



St John the Evangelist East Dulwich

1st November 2015

ALL SAINTS' DAY

Welcome to St. John's church, and a particular welcome to any visitors here today. If you are a newcomer or visitor to St. John's, please do make yourself known to one of our Pastoral Carers who are wearing red sashes, and join us for refreshments at the back of church after Sung Mass. Communicant members of all Christian denominations are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

LOOP SYSTEM - Please turn your hearing aid to the T position.

08.00 Said Mass

Celebrant and Preacher: The Revd. Anne Clarke

10.00 Sung Mass

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Introit: Plainsong proper

Opening Hymn: 381

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia

Offertory Hymn: 226 (*Collection taken during this hymn*)

Anthem: With a voice of singing - Martin Shaw

Communion Hymn: 396

Final Hymn: 478

Voluntary: Gavotte from Sonata on C, Op.1, No. 7 - G F Handel

Organist: John Webber

11.30 **Children's Mass** The Venerable Dr Bill Jacob

18.00 **Requiem for All Souls Tide** The Venerable Dr Bill Jacob (Setting: Gabriel Fauré)

CHILDREN: Every Sunday there is a Crèche (pre-school) and most Sundays there is Sunday School (primary school age). Please ask one of our Churchwardens or Pastoral Carers and they will direct you. If you have children with you and they become restless please take them into the Centre Foyer so as not to disturb those who may be listening or praying. **PARENTS AND CARERS PLEASE NOTE: UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES** should children, toddlers or babies be left on their own at any time on these premises.

GIVING TO ST. JOHN'S If you are a U.K. taxpayer, please Gift Aid using the yellow envelope provided for your offering or complete a Planned Giving form available at the Information Point.

Please take this sheet home with you for use during the week

The Collect:

Almighty God,
you have knit together your elect
in one communion and fellowship
in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living
that we may come to those inexpressible joys
that you have prepared for those who truly love you;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

A reading from the book of Revelation (21.1-6a)

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.' And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' 6 Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end.'

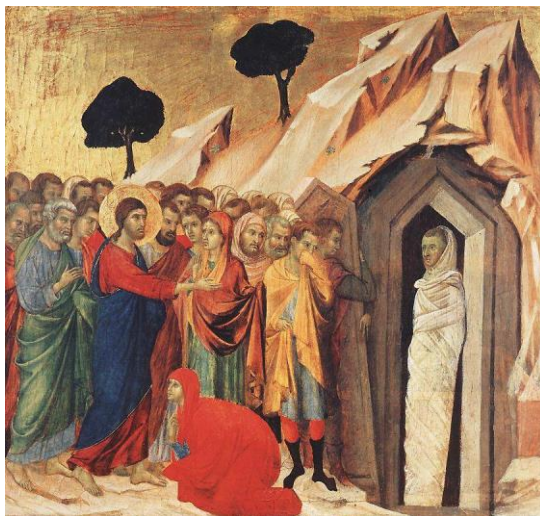
This is the Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm 24 (8 o'clock only)

R\): The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John (11.32-44)
When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?' Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

This is the *Gospel of the Lord*.



The Raising of Lazarus - Duccio di Buoninsegna (14th century)

TODAY

SIMPLE GIFTS: The Gift of Lady Chapel Altar Candles has been given today by June Walker, to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, Ossie Walker.

11.30 Wardens' Meeting

DIARY

Mon 2 November	<i>All Souls Day</i>
Tue 3 November	18.30 <i>Goose Green Centre Sub-Committee</i> 19.30 <i>Staff meeting (Vestry)</i>
Thu 5 November	12.00 <i>Said Mass</i> 12.30 <i>Goose Green Lunch Club</i> 20.15 <i>Choir Practice (Vestry)</i>
Fri 6 November	7:45 - 10:45 <i>Young people's meal and film night</i>
Sun 8 November	Remembrance Sunday
	8.00 <i>Said Mass</i>
	10.00 <i>Sung Mass</i>
	11.00 <i>Act of Remembrance</i>
	18.00 <i>Silent Prayer Group</i>

OTHER NOTICES

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHINESE MEAL AND FILM NIGHT Friday, 6 November

7.45-10.45pm (For year 9 and above)

At Louise Pollard's home -19 Bawdale Road SE22 9DL

Cost £5 - all food and drink included

RSVP to Katherine Lyon (email: katlyon66@gmail.com; text: 07876233948)

Or in person to Julie Whitney, Louise Pollard or Katherine

SILENT PRAYER GROUP

6.00 pm Sunday, 8 November

This month the Silent Prayer Group will be meeting on 8 instead of 1 November. In December the Silent Prayer Group will be meeting twice, on 6th and 13th, at 6 pm. We invite you to take a break from busy Christmas preparations and join us as we wait for Christ's coming at Christmas. Each meeting will follow our usual pattern, with an opening prayer, half an hour of silence for people to use as they wish, and a closing prayer.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

11am-3pm

Saturday 28

November

Our Christmas Fayre needs you! Would you like to run a stall? Help set out or pack up? Organise Children's activities? Ask local businesses for raffle prizes? Could you make a cake, biscuits, jams or Christmas puddings? Or items for the gift stall? Do you have an idea for a stall you would like to run?

This is your opportunity to sort out your second-hand toys, books, Christmas decorations, jewellery and redundant presents.

We particularly need:

- small prizes for Lucky dips - for both children and grown-ups.
- bottles for the Bottle Tombola (especially wine)
- toiletries for Toiletries Tombola
- Christmas decorations, old or new

You can bring your contributions any Sunday morning or on the day.

The church will also be open on:

Saturday 14 November 9.30-11.00 am

Saturday 21 November 9.30-11.00 am

Friday 27 November 6-8 pm

If you would like to help, **please see the notice at the back of the church** or contact: Christine Camplin (christine.bannan@virgin.net; tel: 020 7732 9243) or Sally Gross (sally.gross@btinternet.com)

AND please take a poster and flyers from the back of the church to advertise our Fayre!

WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM YOUR PARISH PRIEST?

Michael and I would like your help as we prepare to advertise for a new Parish Priest. We need to pull together several documents for the Diocese and prospective candidates and would greatly appreciate your help. At the back of the Church there is a comments board, provided with "post it", notes where we would like you to "post" your suggestions, comments, and ideas on the subject of "What do you want from your Parish Priest" so that we can incorporate them into the documents. The comments board will be at the back of the church for three weeks and there will also be one in the Sunday School. Rachel Mills

ADULT CHOIR

The weekly adult Choir would welcome recruits - particularly with the Christmas season approaching! Rehearsals are on Thursdays at 8.15p.m. and we meet on Sundays at 9.20a.m, with occasional extras. Please let John know if you are interested: maggieandjohn1@gmail.com

DON'T BE ALONE THIS CHRISTMAS

Christmas Day Party for the disabled and elderly of Southwark at Bacon's College, Rotherhithe. If you would like to nominate suitable people for this event please contact Ken Deller by Wednesday, 9th December.

SYRIA CRISIS APPEAL - The PCC has made a generous donation of £1,000 towards Save the Children's Syria Crisis Appeal. A thank you letter is on the Charitable Giving noticeboard at the back of church.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL

Poppies are on sale at the back of church. The Legion gives practical, emotional and financial support to serving members of the Armed Forces, veterans of all ages and their families. Please give generously.

PHOTOS FOR OUR WEBSITE

Have you taken any photos of activities at St John's in the last few months? Or could you take some of future events? We would like to create a picture of life at St John's on our parish website. Please send your digital photos to Christine at christine.bannan@virgin.net. (Written parental consent will be needed for us to publish any images of children.)

WILL AID is a special partnership between the legal profession and nine UK charities. Every November local participating solicitors waive their fee for writing or updating a basis Will. Instead, they invite clients to make a voluntary donation to Will Aid. Please see leaflets at the back of church for further information.

ORGAN RECITAL

7.45 pm Sunday 8 November

Christ's Chapel Dulwich. Anthony Burns-Cox (Romsey Abbey)

Admission free / retiring collection

SIMPLE GIFTS Many of you have asked how else you can contribute to our worship by way of a one-off donation, in addition to your regular giving. In response, we have launched: *Simple Gifts*, a way in which you can make a donation towards different aspects of our worship. Your donation will be dedicated to the gift you have chosen and will be recorded with thanksgiving and to the Glory of God during the Notices and on the Pew Sheet. You will find the *Simple Gifts* leaflet at the back of the church. If you would like to give a donation towards any of the items, please place it (cheques should be made payable to 'St. John's PCC') in one of our yellow envelopes hand it, together with your completed form, to a member of the Clergy, a Churchwarden or the Parish Administrator.



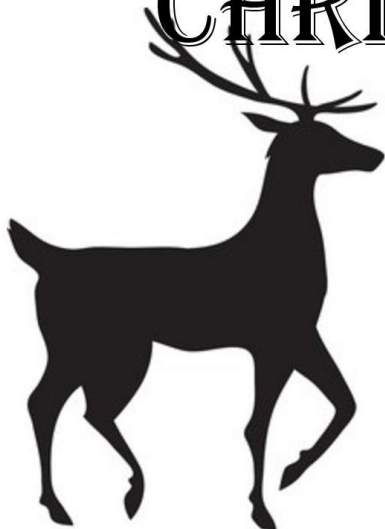
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SATURDAY 28th November

11am—3pm

Goose Green Centre, East Dulwich Road

CHRISTMAS FAYRE



Children's entertainer:

Boo Hiccup, Santa's Grotto,
Elves' Workshop, Face Painting,
Magic Table...Brass Group
(with traditional carols), Opal Flutes'
mini concert and a Medley of live
music to entertain you while you
shop.

Hot refreshments + mulled wine and
mince pies, tea and home made
cakes.

Gifts-Christmas produce-Books-Toys-Fairtrade-
Jewellery-Pottery-knitted & sewn goods - Christmas
cards & decorations-Collectables.

Grand Raffle & Tombola!

Admission £1. Accompanied children FREE
www.stjohnseastdulwich.org



THE PARISH OFFICE

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Website <http://www.stjohnseastdulwich.org/>

Parish Administrator: Christine Abbott

The Parish Office is normally open to visitors from 11 until 1 on Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays for general enquiries. **Outside those times** please either telephone or e-mail. For information about banns, weddings, baptisms etc. please contact the Parish Office.

Pew Sheet Notice

All notices for the Pew Sheet to be passed, as usual, to the Parish Office (020 8693 3897/e-mail: stjohnsse22@hotmail.com), preferably via e-mail, by 10.00 on **TUESDAY** mornings please with a copy to Christine Camplin at: christine.bannan@virgin.net. Thank you.

THE GOOSE GREEN CENTRE

For Centre/hall bookings and enquiries please contact the Centre Manager.

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