



St John the Evangelist, Dormansland

Sunday 9th August 2026 –

Trinity 10

Today's Hymns:

Introit

17 – All people that on Earth

Offertory

235 – I the Lord of sea and sky

Communion

52 – Be still and know that I am God

Post Communion

114 – Eternal Father strong to save

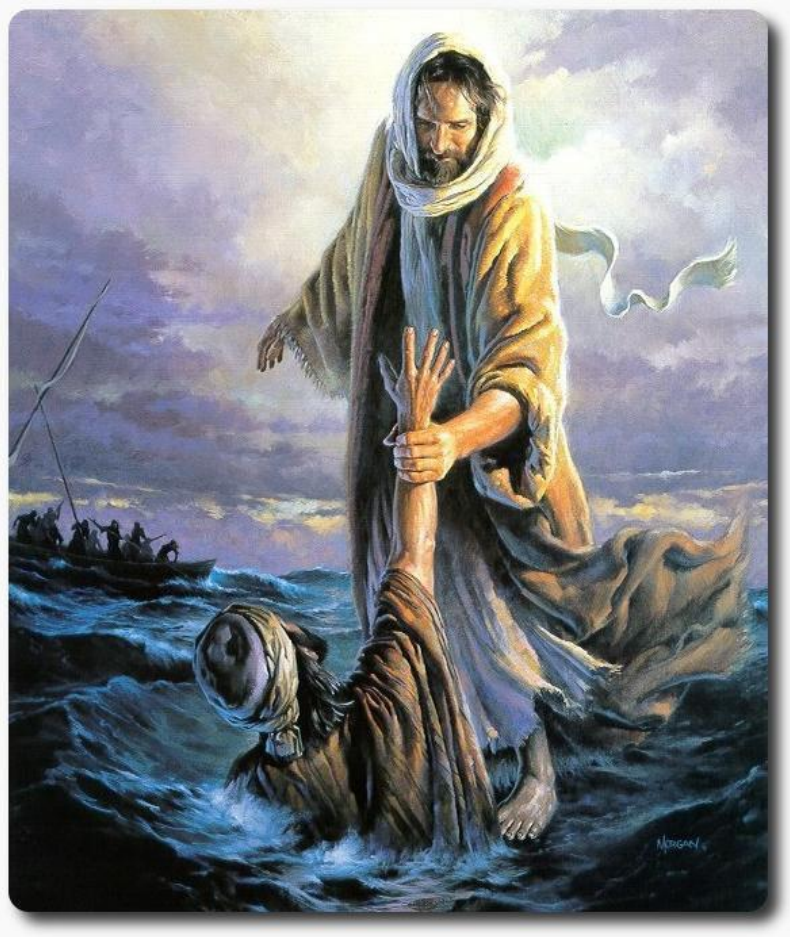
Collect

Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Readings

Gospel Reading – Matthew 14:22-33

Immediately he made the disciples get into a boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, "It is a ghost!" And they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, "Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?" When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."



Morning Prayer

9am Monday - Thursday on Zoom the link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989590555?pwd=MUNnb0NwaUpUbHBiMnQzVm9wd0Q4UT09> Passcode 149674

Compline on Zoom

Wednesday 8pm – Link is:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74615258857?pwd=QXfPyoDEbLeuxPq5sCNBcQDsfcTCgyX.1>

Meeting ID: 746 1525 8857

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One off Events

Meeting Up

All are welcome to come and join us for tea, coffee, cake and a chat on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at the Centenary Room/Penny's Place 10am-12noon. Next meeting is **Tuesday 18th August**
See you there!

Live Streaming

St John's Church Dormansland
10.00am service Sunday 9th August
<https://youtube.com/live/Y1KanJLdGYk?feature=share>

Pet Blessing Service Sunday 13th September at 10am!

Bring your pet to be blessed!

Date For the Diary

Please make sure you put **Saturday 28th September** at 7pm in the Centenary Room in your diary!

Hot on the heels of the very successful 'Hymns and Pimms, we are holding

'St John's Fizz and Quiz Evening'

Please note 'fizz' can mean water, lemonade or champagne...!

More details to follow but friends and family are invited too.



Blessing of
the Animals