

St John's, Sevenoaks

Sunday 17th July

Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Celebrant - Fr Barry Compton

Music at the Sung Mass	English Hymnal
<i>Introit</i> Praise to the Lord	536
<i>Offertory:</i> Happy are they	398
<i>Communion:</i> In the cross of Christ I glory	409
<i>Recessional:</i> Dear Lord and Father	383
<i>Anthem:</i> Let thy merciful ears (Weelkes)	

Please join us in the parish Room after Mass for refreshments

There will be a retiring collection after Mass for the Christian Aid Appeal for the famine in East Africa.

Today at 4pm there will be a recital of summer music by the Greentrees Wind Quintet in the church with afternoon tea. Admission free with a retiring collection in aid of the Addison's Disease Self-Help Group.

Coming up...

Sunday 24 July. The Rt. Revd. Peter Wheatley, The Bishop of Edmonton and our Episcopal Visitor, will celebrate Mass and preach at the 10am Mass.

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.

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...

MON 18th	Feria	We pray for Walthamstow Hall School
9.30am	Holy Communion	No Sacred Space Today
TUE 19th	Feria	We pray for Our Choir
9.30am	Mass	
WED 20th	Feria	We pray for Our Servers
7.00pm	Mass	
THU 21st	Feria	We pray for Papua New Guinea
9.30am	Mass	
FRI 22nd	St. Mary Magdalene	We pray for The Church of England
9.30am	Mass	
2.00pm	Sacred Space	
SAT 23rd	St. Bridget	We pray for Vocations
9.30am	Mass	
SUN 24th	TRINITY V	WE PRAY FOR OUR PARISH
10.00am	Sung Mass	
	Celebrant & Preacher:	
	The Rt. Revd. Peter Wheatley, Bishop of Edmonton	
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 Annie and John Ballard and the All Souls Candle burns in memory of Annie Elsie Ballard.

Parish website: www.saintjohnthebaptist.org.uk