

Events & Services

Tuesday 9.15am - Morning Prayer

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Thursday 9.30am - 12pm - Parish Office open

29 9.30am - Midweek Communion

10.15am - Magazine Collating in Church

Next Sunday: 1 February - The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

9.30am - Zest

11am - Holy Communion

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

The Parish Office is open 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.

Contact Us

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Parish Notes - 25 January 2026 ***The Third Sunday of Epiphany***

ST JOHN THE DIVINE, MENSTON

Today's Services

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

*Please note: there are no refreshments
between the services*

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

Readings: Galatians 1:11-16 (New Testament page 184)
Matt 19:27-end (New Testament page 20)

Hymns: King of Glory, King of Peace
How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds
Take My Life
Longing For Light



Parish Notices

PARISH ROOM - NO REFRESHMENTS BETWEEN SERVICES

Please note that the Parish Room is inaccessible from the afternoon of 23 January - 2 February due to redecorating. As a result, there will be no refreshments between the Sunday services on 25 February and 1 Feb.

QUIET MINI-RETREAT DAY - SATURDAY 7 MARCH 10AM-2.30PM

The mini-retreat will be led by Andrew in the Parish Room - all are invited to join. It will include quiet meditation, opportunities for silence both together and separately, a simple lunch and will end with communion. There will be an opportunity for people to make a donation to cover the cost of the lunch. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church.

KINTSUGI HOPE WELLBEING GROUP

Being human can be tough, we all face challenges and emotional strain. In the New Year, St John's are offering a Kintsugi Hope Wellbeing Group. This group will offer a safe space to join together to reflect over 12 sessions on the following: Honesty, Anxiety, Depression, Shame, Anger, Disappointment and loss, Perfectionism, Forgiveness, Self-acceptance, Healthy relationships, Resilience, Review. It is not therapy nor counselling but simply a safe space to reflect together. If you would be interested in being part of a Wellbeing Group please register your interest by emailing the Parish Office.

STAY & PLAY AT ST JOHN'S

As the school term began again, so did our toddler group! Stay&Play takes place every Friday during term time at 9.30am in the Parish Room. Please note, there will be no session on Friday 30 January.

FUNERAL OF EILEEN POSTILL - FRIDAY 30 JANUARY, 11AM

All are welcome to the funeral of Eileen Postill at St John's.

UNLOCKING/LOCKING ROTA

Would you be interested in serving our church by joining the locking/unlocking rota? The role would involve unlocking the church on a set weekday morning and/or locking up in the afternoon or evening. Please contact the Parish Office or chat to a warden if you think you could help.

We Pray For

Healing, comfort, support and courage for all who need it, especially: Jane P, Francesca, David and Pat, Janet H and family, Gwyneth, and Margaret and Ted. Lord have mercy on them in their need and suffering, help and sustain them and give them hope and trust in you. Amen.

Memorial Book: Marjorie Muschamp, Phyllis Goodison, Nellie Turton, Richard White, Patricia Ann Hindle, Carol Morris, Leslie Jagger, Catherine Allewell, Florence Watkinson, Fred Nuttall, Nan Dodd

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.



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