

Events & Services

Monday 21 2.00pm - Everybody Counts - Summer
Conversations in the Parish Room (*see notices*)

Tuesday 22 9.15am - Morning Prayer

Thursday 24 9.30am - Parish Office Open
9.30am - Midweek Communion
with Rev Barry Overend

Next Sunday: 27 July - The Sixth Sunday after Trinity
9.30am - Zest Communion
11.00am - Holy Communion
with Rev Cayte Norman

First time here?

Welcome! It's so good to see you. We'd love for you to join us for refreshments and a chat in the Parish Room between the services. We can answer any questions or just get to know you better, whether you are visiting or looking for a new church to call home! Please fill out a 'New to St John's' form so we can stay in touch.

Parish Office

Thursday mornings from 9.30am—12pm. The administrator works remotely Tuesday & Wednesday and is contactable via email or mobile (details below). If you need to come into the office on another day, please contact to arrange. Any holiday exceptions will be noted in the Parish Notes ahead of time.

Contact Us

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Parish Notes - Sunday 20 July 2025 The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

ST JOHN THE DIVINE, MENSTON

Today's Services

9.30AM **ZEST** - AN INFORMAL AND CREATIVE TIME
OF WORSHIP

*Please join us in the Parish Room between
the services for Fairtrade tea and coffee*

11.00AM **HOLY COMMUNION** - TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
(CHURCH OF ENGLAND)

Readings: Amos 8: 1 - 12 (Old Testament page 871)
Luke 10: 38 - 42 (New Testament page 69)

Hymns: Immortal, invisible
O thou who camest from above
Teach me my God and King
Seek ye first

3.00PM **THE CORE** - A SPACE FOR 7 - 11 YEAR OLDS TO
WONDER



Parish Notices

PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday 31 July, opening instead on Wednesday 30 July. If you have any notices or prayer requests for the Parish Notes, please let the administrator know by 5pm on Tuesday 29 July. Thank you!

MORNING PRAYER

Join us for a time of morning prayer on Tuesdays at 9.15am. It will be a quiet time of prayer, following the CoE Morning Prayer for the day. There will usually be someone there to lead, but if not take the time to pray yourself, in quiet or as you are moved.

BRICK CHURCH - SUNDAY 17 AUGUST, FROM 2PM

We will be running our first Brick Church event, where we will be using Lego to create visual aids for Bible stories. We'll be open from 2pm for all people aged 7 and over who enjoy building with Lego and being creative. If you, or anyone you know, has any unwanted Lego that you're willing to donate to church, it would be most gratefully received. Please reach out to us via the office, Facebook message or email children@stjohnmenston.org.uk and we will arrange for some one to pick it up. Please be aware that once the Lego has been donated it will be mixed in with all other church Lego and so it won't be possible to reclaim the donated pieces afterwards, so please be certain before donating! Looking forward to seeing you there, come and be!

BIG STAY&PLAY

8 & 22 August, 9:30am to 11:30am in the parish room. Light refreshments, Craft, playdoh, biscuit decorating, toys, games, dancing and bubbles! BIG Stay&Play is a wonderful chance to show our community the love and grace of God! If you or anyone you know has little ones at home during the holidays, come along! We'd love to see you. If anyone would like to help in the kitchen or welcoming, please get in touch with Jen via email (jrsheppard9@gmail.com) or at Zest.

EVERYBODY COUNTS - SUMMER CONVERSATIONS

Over summer we are going to spend some time reflecting on what it means to be inclusive and a community for all. Come along to any session for some time together and informal conversation:

- * Parish Room - Mondays at 2pm on 21 & 28 July, 4 & 11 August.
 - * Malt Shovel - Tuesdays at 8pm on 19 & 26 August, 2 & 9 Sept.
 - * Online - Thursdays at 7pm on 7, 14, 21 August & 4 September.
- Online sessions will take place on Zoom - Meeting ID: 919 2421 3411 / Passcode: 724793.*

We Pray For

- **The Stables Family** - Happy news on the safe arrival of Baby Theo. Please pray for the family as they adjust to being a family of 5 and have a new baby to care for. Pray for sleep! *Note: If you would like to be part of a meal rota for the family, please let Catherine or Rev Jo know.*

- **Memorial Book:** Audrey Willoughby, Irvin Wilson, John Ickringill, Kenneth McClare, Denis Stenning

Can we be praying for you? You may be going through a new phase or a personally challenging time and we would love to hold you and your needs up to God in prayer. Please let us know via a friend, the clergy or the office if you would like to be added to the prayer list. We commit to pray for a month, and your request for specific prayer can be renewed if you'd like it to be.



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