



FAMILY NEWS

FROM
ST JOHN'S EALING

Sunday 12th July 2026

Dear friend,

Below, you'll find details of our upcoming services & events for this week and next at St John's. Do check our website www.stjohnsealing.org.uk for the latest updates, news and details of all future courses and events.

A message from Rev Jane Morris

Can I introduce you to **#PrayJuly?**

Over recent months, we have been listening to God's call to 'seek him with all our hearts' (Jeremiah 29:13). As part of this call to prayer, it is also good to pray more widely for all that God is doing. #PrayJuly is an initiative that I have been part of that is calling people to pray every day this month for God to move in our land and particularly in the Church of England. This next weekend the General Synod of the Church of England is meeting in York and there are some very key matters that need our prayers. In particular there are links here to daily prayers on various social media platforms.

Will you join me and others to [#PrayJuly?](#)

This Weekend

Holy Communion Service

Sunday 12 July | 10am | Church

Join us at 10am for our Holy Communion service where we have our final talk on generosity. Our reading will be from: **2 Corinthians 9 : 1-11**

Café Church

Sunday 12 July | 5.45–7pm | Church Lounge

Join our informal, café style service, with teaching and sharing of faith stories, prayer and discussions, as well as refreshments throughout.

Next Week

Morning Worship

Sunday 19 July | 10am | Church

Join us at 10am for our Morning Worship where we will start the next series on worship.

Other News

The Next 150 Project

As we look to the future, we are excited to have launched **The Next 150 Project** — our plan to renew and strengthen St John's for the next generation. Over the coming months we'll be raising funds to **plug our current £60,000 budget deficit** and to reach our **£800,000 project goal**. We began with **£220,000**, and since launching last weekend we've already received **£4,000 toward the deficit** and **£21,000 toward the project** through donations and the sale of mugs, brochures, and blankets. You can read more in our project brochure, and if you can start or increase regular giving, make a one-off donation or add Gift Aid, please use our giving pledge form. Thank you for praying, giving, and journeying with us as we invest in the future of our church.

Looking Ahead

Summer Worship

Sunday 26th July-30th August

August is our **Sabbath** month—a time for the whole church to slow down and rest. During August, only the following services will continue:

Sunday Morning Service (shorter services)

Wednesday Midweek Communion

All other regular activities will pause and resume in **September**.

London Open House Festival

Saturday 12 September|10am-3.30pm |Crypt and Church

St John's Church will be part of the **London Open House Festival** this year! We will have the 150th exhibition back and will offer tours of the building. Please do come along between **10.30am and 3.30pm** as we welcome our neighbours into the church. The festival programme will be available from 15 July 2026, and we will be preparing leaflets to invite the whole parish (for distribution in early September). We're also planning a night of music and readings (of our history) - which will be an opportunity to invite anyone to.

Community

Ealing Foodbank

Please consider donating to the basket in the lounge. We have plenty of pasta, soup and baked beans. The July shopping list can be found here:

<https://ealing.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

You can also now use a platform called 'Give Today' to purchase the food items that are needed the most via this link: <https://givetoday.co.uk/ealingfoodbank/>

Church Office Contact Details

Church Office hours are **Monday to Friday from 10:00am to 12:00pm**. If you need to contact the office, please email **office@stjohnsealing.org.uk**

Wishing you a blessed weekend :)

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