

# St John's Woodbridge and St Andrew's Bredfield

## November 2025

*Discovering God and Sharing the Love of Jesus*

### Isaiah 6: 1 – 8

*3<sup>rd</sup> I saw the Lord, seated on a throne*

Worship our God and Father in his holiness and majesty. Pray for Charles and Kate. Pray for those affected by the continuing war in Ukraine. Pray for peace. Pray for the peace negotiations for the Holy Land. Pray for humanitarian aid to reach the people of Gaza. Pray for those in or affected by domestic violence. Pray for the Hub and for the Repair Cafe.

*4<sup>th</sup> Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty*

Give thanks for all that Jesus taught us about the Kingdom of God. Pray that we can be effective in reaching out to young and old with the love of Jesus. Pray for Toddlers at St Johns. Pray about decisions on staffing. Pray for the prayer meetings being held this week and that we will be faithful in prayer. Pray for Alpha and those participating as guests or helpers.

*5<sup>th</sup> Woe to me...I am a man of unclean lips*

Pray for forgiveness for words which have brought hurt and division, even if unintended. Pray for God's word to be heard throughout the world. Pray for the world, the United Nations and national governments. Pray for deliverance for those caught up in human slavery and trafficking. Pray for the organisations tackling these problems.

*6<sup>th</sup> ...your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for*

Give thanks that through our Lord Jesus our sins can be forgiven, if we confess and repent of them. Pray for those who are struggling to make ends meet and organisations trying to help them. Pray for prison ministry in its various forms and that those in prison will turn to the Lord.

*7<sup>th</sup> Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?*

Awake Suffolk encouraged us to move out of our comfort zone. Pray that we will be bolder in reaching out. Pray that we will persevere in reading and learning from God's word, obeying and seeking his direction for our lives. Pray for the Alpha Day tomorrow. Pray for the Men's Group breakfast. Pray for the Remembrance services on Sunday.

**Weekend:** Pray for your family, your neighbours and loved ones

## Psalm 17: 1 - 9

10<sup>th</sup> *Give ear to my prayer*

What would you like to bring to God in prayer. Pray for the pastoral care within our churches. Pray for our churchwardens and the PCCs. Pray for the efforts to combat climate change. Pray for those affected by conflict in Ukraine and elsewhere. Pray for the situation in the Middle East. Pray for the Hub.

11<sup>th</sup> *...may your eyes see what is right*

Listen for the Lord's voice through his word, through speaking direct to your inmost being and then obey him. Pray for those who find it difficult to accept God's love. Pray for Christian Aid and its work throughout the world. Pray for [Toddlers at St Johns](#). Pray for our children and young people. Pray for families struggling to feed their children. Pray for the Children's Society. Pray for Alpha. Pray for those struggling with the impact of war on their lives.

12<sup>th</sup> *I have resolved that my mouth will not sin*

Pray that all you say will give joy to the Lord and encourage others. Set a time to sit quietly each day, so that the Lord can speak into your heart. Give thanks and pray for those who preach the gospel. Ask our Father to help us listen to the concerns of those around us. Pray for those whose health investigations and treatment have been delayed.

13<sup>th</sup> *Show the wonder of your great love*

Ask the Lord to open your eyes and your heart to all that he has done. Pray that we will be open to God's guidance and be prepared to share his good news. Pray for those God has placed on your heart. Pray for our office staff and volunteers. Pray that we will continue to explore and use our spiritual gifts. Pray for our Life Groups. Pray for Just42.

14<sup>th</sup> *Hide me in the shadow of your wings*

God comes alongside us and supports us when we call upon him but we need to give him time and space. Pray for the healing of relationships and hurts, some of these due to historic or current racial or domestic abuse. Pray for the emergency services. Pray for the services on Sunday. Pray for Presence on Sunday

**Weekend:** Pray for your family, your neighbours and loved ones

## Psalm 95

*17<sup>th</sup> Come let us sing for joy to the Lord...*

Give thanks to the Lord for all he has done in your life. Pray that we will be a church that welcomes all. Pray for the people of Ukraine. Pray for the people of Israel and Palestine. Pray for the efforts to secure peace. Pray for the work of The Children's Society. Pray for the Hub. Pray for our government and that decisions made will be for the benefit of all.

*18<sup>th</sup> Let us come before him with thanksgiving*

Pray that Jesus will be welcomed in our homes and those of our family and friends. Pray for our Mission Partners – David and Manuela, John and Gillian and their families. Pray for [Toddlers at St Johns](#). Pray for all our ministry to families and children. Pray for healing of any broken relationships. Pray for Just 42. Pray for the possible recruitment of a Youth Pastor. Pray for Alpha.

*19<sup>th</sup> The Lord is a great God...*

We worship God as our Father, but we must not lose sight of his awesome majesty. Pray that we will value and support one another. Pray for the hungry and homeless and those who seek to help them. Pray for those affected by war, earthquakes, forest fires, floods and other catastrophic events. Pray for the Wednesday congregation.

*20<sup>th</sup> Come let us bow down in worship*

Open your heart and your voice in praise and thanks for your salvation. Pray for those who are fearful for the future. Pray for those struggling with pain and disability or struggling mentally or financially that they will be able to access appropriate help especially for debt counselling. Pray for young people seeking employment. Pray for the Bible Society.

*21<sup>st</sup> Today if you hear his voice...*

Sit quietly, listen and allow the Lord time to speak to you. Let God fill you with joy in his presence and the desire to share that joy with those around us. Pray for yourself and the people of our benefice that we can step out in faith, empowered by the Holy Spirit. Pray for the services on Sunday.

**Weekend:** Pray for the protection of your family and friends

## Hebrews 12: 14 – 29

*24<sup>th</sup> Make every effort to live in peace...and to be holy*

Give thanks that through Jesus' sacrifice on the cross we are brought closer to God, our sins being forgiven. Pray for Suffolk County Council and East Suffolk District Council, for their work and that decisions made will be to the benefit of all. Pray for "Christmas Unwrapped", taking place throughout the week. Pray for those who live or work in residential or care homes in this area. Pray for those receiving end of life care. Pray for the CPAS. Pray for the Middle East.

*25<sup>th</sup> See to it that no-one misses the grace of God*

Pray that we will know how much God loves us and that he offers forgiveness to those who come to him in repentance. Pray that we can share this message with those around us, at home or in Woodbridge. Pray for [Toddlers at St Johns](#). Pray for growth of the ministry in our benefice to children and young people. Pray for the NHS, social care and our medical centres. Pray for Open Doors. Pray for Alpha.

*26<sup>th</sup> See to it...that no bitter root grows up to cause trouble*

We are called to be a holy people, not holding grudges or animosity to others. Ask the Spirit to show you how you hold to this. Pray for the Wednesday congregation. Pray for action to be taken to reduce the impact of climate change. Pray for Ukraine and those from the Ukraine who are living in the UK. Pray for those who are bereaved and for the Support Group.

*27<sup>th</sup> See to it that you do not refuse him who speaks*

Spend some time listening for God to speak to you. We are called to serve God within his church – have you found your place? Give thanks that we have a certain hope and future in eternity. Ask God to show you how you can share his love. Pray for the food banks and the Salvation Army. Pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ who are being killed or persecuted for their faith. Pray for Tear Fund.

*28<sup>th</sup> Worship God acceptably with reverence and awe*

Spend some time in the worship of God the Father, Jesus the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Pray that we will become an eco-friendly benefice. Pray that our love for one another will flow into the community. Pray for the ministry of healing and for sensitivity towards those struggling with long term ailments. Pray for our farmers, those involved in agriculture and those involved in food production. Pray for the Advent Sunday services.

***All Bible Quotations are from the New international version (NIV)***