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NEWSLETTER
Grove Lane | Kingston | KT1 2SU

Services and Events in the Weeks ahead:

Week Commencing – 29th to 13th July 2025
Services and Events in the Weeks Ahead

DAY	TIME	SERVICE/EVENT
Mon – Wed	9:00 am	Morning Prayer in Church.
Tuesdays	9:30 am	Little Groovers
This Sunday 29 th June	4:30 pm	Baptism and Confirmation Bishop Martin preaching and presiding Diddy Disciples
Sunday 6 th July	10:00 am	All age Holy Communion Service. Rev'd Lindiwe preaching & presiding.



Please join us on Sunday 29th June 2025
for

Baptism & Confirmation service at 4:30 pm
with The Right Reverend Dr Martin
Gainsborough, Bishop of Kingston.

This will be followed by a bring & share lunch.
Everyone is welcome.



Every is welcome to our once a month Community Cafe



COMMUNITY CAFE
SATURDAY 5TH JULY 2025
10 AM – 1 PM

St John's Church, Kingston KT1 2SU

COLLECT:

O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in
you, mercifully accept our prayers.
And because, through the weakness of our mortal
nature, we can-do no-good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace—
that in the keeping of your commandments,
we may please you both in will and deed;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

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Come and join us
Sundays 10 am

Enjoy a time of stories
from the bible, singing,
worship designed for toddlers
and young children with
their parents.





ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

LITTLE GROOVERS

Stay & Play Sessions for 0-4s
(with an adult)

Come along for a fun-filled time of toys, crafts, puzzles, stories, and singing—a perfect way for your little ones to play, learn, and make friends while you connect with other parents!



When?

Tuesdays (Term Time)



9:30 AM – 12:00 Noon

St John the Evangelist,
Grove Lane, KT1 2SU

Cost: £3.50 per session (includes refreshments!)

Age Group: Children aged 0–4 (must be accompanied by an adult)

No registration needed—just drop in and join fun!



Come groove with us—we can't wait to see you there!



You're Invited: Kingston Area Lay Conference



Keynote Speaker **Rowan Williams:

"Can we recover that revolutionary confidence in God so that the living waters that Christ promises us may rise and we with them?"



Confident Faith in a Changing World

Kingston Area Lay Conference – 20 September 2025

Please scan this code for further details or to register.



Bishop Martin warmly invites all the lay people in the Kingston Area to attend this special day. To include coffee, tea, lunch, workshops exploring confident faith in relationship to modern life, prayer spaces and worship, along with childcare for primary aged school children.

10–4pm, St Cecilia's Church of England School, Sutherland Grove SW18 5JR. Southfields Tube 5 minutes walk. Buses 38, 493, 170 and 156

Saturday 20th September 2025 | 9:30am–4:00pm

Venue: St Cecilia's C of E School, Sutherland Grove, Wandsworth, SW18 5JRK

Theme: Confident Faith in a Changing World

We'll be exploring how we live out our faith with hope and courage in today's world – and we're thrilled to have Dr Rowan Williams, former Archbishop of Canterbury, as our keynote speaker. There'll be time for worship, learning, discussion, and encouragement – all in a welcoming and inspiring setting.

👉 To register and find out more, [click here](#)

Everyone is welcome to come along.



Stories from Israel-Palestine

The Right Revd Nick Papadopoulos,
Dean of Salisbury Cathedral

Mon 28 July 2025 7.30pm

- What is daily life under occupation really like?
- What are the implications for human rights and international law?
- What can be done to promote a just peace in Israel-Palestine?



Ticketed but free.
Please reserve tickets at
www.ticketsource.co.uk/all-saints-church-kingston

www.allsaintskingston.co.uk



STREET PASTORS

MORE STREET AND PRAYER PASTORS NEEDED IN KINGSTON!

Could you join Kingston Street Pastors and serve on the streets or back at base as a Prayer Pastor once a month on an afternoon or night patrol? You are welcome to come and observe one of the teams before deciding if you want to train.



"Every time I go out to be a street pastor, I go home feeling like I made a difference"

The next training courses for 2025 start in June and September.
Contact kingston@streetpastors.org.uk / 07869 818500

SUPPORTING ST JOHN'S CHURCH

St John's Church & Hall
St John the Evangelist
Grove Lane, Kingston upon Thames

Thank you to everyone who gives their time, skills and money to support St John's. Your kindness helps us meet our monthly contribution of £4362.50 to the Diocese, which supports our church, parishes in need, and our shared ministry.

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SURREY CHURCHES RIDE & STRIDE SATURDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2025



Ride or Stride
round our churches
& raise money for
our own church and
others in Surrey

Hamish Donaldson, County Organiser, 01428 644473

SERVICES:

Tues - Wed Morning
Prayer @ 9am. Vicarage.

Sundays – Holy
Communion service with
Diddy Disciples at 10am.
Junior Church at 4:30 pm

1st Sundays of the
Month – All Age Holy
Communion Service at
10 am

3rd Sunday
9am - Said HC Service
10am - Reflections
service with Diddy
Disciples and JC in
Parish Hall.

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