questions?

Please speak to the welcome team on the door; they will be happy to help.

Services next Sunday: 7th December 2025

St. Andrew's | 9:30am

Holy Communion

Romans 13:11-14

St. John's | 10:30am

All-Age Service

Nativity

St. John's | 6:30pm

Holy Communion

Psalm 94

ON EVERY WEEK

Footprints

(parent & toddler group)

Mondays | 10am | Schoolrooms

Holy Communion

Tuesdays | 10:30am |

St. John's Church

Tiny Toes

(parent & baby group)

Thursdays | 10am | Schoolrooms

Gone Fishing Café

Thursdays | 10am - 12pm |

St. John's Church

Pew Runner Team

Thursdays | 1:30pm |

Schoolrooms

FAN Prayer

Fridays | 9am | Schoolrooms

Youth

Fridays | 7pm | Schoolrooms

COMING UP THIS WEEK...

The Loop

Sunday 30th November | 4:30 - 6pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

Bible discussion group for anyone exploring faith. The Loop is currently dashing through the whole Bible, to see how it all fits together as one story, to show us who God is and how he loves us. If you feel like you don't know the Old Testament very well, or you need to understand how it fits with Jesus and the New Testament, this will help you! Total beginners very welcome – and anyone else! 4:30pm on Sunday 2nd, 16th and 30th November. More details: rev.bengraham@gmail.com

Men's Fellowship Group

Wednesday 3rd December | 2:30 - 4:15pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

If you're looking for fellowship, Bible study, coffee, tea & cake – you would be very welcome. Please contact Tim Thurgood for more information.

First Wednesday

Wednesday 3rd December | 7:30 - 9pm | Zoom

This month's prayer meeting will be held on Zoom only, we will not be meeting in the Schoolrooms through the winter months. If you would like to join us and are not already on the email list, please contact Emma in the church office so you can be added.

Food for Thought

Thursday 4th December | 12:30 - 2pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

For those wanting to find out about the Christian faith in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. Is there someone you may want to invite along? For more details, please contact maryirwin@capuk.org

Festive Fun at Captain's Table

Saturday 6th December | 12:30 - 3pm | St. Andrew's Church Hall

Only a few spaces left! We look forward to seeing you on Saturday for lots of festive fun!

The People's Choir Concert: A Winter's Tale

Saturday 6th December | 7:15pm | St. John's Church

Come and enjoy an uplifting choir performance featuring several members of our own church family.

Tickets £10 under 18s free. Raffle and refreshments. Musical director James Crawshaw. Accompanist Becky Dudley-Smith.

NOTICES

Photography Exhibition: Celebrating 90 Years of Norman Browne

Thank you to everyone who has supported Norman's photography exhibition this week to raise money for CAP & St. John's. We would also like to wish Norman a very happy 90th birthday, we had a wonderful time celebrating together at cafe on Thursday.

Are you aged 18-30?

And would you say that church and Christian faith are new to you within the last three years or so? The C of E has asked us to invite you to take part in a survey so that recent faith experiences and 'journeys' of young adults can be better understood. You can see details by following the QR code above. Or have a word with Ben or James.



Can you stay and help?

If you are able to spare some time after the service today, please could you stay and help to dismantle the photography exhibition? Lin Hann will be coordinating. Many thanks.

CAP Christmas Tea

Please pray for this event and if you are able to help the team by contributing cakes, sandwiches, etc, then speak with Rowena directly or see the sign-up list at the back of the church. Thank you.

Candles for Ukraine

Old, new, or partly-used candles of any sort and in any condition can be donated to assist war-affected people in Ukraine. You may take them yourself to Lufton Church which is organising this, but if you bring them to St. Andrew's or St. John's we will make sure they get to the right place.

- Wardens, welcomers, stewards at St. John's: There is a box in Andy's office for you to put collected candles in. Many thanks.

Sleeping Bags Needed

We are soon to issue some initial guidelines for how to respond to our homeless visitors. We would like to keep two sleeping bags in the office just to be issued over the weekends if needed. If anyone has a sleeping bag that they no longer need, could you please drop Lin an email at linhann@btinternet.com

St. Andrew's Carol Service with Yeovil Chamber Choir and 'Toy' Service

During the afternoon Carol Service in St. Andrews on Sunday 14th December when Yeovil Chamber Choir will be joining us, we will be collecting gifts of toys (new and unwrapped) which will be given to Social Services for their work with local less privileged families. Please come and join us at 3:00 pm for this lovely service.

Light up a Life: Remembrance Service

Sunday 7th December | 2:30 - 4pm | St. John's Church

St. Margaret's Hospice warmly invite you to join them for a special remembrance service at St. John's Church as part of their Light up a Life appeal. *'Together we will honour and remember those we love through music, readings, quiet reflection and the gentle lighting of candles. Whether you are recently bereaved or remembering someone from years past, this service is open to all.'*

To reserve your place and make a dedication, please click the link below.

<https://www.st-margarets-hospice.org.uk/event/remembrance-service-at-st-johns-church/>

Join Woborns Almshouse as a Trustee

Woborns Almshouse is a charity dedicated to providing affordable housing for elderly or disadvantaged people who have lived in the ancient parish of Yeovil for at least five years. James DS is a trustee, and would be delighted to talk with any member of our churches who would consider joining the board of trustees.

The Whole Story

This is an initiative of the Bread café, and anyone can take part. The plan is to read the whole bible aloud in a week, in the café. 7th to 13th December. If you would like to sign up for a slot that week, visit <https://breadcafe.org/thewholestory> and book in to read aloud for an hour or so.