



# St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021  
All Saints

We are currently offering in-person and online services. To join these services please check the details below. For Zoom codes please see your weekly email or contact the parish office. Facebook Live is at <https://www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch>

## Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021

8am BCP Communion in person at St Mark's Church – no need to book. Also livestreamed on Facebook Live.

9.15am Family worship in person at St Mark's Church

11am Parish Eucharist – no need to book but please check in on the QR code. Livestreamed via Zoom.

6pm All Souls' service for the departed at St Andrew's Church in person and on Zoom.

## Mid-week services

**Morning prayer** will be said and livestreamed on Facebook Live on Tuesday(8:50) and on Wednesday(8:30) and Thursday (8:30).

**Thursday mornings** 10:30am BCP Communion at St Mark's in person- no need to book.

**Fridays** 8:30am BCP Communion at St Andrew's in person – no need to book – also livestreamed on Facebook Live.

**This week.....Friday Coffee** at St Andrew's  
**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> November** at 10:15-11:45am .

# Stay Connected

with St Andrew and St Mark Church

## How can I get in touch?

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

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The parish office is open at St Mark's Church on Tuesday & Thursday mornings only, please make an appointment or get in touch by email.

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## How can I stay in touch?

The best way to know what is happening at St Andrew & St Mark is to receive the weekly parish email sent on a Friday afternoon. It contains all you need to know about our Sunday services with online codes, plus information about our midweek services and events. **To receive this email please contact the parish office.**

Parish website: [www.surbitonchurch.org.uk](http://www.surbitonchurch.org.uk)

Parish Facebook:  
[www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch](https://www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch)

Twitter:  
Twitter @Surbiton\_Church

To donate to church funds 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.

Alternatively, 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/>

Our Parish Website will keep you up to date with the most recent pew sheet, parish magazine and a service calendar with where and when our services are.

Do take a look at [www.surbitonchurch.org.uk](http://www.surbitonchurch.org.uk)

**Opening Hymn****197** For all the Saints**Collect**

Almighty God,  
 you have knit together your elect in one communion and  
 fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:  
 grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous  
 and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joy  
 that you have prepared for those who truly love you;  
 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. Amen

**First Reading  
Reader****Wisdom 3.1-9  
Robert Elliott in church**

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God,  
 and no torment will ever touch them.  
 In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died,  
 and their departure was thought to be a disaster,  
 and their going from us to be their destruction;  
 but they are at peace.  
 For though in the sight of others they were punished,  
 their hope is full of immortality.

Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good,  
 because God tested them and found them worthy of himself;  
 like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt-  
 offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will  
 shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble.  
 They will govern nations and rule over peoples,  
 and the Lord will reign over them for ever.

Those who trust in him will understand truth,  
 and the faithful will abide with him in love,  
 because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones,  
 and he watches over his elect.

**Second Reading  
Reader****Revelation 21.1-6  
Christine Waller on Zoom**

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven  
 and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more.  
 And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of  
 heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.  
 And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

'See, the home of God is among mortals.  
 He will dwell with them;  
 they will be his peoples,  
 and God himself will be with them;  
 he will wipe every tear from their eyes.  
 Death will be no more;  
 mourning and crying and pain will be no more,  
 for the first things have passed away.'

And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am  
 making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words  
 are trustworthy and true.' Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am  
 the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the  
 thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of  
 life.'

**Gospel****John 11.32-44**

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his  
 feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother  
 would not have died.' When Jesus saw her weeping, and the  
 Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed  
 in spirit and deeply moved. He said, 'Where have you laid him?'  
 They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' Jesus began to weep. So  
 the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' But some of them said,  
 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept  
 this man from dying? Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came  
 to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it.  
 Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead  
 man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has  
 been dead for four days.' Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you  
 that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?'

So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and  
 said,  
 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you  
 always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd  
 standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' When  
 he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!'  
 The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of  
 cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them,  
 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

**Sermon****Rev'd Janice Price****Intercessions****Offertory hymn****400** Light of the minds that know him**Communion Hymn****114** Now is eternal life**Communion Anthem**

Give us the wings of faith - BULLOCK

**Notices****Final Hymn****388** Jesus shall reign where'er the sun**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:** Sadie Beesley Nancy Vlasto John Fowler  
 Rita Burrows Sue Paine Jean Webber  
 Margaret Parker

**For this week, please pray for:**

All Saints, All Souls, churchwardens, PCC members, parish  
 website and Facebook page, volunteers at food banks and  
 charity shops, for those responsible for security at the  
 Conference of the Parties (COP26) in Glasgow

**These prayers are taken from our monthly prayer  
 card which you can access on our website under  
 Pew sheets tab or collect a copy from church.**