

Sunday 30th September 2018

Trinity 18

- 08.00 BCP Holy Communion – *St Andrew's*
9.15 Family worship– *St Mark's*
11.00 Choral Eucharist with Sunday club
– *St Andrew's*
18.00 Service of Wholeness & Healing –
St Mark's

NEW THIS WEEK! Film on Tuesdays: starting on **Tuesday 25th September**, 2 – 4.30pm, at St Mark's church hall a series of films will be shown with speakers discussing the film seen. Tuesday: An Inconvenient Truth. Please see the leaflet at church for more details about dates and films being shown.

Macmillan Cancer Support Coffee Morning: St Andrew's Glass Room on Friday 28th September from 10.30am. Please support this very worthy cause. If you are unable to come it would be so good if you can give a donation to Olga Wickenden, Sue Woods or one of the churchwardens.

Children's Choir rehearsals start next Friday 4.30pm at St Mark's church. Please speak with Robert or the parish office if your junior aged (6 years old +) child would like to join.

As part of the **2018 Surbiton Festival**, there will be an **exhibition of the embroiderer** Lilian Dring's work in St Mark's church, Tuesday 25th – Sat 29th September.

Surbiton festival Day at St Andrew's church: we will need helpers to serve tea/coffee on the Saturday 29th between 10am and 4pm. Please speak to Jackie Page if you can help.

Evening of Entertainment' on Saturday 29th September at St Andrew's church at 7.30pm. This is your chance to shine as an entertainer, or to come along to be entertained.

House Groups: House groups are back and in full swing from September - you are very welcome to attend: For more information please do see the House Groups notice sheet at the back of church, or speak to Rev'd Robert, Jackie, John or Clare. Alternatively contact the Church Office - sasms@btinternet.com or 020 8390 9129.

Riding Lights Theatre Company present '**Gospel Street**' which will be performed at **Surbiton Hill Methodist Church** on **Sunday 30th September** at **7pm**. Tickets will be available through their box office - 01904613000/02083904598 or online: ridinglights.org/gospel

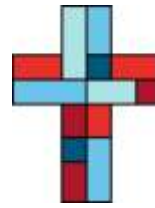
Miss Sheila Webb, who was the retired head mistress of St Andrew & St Mark Junior School died earlier this week. Her funeral will be held on Tuesday 10th October at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Tadworth, Surrey.

Requests for prayer: Please give your request to a member of the Ministry Team, or speak to Clare Chesterman in the Parish Office (contact details on the front page). If you wish someone's name to appear on the pew sheet it will remain there for 6 weeks. That person will be prayed for at weekly services, and also regularly by those involved in healing ministry.

For prayer: Jo Casey Nancy Vlasto

RIP: Jo Norman

Years mind: Mana Morris Yvonne Morris Joyce Palmer



St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

Sunday 23rd September 2018

Trinity 17

Services Today

- 08.00 BCP Holy Communion – *St Mark's*
9.15 Family worship– *St Mark's*
11.00 Choral Eucharist with Sunday club
– *St Andrew's*
18.00 Evening Prayer – *St Mark's*

Monday	<i>Parish Sabbath Office Closed</i>	
Tuesday	08.50	<i>Morning Prayer – St Mark's</i>
Wednesday	08.30	<i>Morning Prayer – St Andrew's</i>
	10.00	<i>Sunbeams – St Mark's</i>
Thursday	08.30	<i>Morning Prayer – St. Mark's</i>
	10.30	<i>Holy Communion– St Mark's</i>
Friday	08.30	<i>Eucharist – St Andrew's</i>
	10.00	<i>Friday Coffee for Charity- St Andrew's</i>
Saturday		
Sunday		

A very warm welcome to our Church today. We hope that you will find something of the presence of God in our worship and among those you meet.

Contacts

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*There is an induction loop in both churches - please turn your aid to the 'T' setting.
You can follow the service in the Liturgy Service Booklet; this pew sheet will give you information about the readings and hymns; you will also need a New English Hymnal*

Hymns NEH

Music Setting **Darke in E (Gloria- Mathias)**

Introit **Blest are the pure in heart –
WALFORD-DAVIES**

Introit hymn **33 All my hope on God is founded**

Collect

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face;
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.

Today's themes

The letter of James continues its path about how to put faith into action and to live out being a Christian. In the Gospel, we find some disciples jockeying for position in the kingdom of God. Jesus cleverly puts them right. Jeremiah has a similar theme: knocking those who would be proud of their earthly crowns into their true place.

First Reading **Jeremiah 11.18-20**
Reader **Celia O'Neill**

It was the Lord who made it known to me, and I knew;
then you showed me their evil deeds.
But I was like a gentle lamb
led to the slaughter.
And I did not know it was against me
that they devised schemes, saying,
'Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,
let us cut him off from the land of the living,
so that his name will no longer be remembered!'
But you, O Lord of hosts, who judge righteously,
who try the heart and the mind,
let me see your retribution upon them,
for to you I have committed my cause.

Psalm 54

1 Save me, O God, ¹ by your ¹ name ☐
and ¹ vindicate ¹ me • by your ¹ power.
2 Hear my ¹ prayer, O ¹ God; ☐
give ¹ heed • to the ¹ words of my ¹ mouth.
‡ 3 For strangers have risen up against me,
and the ruthless seek ¹ after my ¹ life; ☐
they have ¹ not set ¹ God be¹fore them.
4 Behold, ¹ God is my ¹ helper; ☐
it is the ¹ Lord • who up¹holds my ¹ life.
5 May evil rebound on those who ¹ lie in ¹ wait for me; ☐
des¹troy them ¹ in your ¹ faithfulness.
6 An offering of a free heart ¹ will I ¹ give you ☐
and praise your name, O ¹ Lord, for ¹ it is ¹ gracious.
7 For he has delivered me out of ¹ all my ¹ trouble, ☐
and my eye has seen the ¹ downfall ¹ of my ¹ enemies.

Second Reading **James 3.13-4.3,7-8a**
Reader **Mike Smith**

Who is wise and understanding among you? Show by your good life that your works are done with gentleness born of wisdom. But if you have bitter envy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not be boastful and false to the truth. Such wisdom does not come down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual,

devilish. For where there is envy and selfish ambition, there will also be disorder and wickedness of every kind. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace. Those conflicts and disputes among you, where do they come from? Do they not come from your cravings that are at war within you? You want something and do not have it; so you commit murder. And you covet something and cannot obtain it; so you engage in disputes and conflicts. You do not have, because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, in order to spend what you get on your pleasures. Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

Gospel

Mark 9.30-37

They went on from there and passed through Galilee. Jesus did not want anyone to know it; for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, 'The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.' But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the way?' But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, 'Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.' Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, 'Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

Address

Rev'd Carole Bourne

Intercessions

Valerie Baxter

Offertory Hymn

375 I danced in the morning

During the offertory hymn a collection is taken for the work of the church: please give generously. If you are moved to do so, please ask for info about planned giving, if you do not do so currently.

Communion Hymn

377 Immortal, invisible, God only wise

Communion Anthem

**I give to you a new commandment
-NARDONE**

Please come forward for Communion if it is your custom, or for a blessing as directed by the Churchwardens. We will receive in two lines, as usual.

Notices

At the dismissal

427 O praise ye the Lord

