

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022 Christ the King

To join our services at St Andrew and St Mark's 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 20th November 2022

8 am BCP Communion at St Mark's Church. Also livestreamed on Facebook.

9.15 am Family Worship at St Mark's Church

11.00 am Choral Eucharist at St Mark's Church

Also livestreamed on Zoom and Facebook.

6 pm Service of Wholeness and Healing at St Mark's Church.

Also livestreamed on Facebook.

#### **Mid-week services**

Morning prayer will be said and livestreamed on Facebook Live on Tuesday (9:00am), Wednesday (9:00am) and Thursday (9:00am) at St Mark's. **Thursday mornings** 10:30 am BCP Communion at St Mark's Church.

**Friday mornings** 8:30am The Eucharist at St Mark's Church and online on Facebook.

#### **Notices:**

The flowers this week are given in memory of Victoria Thangaratham.

# Next Wednesday lunch - 30<sup>th</sup> November at St Marks from 12:30pm onwards.

Come along for some soup, bread, cheese and good company. All are welcome.

#### **Christmas Day Lunch - Call for volunteers.**

This year the Christmas day lunch is taking place in-person in St Marks Hall. Lots of volunteers are needed to make this happen. Please see Rev'd Janice Price about volunteering. One volunteer from previous years said, 'I loved being involved in the Christmas Day lunch. I think I got as much out of volunteering as the guests did'.

#### Next Parish lunch-5<sup>th</sup> February 2023 @12pm

You are welcome to book for our next parish lunch at Glenmore House.

Please contact Olga Wickenden – 0796378218. The cost of the lunch is £25 + £2 service charge.

### **Staying 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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#### 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: <a href="https://www.surbitonchurch.org.uk">www.surbitonchurch.org.uk</a> Parish Facebook:

www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch

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/

# Opening Hymn 352 Crown him with many crowns

#### **Collect**

righteousness.'

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### First Reading Jeremiah 23:1-6 Reader:

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety.

And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our

## Second Reading Colossians 1:11-20 Reader:

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

#### Gospel Luke 23:33-43

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. [[ Then Jesus said, `Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.']] And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, `He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, `If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' There was also an inscription over him, `This is the King of the Jews.' One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, `Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!' But the other rebuked him, saying, `Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?

And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.

'Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

Sermon Rev'd Michael Johns-Perring

Intercessions Emma Rush

Offertory hymn 338 At the name of Jesus

Communion Hymn 282 Faithful Shepherd, feed me

Communion Anthem Above all praise and majesty -

**MENDELSSOHN** 

**Notices** 

Final Hymn 345 Christ is the King

#### 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 Rita Burrows Sue Paine Margaret Parker Christina Balan John Woods

#### This week please pray for:

Ukraine and the situation in Europe.

Our church family, ministry team, choir and organist, AV teams, Tower & Spire, ceiling repairs at St Andrew's, our local businesses, refugees, RNLI, for those who raise our awareness of climate change

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

Next Sunday's Readings: Isaiah 2:1-5; Romans 13:11-end; Matthew 24:36-44