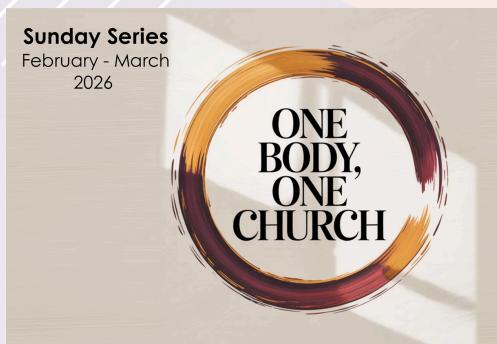
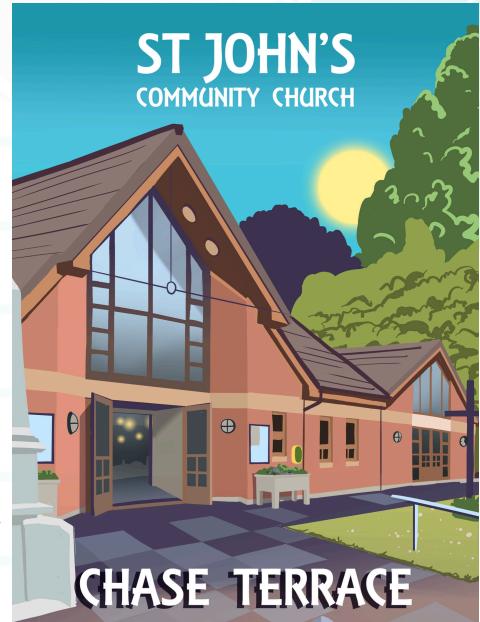


**Sunday 15th February 2026**

**A very warm welcome to St John's Community Church.  
Whether this is your first time with us, or you've been part  
of our church for some time, it's great to see you...**



In our 10am service today, Helen's leading and Laura is speaking as we continue our **One Body, One Church** Sunday series. During this series, we'll be exploring our sense of community, identity



and belonging as the Body of Christ. We'll have the chance to praise God in **sung worship**, time to **pray**, and the **prayer team** are available if you'd like dedicated people to share and pray with. Our groups for children and young people - **Shooting Stars, Super Stars** and **The Mess** - are on offer, and there'll be **refreshments** served after the service, so do stick around if you can to meet new folks or catch up with familiar faces! And if you'd like to keep up with this Sunday series, or revisit previous talks and series, **all of our talks from recent years** are available on our St John's Community Church [YouTube](#) channel and church website - [www.stjohnscommunitychurch.org.uk](http://www.stjohnscommunitychurch.org.uk).

The next **Games Club: Cakes & Ladders** takes place at **6pm** next **Sunday 22nd February** - a really fun evening where a warm welcome awaits! A variety of board and card games of different themes and styles will be on offer for all tastes and abilities, along with the finest of cakes and snacks to keep people fuelled! It's a relaxed and friendly evening - feel free to just turn up, or please have a chat with **Ian McKeown (07494 913670)** for more details.



# Baptism Service

**10am Easter Sunday 5th April**

**Please see Matt or Laura if you'd like to be baptised, reaffirm your baptism vows, or simply find out more...**

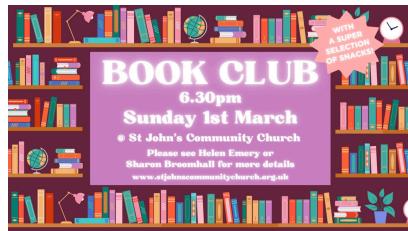


We'll be offering **full-immersion baptism** as part of our **10am service on Easter Sunday 5th April** - a chance to be baptised or to re-affirm baptism vows in our baptistry pool, or if you'd prefer, at the font. It's a life-shaping decision and a special experience which is open to all - a unique way for people to publicly declare their faith in Jesus and for us to pray for God's Spirit to be with them. If you haven't been

baptised and would like to be, or if you've been baptised or christened (it means the same thing) in your younger years and would like to publicly claim for yourself the promises previously made on your behalf, do **please have a chat with Laura**, our curate, **Marie** our church administrator, or **Marg and Nigel**, our church wardens - thank you.

**Godspell: The Musical** is taking place here at St John's at 7.30pm on Thursday 21st May and Friday 22nd May - a fantastic re-telling of Matthew's Gospel with great songs, a live band, and featuring various members of local musical societies. Tickets are £10, and available from **Marie** in the Church Office (01543 670078), or **Marg and John Nicholls**, with all profits helping to fund our church community work.





relaxed but focussed prayer for the needs of our church and wider community. Again, all are welcome, so do feel free to just turn up, or please see **Karen Procter** for more details. And then at **10am-12pm** on



**Saturday 14th March, Watercolour Dabblers** is back for another morning of artistic endeavours! All abilities are welcome to come along for a gentle, friendly time of painting, all expertly led on a particular theme by **Chris Hill**. It's a free session, but pre-booking is appreciated, so please sign up in the foyer, or speak to Chris on 07888 730492 for more info.



**Giving financially** is a key way in which we express our worship to God and our commitment to our church community. St John's Community Church is a **registered charity** (1131458), and we rely on people's giving to enable us to do everything that we do. All church members are encouraged to **give as part of their worship**, and all gifts, whether large or small, regular or infrequent, are **much appreciated and carefully managed** by the PCC. However, if you think of St John's as your church, **do please consider starting or raising your regular giving**, as having a regular income is really helpful for us as a church in setting our budget for future plans and activities. We don't take a collection during the service, but many folks give regularly by standing order. Others give cash, or use our contactless giving unit in the foyer. You can also give to St John's through this QR code. As a registered charity, we can reclaim tax on donations through the **gift aid** scheme. If you're a taxpayer, all of your giving can be boosted by an extra 20% (at no cost to you). **Do please therefore register for free by filling in a gift aid form**, available in the foyer or from the 'About-Forms' page on our [church website](#) and return that to **Marie** in the church office - thank you very much. For standing orders or one-off bank transfers, our church bank account details are:



Account Name: **St John's Community Church** Account Number: **20724548** Sort Code: **40-17-60**

### What's On...

It's half term, so some of our activities are taking a week off, but for general info on services and what's happening in general, please ring Marie in the Church Office on 01543 670078, visit our website [www.stjohnscommunitychurch.org.uk](http://www.stjohnscommunitychurch.org.uk), see our [Facebook](#) page, and check out our [YouTube channel](#) for a range of talks and songs - thank you.

#### Monday 16th February

- 10.00 - 10.30 10am Monday Service
- 10.30 - 12.30 The Drop Inn & Talking Point
- 14.00 - 16.00 Bereavement Help Point
- 17.00 & 18.30 Slimming World
- 19.30 - 21.30 Godspell Rehearsal

**Tuesday 17th February**

- 13.30 - 15.30 Craft Group
- 19.00 - 21.00 House Group

**Wednesday 18th February**

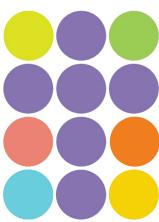
- 10.00 - 11.00 Zumba
- 19.00 - 21.00 Harvesters House Group

#### Thursday 19th February

- 16.30 & 18.00 US Girls
- Friday 20th February**
- 09.35 - 10.35 Diddi Dance
- 13.00 - 15.00 Mind Matters Burntwood
- Saturday 21st February**
- 09.00 - 12.00 BLAST Autism Group
- Sunday 22nd February**
- 10.00 - 11.15 10am Sunday Service
- 12.00 - 13.00 English Academy
- 18.00 - 21.00 Games Club

#### Coming Up:

- Mon 23rd Feb 11.15am - Chase View Service
- Sat 7th Mar 1pm - Prayer Hour
- Sat 14th Mar 10am - Watercolour Dabblers
- Mon 23rd Mar 7pm - PCC Meeting
- Thu 2nd Apr 7pm - Maundy Thursday Service
- Fri 3rd Apr 2pm - Good Friday Service
- Sun 5th Apr 10am - Easter Sunday Service + Baptisms
- Sun 19th April 10am - Annual Meeting (APCM)
- Thu 21st & Fri 22nd May 7.30pm - Godspell: The Musical
- Sat 20th June 4pm - Laura's Priesting @ Lichfield
- Mon 27th July 11am-3pm - Play in the Park



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