



## Services and Events in the Weeks ahead:

Week Commencing – 8<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> June 2025

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| DAY            | TIME     | SERVICE/EVENT  |
|----------------|----------|--|
| Mon – Wed      | 9:00 am  | Morning Prayer in Church.  |
| Tuesdays       | 9:30 am  | Little Groovers  |
| This Sunday    | 10:00 am | Pentecost Day - Holy Communion with Rev'd Lindiwe Maseko preaching and presiding |
| Sunday 8th May | 10:00 am | Holy Communion with Rev'd Lindiwe Maseko preaching and presiding                 |

### The Scratch Choir is Back!

Do you love singing? Come and join our Scratch Choir as we prepare for the Confirmation Service with the Bishop of Kingston on Saturday, 29th June at 4:30pm. Directed by David Campanale. If you're interested, please email [Evie at: stjohnschurch.kingston@gmail.com](mailto:Evie at stjohnschurch.kingston@gmail.com)

Rehearsals will take place after the Sunday services at 11:30am on:

- **Sunday, 15th & 22nd June 2025**

All voices welcome – we'd love to have you sing with us!

## Community Café

featuring sale of preloved books & toys

A place to relax, chat, and enjoy delicious refreshments. While you're here, browse our small selection of preloved books for children and adults, and toys for very young children. All proceeds go towards church funds!

**Saturday 7th JUNE, 10am - 1pm**

St. John the Evangelist Kingston  
Grove Lane, KT1 2SE

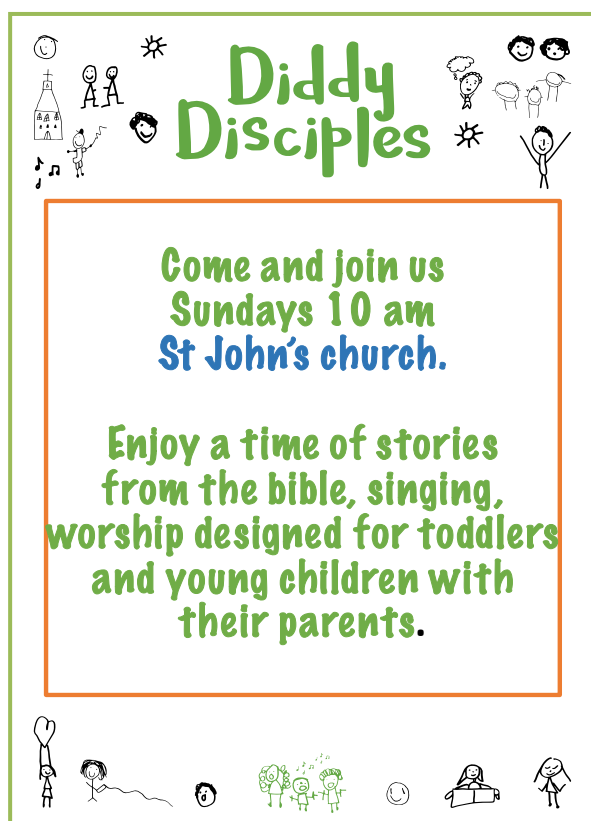
[www.sjohnskingston.co.uk](http://www.sjohnskingston.co.uk)

## CONFIRMATION CLASSES 2025

Are you interested in learning more about the Christian faith or thinking about being confirmed in the Church of England? We are starting 6-week Confirmation Classes, taking place in church at 11:30am each Sunday.

**Dates:**  
8th June, 15th June, and 22nd June.  
If Sundays don't work for you, we can arrange an alternative time. Everyone is welcome – just come as you are. Speak to Rev'd Lindiwe or email [stjohnschurch.kingston@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnschurch.kingston@gmail.com) to join or ask any questions.

**COLLECT**  
Risen Christ,  
for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts,  
that we may seek the good of others  
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.  
Amen.



## The St. John's School Summer Festival 2025

**Hold the date!** The St. John's Summer Festival is back!!! and this year there will be more inflatables, more fun, and more music!!

Bring friends and family for a great afternoon of fun and food that is open to all

More details to follow...

Saturday, Jun 21 at 12:00 PM

St John's School - Parent Staff Association,  
Kingston, Portland Road, Kingston upon  
Thames, England, KT1 2SG



## Christian Aid Week



Christian Aid Week - Kingston Churches raised over £5,000 this year, If you haven't yet donated to Christian Aid week, please watch the film [here](#) and donate [here](#).



# 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](mailto:kingston@streetpastors.org.uk) / 07869 818500

## 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 5JRK, Southfields Tube 5 minutes walk. Buses 39, 493, 170 and 166

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

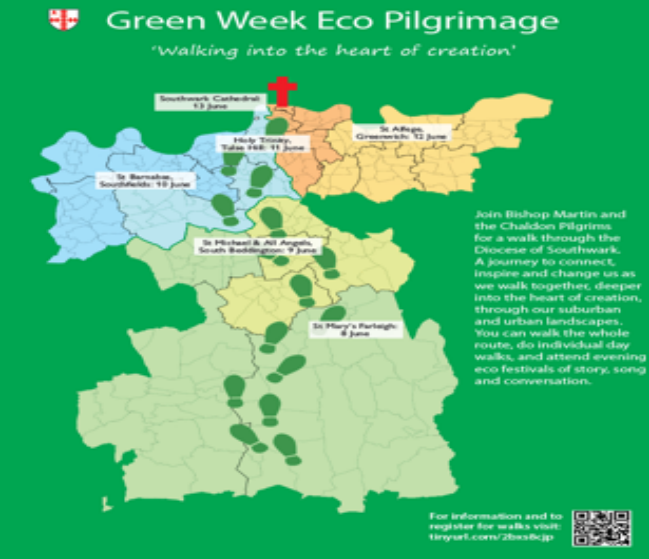
**Venue:** St Cecilia's C of E School, Sutherland Grove, Wandsworth, SW18 5JRK

**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.


## Green Week Eco Pilgrimage

"Walking into the heart of creation"



Join Bishop Martin and the Chaldon Pilgrims for a walk through the Diocese of Southwark. A journey to connect, inspire and change us as we walk together, deeper into the heart of creation, through our suburban and urban landscapes. You can walk the whole route, do individual day walks, and attend evening eco festivals of story, song and conversation.

For information and to register for walks visit [tinyurl.com/2busd6qp](http://tinyurl.com/2busd6qp)



# 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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### 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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