

St John's, Sevenoaks
Sunday 6th November
Third Sunday Before Advent

Celebrant: Fr. Barry Compton
Preacher: the Bishop of Tonbridge

Music at the Sung Mass	English Hymnal
<i>Introit:</i> Come let us join	376
<i>Offertory:</i> Love divine	437
<i>Communion:</i> O thou who at thy Eucharist	324
<i>Recessional:</i> Thy hand O God	545
<i>Anthem:</i> Locus iste a Deo factus est (<i>Bruckner</i>)	

Please join us in the Hall for refreshments after Mass
Coming up...

Tuesday 8 November at 7.30 pm at the Stag Theatre Plaza Suite.

Launch Event for Sevenoaks Christian School. All are welcome, particularly parents of children in Years 4 and 5. There will be an opportunity for discussion and questions.

Gift Day - 12th November 2011 (10am to 12noon)

Our gift day is on Saturday 12th November. This provides an important contribution to our church's annual income and will help to reduce our projected deficit for the year. It will also be possible to give on Sundays 13th and 20th November. For further information please read my article ' Money Matters ' in ' About St John's ' for November. If you have any questions on church finance please speak to me. Douglas Seal (Tel: 01732- 456124).

26th November 2-5pm Christmas Fair: There is a list at the back of church for people to help out or provide different things for our fair. There is now a box for donations for the Christmas Fair at the back of church. We would appreciate bottles & chocolates of all sizes for the tombola, books, toys & crafts.

13th to 15th April 2012. Parish Weekend. The list is now on the table at the back of church for people who would like to come on the Parish Weekend to Walsingham. The cost for adults is £140.00 and children under 18 are free.

Saturday 19 May 2012 Forward in Faith Rochester is organising a family pilgrimage to Aylesford. Bishop Norman Banks is celebrating at 12.00 and this will be followed by a picnic lunch. The day will end with Benediction and devotions. More details will be available nearer the time - please make a note in your diaries now.

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

Parish website: www.saintjohnthebaptist.org.uk

This Week...

MON 7th	St. Willibrord, Bishop We pray for <i>Our Readers</i>
9.30am	Holy Communion
10.00 - 12.00	Sacred Space
TUE 8th	Saints & Martyrs of England We pray for <i>Forward in Faith</i>
9.30am	Mass
10.15am	Mothers' Union Prayer Group (At 12 Holmesdale Road)
8.00 pm	Bible Study - 19 Hitchen Hatch Lane
WED 9th	Feria We pray for <i>The Faithful Departed</i>
7.00pm	Mass
THU 10th	St. Leo the Great We pray for <i>The Guild of All Souls</i>
9.30am	Mass
10.15am	Collective Worship (St. John's School in church)
11.00am	Gloucester House Communion
FRI 11th	St. Martin, Bishop We pray for <i>Those killed & injured in war</i>
10.00am	Mass
3.00-4.00pm	Sacred Space
SAT 12th	Feria We pray for <i>The Faithful Departed</i>
9.30am	Mass
SUN 13th	2ND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY WE PRAY FOR <i>OUR PARISH</i>
10.00am	Sung Mass
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 7 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.

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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