

Sunday 7th December

St. Andrew's

9:30am Holy Communion

Romans 13:11-14

Leader: Doug Johnson

Preacher: Doug Johnson

St. John's

10:30am All-Age Service

Nativity Service

Leader: Candy Price

Preacher: Ben Graham

St. John's

6:30pm Holy Communion

Psalms 94

Leader: James Dudley-Smith

Preacher: James Maitland

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: 14th December 2025

St. John's | 10:30am

Holy Communion
The Incarnation

St. Andrew's | 3pm

Christmas Carol Service
& Toy Service

St. John's | 6:30pm

Evening Service
Psalm 95

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...

Christmas Choir Rehearsal

Sunday 7th December | 12 - 1pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

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 visit:

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

The sUpper Room

Thursday 11th December | 6 - 8pm | St. John's Schoolrooms

Please pray that those who come along to cook & eat together, will experience friendship, welcome and a sense of community.

Christmas Choir Rehearsal

Friday 12th December | 7:30pm | St. John's Church

NOTICES

School Carol Services This Week

Please pray for Bucklers Mead (at St. John's on Monday), Preston School (at St. John's on Wednesday), and Huish Primary School (at St. John's on Thursday). **Please note**, there will be NO Gone Fishing Cafe this Thursday due to school carol service rehearsals. Thank you for your understanding.

Church Christmas Services

Please take and use our Christmas publicity postcards, to invite friends, family, or any group you are involved with. They can be found at the back of church.

St. Andrew's

Sunday 14th December | 3pm | St. Andrew's Carol Service
Christmas Day | 9:15am | St. Andrews, Holy Communion

St. John's

Wednesday 17th December | 1:15 - 1:45pm | Lunchtime Carol Service
Sunday 21st December | 6:30pm | Christmas Carol Service
Christmas Eve | 4pm | Children's Carol Service
Christmas Eve | 11pm | Late Night Holy Communion
Christmas Day | 10:30am | Christmas Celebration for all ages

CAP Christmas Tea

Sunday 14th December

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.

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.

Glastonbury Brass Concert

Sunday 14th December | 2:30pm | St. John's Church

Glastonbury Brass will be bringing the festive cheer to Yeovil with a Christmas-y afternoon of fantastic music in St. John's Church! Doors open at 14:00. Tickets: www.ticketsource.co.uk/glastonburybrass/yeovil-christmas-concert/e-jozjqy

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.



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

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.