



St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

Sunday 20th September 2020
Trinity 15

Services this week at church & online **Sunday 20th September**

**8am BCP Communion at St Mark's Church
(no need to register just come along)**

**9:15am Family service at St Mark's Church
(no need to register just come along)**

**11am Matins at St Andrew's Church and on-
line via Zoom
(Please register for a seat with the parish
office.)**

**Morning Prayer Tues (8:50am) Wed & Thurs
(8:30am) join us live online at
<https://www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch/>**

Thursday 24th September

**10:30am BCP Communion at St Mark's
Church – (no need to register just come
along)
9pm Compline online via Zoom (online code
via the parish office)**

**Private and individual prayer –no need to
register just come along.**

**Tuesday 22nd September at St Mark's
9:30am – 3:30pm
Thursday 24th September at St Mark's
9:30am – 11:30am**

Stay Connected

with St Andrew and St Mark Church

How can I get in touch?

**Robert and Michael can be contacted via email or
phone. Please use the details below.**

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**The parish office is not open at St Mark's Church,
but you can get in touch by email or make an
appointment.**

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How can I stay in touch?

Parish website: www.surbitonchurch.org.uk
Parish Facebook:
www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch
Twitter:
[Twitter @Surbiton_Church](https://twitter.com/Surbiton_Church)

We are thrilled to be able to open our doors for public worship again this Sunday. We have used government and Church of England guidelines to make precautions in advance and ensure safety on the day. **The socially distanced seating for Sunday's service (i.e. being physically present) requires booking on a weekly basis. If you would like to come to a Sunday service, please email the parish office (sasms@btinternet.com). A significant number prefer to come online rather than physically for several reasons, so it is highly likely, but not certain, that if you would like to come, there will be space for you. Priority will be given to anyone who applied to come to this Sunday but was not able to do so.** When you join us on Sunday, please allow extra time to enter the building and be seated for the service and we ask that you always observe social distancing, hand sanitising & face covering guidelines. We will be still together as a church community as we worship at church and on Zoom at the same time. On Sunday there is a BCP 8am communion at St Mark's Church. No need to book.

Several people have asked how they can donate to church funds given the absence of a collection in our virtual services. If you have on-line banking, you can set up a regular or one-off payment using the following details: **Payee: The PCC of St Andrew and St Mark, Surbiton. Sort code: 40-52-40. Account number: 00028530.** If you do not have access to on-line banking then you can send a cheque to the Parish Office payable to the 'PCC of St Andrew and St Mark, Surbiton'. You can also make a one-off donation or a regular donation on our website through the Donate button.

Please visit: <https://surbitonchurch.org.uk/about-us/giving/>

Collect

Keep, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy Church with thy perpetual mercy: and, because the frailty of man without thee cannot but fall, keep us ever by thy help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Psalm 119:153-176

Reader

Anne Miller

O consider mine adversity, and deliver me
for I do not forget thy law.
Avenge thou my cause, and deliver me
quicken me, according to thy word.
Health is far from the ungodly
for they regard not thy statutes.
Great is thy mercy, O Lord
quicken me, as thou art wont.
Many there are that trouble me, and persecute me
yet do I not swerve from thy testimonies.
It grieveth me when I see the transgressors
because they keep not thy law.
Consider, O Lord, how I love thy commandments
O quicken me, according to thy loving-kindness.
Thy word is true from everlasting
all the judgements of thy righteousness endure for evermore.
Princes have persecuted me without a cause
but my heart standeth in awe of thy word.
I am as glad of thy word
as one that findeth great spoils.
I hate and abhor them
but thy law do I love.
Seven times a day do I praise thee
because of thy righteous judgements.
Great is the peace that they have who love thy law
and they are not offended at it.
Lord, I have looked for thy saving health
and done after thy commandments.
My soul hath kept thy testimonies
and loved them exceedingly.
I have kept thy commandments and testimonies
for all my ways are before thee.
Let my complaint come before thee, O Lord
give me understanding according to thy word.
Let my supplication come before thee
deliver me, according to thy word.
My lips shall speak of thy praise
when thou hast taught me thy statutes.
Yea, my tongue shall sing of thy word
for all thy commandments are righteous.
Let thine hand help me
for I have chosen thy commandments.
I have longed for thy saving health, O Lord
and in thy law is my delight.
O let my soul live, and it shall praise thee
and thy judgements shall help me.
I have gone astray like a sheep that is lost
O seek thy servant, for I do not forget thy commandments.

First Lesson
Reader

Isaiah 45:9-22
Mike Smith in church

Woe unto him that striveth with his Maker! Let the potsherd strive with the potsherd of the earth. Shall the clay say to him that fashioneth it, What makest thou? or thy work, He hath no hands? Woe unto him that saith unto his father, What begetteth thou? or to the woman, What hast thou brought forth? Thus saith the Lord, the Holy One of Israel, and his Maker, Ask me of things to come concerning my sons, and concerning the work of my hands command ye me. I have made the earth, and created man upon it: I, even my hands, have stretched out the heavens, and all their host have I commanded. I have raised him up in righteousness, and I will direct all his ways: he shall build my city, and he shall let go my captives, not for price nor reward, saith the Lord of hosts. Thus saith the Lord, The labour of Egypt, and merchandise of Ethiopia and of the Sabeans, men of stature, shall come over unto thee, and they shall be thine: they shall come after thee; in chains they shall come over, and

they shall fall down unto thee, they shall make supplication unto thee, saying, Surely God is in thee; and there is none else, there is no God. Verily thou art a God that hidest thyself, O God of Israel, the Saviour. They shall be ashamed, and also confounded, all of them: they shall go to confusion together that are makers of idols. But Israel shall be saved in the Lord with an everlasting salvation: ye shall not be ashamed nor confounded world without end. For thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited: I am the Lord; and there is none else. I have not spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth: I said not unto the seed of Jacob, Seek ye me in vain: I the Lord speak righteousness, I declare things that are right. Assemble yourselves and come; draw near together, ye that are escaped of the nations: they have no knowledge that set up the wood of their graven image, and pray unto a god that cannot save. Tell ye, and bring them near; yea, let them take counsel together: who hath declared this from ancient time? who hath told it from that time? have not I the Lord? and there is no God else beside me; a just God and a Saviour; there is none beside me. Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else.

Second Lesson
Reader

Revelation 14:1-5
Charlotte new, via Zoom

And I looked, and lo, a Lamb stood on the mount Sion, and with him an hundred forty and four thousand, having his Father's name written in their foreheads. And I heard a voice from heaven, as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of a great thunder: and I heard the voice of harpers harping with their harps: And they sung as it were a new song before the throne, and before the four beasts, and the elders: and no man could learn that song but the hundred and forty and four thousand, which were redeemed from the earth. These are they which were not defiled with women; for they are virgins. These are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men, being the firstfruits unto God and to the Lamb. And in their mouth was found no guile: for they are without fault before the throne of God.

Address

Rev'd Michael Johns-Perring

Intercessions

Notices

Hymn

Father hear the prayer we offer

For your prayer:

*God of compassion,
be close to those who are ill, afraid or in isolation.
In their loneliness, be their consolation;
in their anxiety, be their hope;
in their darkness, be their light;
through him who suffered alone on the cross,
but reigns with you in glory,
Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Amen.

For prayer: John Perry Mary Rice Nancy Vlasto
John Fowler Rita Burrows Colston Hartley
Jean Webber Denise Jones Michael Vaughan
Sue Paine