

# Welcome



***6<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> July***

## Welcome to St John's

Thank you for being with us here at St John's.

Whether you are worshipping with us for the first time today or have been worshipping for many years, we pray that you will feel the love of God in our midst.

Please stay for refreshments after the service if you wish, all are welcome.

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## **Sunday services for 6<sup>th</sup> July** (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Trinity)

*Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.*

**Presiding** Reverend Canon Stephen Bowen

**Readings** 2 Kings 5.1-14

Gospel: Luke 10.1-11, 16-20

**Organist** Richard Stephens

**Hymns** (60) Be still, for the presence of the Lord  
(552) Praise the Lord, ye heavens, adore him  
(324) I, the Lord of sea and sky

## **Prayer**

*Please pray for*

John Harmsworth

David Mills

Mary Nickerson

Ann Everett

Jeanette Tucker

Shirley Rayson

Diana Smith

Polly Baker

Martyn and Ann Hooper



*Rest in peace*

**Joyce Baker** (funeral will take place on Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 11.00 a.m.)

## **West Buckland Services**

This is the usual pattern of services at St Mary's, West Buckland. All are welcome.

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

Lay-led Morning Worship at 11.00 a.m.

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month

Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m.

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month

Join St John's Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m.

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month

Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m.

## What's on this week

### Sunday

*Holy Communion 9.30 a.m.*

Please note there is no 8.00 a.m. service this month as Colin is on holiday.

### Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July

*St John's Primary School Chaplains in hall 12 noon to 4.00 p.m.*

### Tuesday

*Talking Cafe 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. Advice from the Village Agent*

*Slimming World in the hall 6.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.*

### Wednesday

*Wednesday Sings 10.00 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the hall*

*Slimming World in the hall 4.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.*

### Thursday

*BCP Communion 10.00 a.m. with Reverend Ian Brierley*

*Electrical survey in church all day after 11.00 a.m.*

*Blackdown Community Choir friends and family concert in church 8.00 p.m.*

### Saturday

*St John's Coffee Morning 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.*

## Coming Up

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> July

*Chen Pure Harmony Sound Bath 3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. in the hall*

### Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July

*St John's Primary School in church all day*

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July

*NCT Group 9.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. in the hall*

### Monday 21<sup>st</sup> July

*St John's Primary School Leavers Service 1.30 p.m. in church*

### Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

*Funeral of Joyce Baker in the church 11.00 a.m., followed by a wake in the hall*

*Foundation Safeguarding Training in the church 2.30 p.m.*

### Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> July

*Armed Forces Outreach Service 1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. in the hall*

### Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July

*NCT Group 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. in the hall*

*David Price Organ Recital 7.00 p.m. in church*

### Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July

*NCT Group 9.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. in the hall*

### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July

*NHS Breast Care Awareness event 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. in the church*

## **St John's Coffee morning 12<sup>th</sup> July**

St John's Church is holding a Coffee Morning in the church hall on Saturday 12th July from 10.00 a.m. to 12 noon. There will be a variety of stalls including cakes, cards, and a raffle. Refreshments will be available. Proceeds will go to church funds, so please come along and support this if you can. All are welcome.

## **Blackdown Community Choir Concert 10<sup>th</sup> July**

Blackdown Community Choir, who use St John's Church to practice every Thursday evening, will be holding an informal concert on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> July at 8.00 p.m. This is a great opportunity to see them sing and to raise money for their chosen charity on the evening. Everyone is welcome to come along.

## **St John's Organ Recital on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 7 p.m.**

For many years, the concert organist David Price, who now lives in Thailand, has given an annual recital tour of English church and cathedral organs. We have engaged David, who is also an Anglican priest in Thailand, to come to St John's as part of this year's tour and provide a recital on **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 7 p.m.** It has been agreed that admission to the recital will be by donation. David Price will give 50% of the takings towards our efforts to pay for the costs of installing a new working processor in the organ, amounting to £4000. As you may already know, the St John's instrument is highly regarded by organists who play for our services and has a good regional reputation too.

David's programme will last about 45 minutes, and he has deliberately selected a programme that will have a wide and popular appeal. Free refreshments will be available before the recital. Please do support the occasion so that we can maintain the excellence of our church organ. Thank you.

## **Richard Elloway's Swimathon**

As some of you might know, Richard Elloway, a member of our church, is taking on the challenge of raising several thousand pounds towards the refurbishment of the rear door used by people with mobility issues. He has now begun his swim in which he aims to swim a total of 45 miles, about 2500 lengths in the Wellington Sports Centre pool. You can keep up to date with his progress on the noticeboard in the porch at the church. So far, he has swum almost 600 lengths and raised almost £3,000. If you haven't donated already, please support Richard in achieving his target by signing the sponsorship form on a table near the font. Thank you.

