

St John's, Sevenoaks
Sunday 14th August
Eighth Sunday after Trinity

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr. David Peters

Music at the Sung Mass	English Hymnal
<i>Introit</i> Immortal love for ever full	408
<i>Offertory:</i> Take up thy cross	484
<i>Communion:</i> O Holy Spirit, Lord of grace	453
<i>Recessional:</i> Let us with a gladsome mind	532

(The choir is on holiday during August)

You are invited to join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall after Mass

If people have small jars for jam, please could they give them to Sally Candlin. She's kindly offered to make jam for the Christmas Fair but needs jars to put it in and would like to make smaller pots so they can be 'gift sized'.

Coming up...

15th August, 7pm Mass, followed by Walsingham Cell BBQ on the Feast of the Assumption. Tickets are now available from Amy Payne – Adults £8, children free. It would be great to have a big turn out.

The floor of the Parish Room is being sanded and sealed between 16 and 23 August. This means that we will not be able to have refreshments in the Parish Room after Mass on Sunday 21 August

On Saturday 27 August at 7.30pm there will be a song recital in church given by Edward Bonner and Bartholomew Lawrence. Edward and Bartholomew were members of the St John's choir in the early 1990s and both have recently completed postgraduate courses in singing in London. Entry will be free with a retiring collection in aid of the Sevenoaks Area Youth Trust.

On Saturday 10 September the annual Ride and Stride organised by the Friends of Kent Churches will take place. If you would like to walk or cycle or act as a recorder at St John's, please speak to one of the churchwardens or to Carolyn Alchin. Half the money raised through sponsorship comes back to St John's.

During the current vacancy, the Churchwardens and the Rural Dean will be responsible for the parish. The Churchwardens can be contacted as follows:

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This Week...

Sacred Space will not be kept during August

MON 15th	The Assumption of the BVM We pray for Walsingham (No Sacred Space) 7.00pm Mass for the Feast of the Assumption
TUE 16th	Feria We pray for Our Walsingham Cell 9.30am Mass
WED 17th	Feria We pray for all those on holiday 7.00pm Mass
THU 18th	St. Helena, Empress We pray for Our Parish Branch of the MU 9.30am Mass
FRI 19th	Feria We pray for BOBs 9.30am Mass (No Sacred Space)
SAT 20th	St Bernard, Abbott We pray for The Religious Orders 9.30am Mass
SUN 21st	TRINITY IX WE PRAY FOR OUR PARISH 10.00am Sung Mass 12.00 Noon Baptism 2:00pm Sick Communions

If you would like to mark an anniversary of the death of a beloved or an occasion of thanksgiving you are welcome to give a seven day candle that burns at the Walsingham altar or the All Souls altar. The candle costs £3, monies placed in the donations tray at the back of church and name inserted on the list.

If you would like to offer flowers, a donation can be left with Terry and the name inserted on the same list.

Would those lighting votive candles please remember to place 20p in the basket on the table at the back of the church.

The flowers are given in memory of Betty Brunt.

Our Lady Candle burns in memory of Stuart Payne.

Parish website: www.saintjohnthebaptist.org.uk