



St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

Sunday 25th December 2022
Christmas Day

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

10.00 am All Age Christmas Eucharist at
St Mark's Church
Also livestreamed on Zoom and Facebook.

Mid-week services

We are taking our usual break the week after
Christmas Day and we are back to normal with all
our mid-week services from Tuesday 3rd January
2023.

Sunday 1st January 2023

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

11.00 am Sung Eucharist at St Andrew's
Church
Also livestreamed on Zoom and Facebook.

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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The parish office is open at St Mark's Church on
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday mornings
9am – 1pm. Please make an appointment or get
in touch by phone 02083909129 or email
sasms@btinternet.com

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 these emails please contact the parish
office.**

Parish website: www.surbitonchurch.org.uk

Parish Facebook:
www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch

Twitter @Surbiton_Church



**During Christmas the parish office will be
closed from 12 noon on Thursday 22nd until
the morning of Tuesday 3rd January 2023.**

**For all urgent pastoral concerns during this
time please contact Rev'd Michael Johns-
Perring on 07748455773**

Introit Ding Dong, Merrily on High
arr. WOOD

Opening Hymn Hark the herald Angels sing

Collect

Almighty God,
you have given us your only-begotten Son
to take our nature upon him
and as at this time to be born of a pure virgin:
grant that we, who have been born again
and made your children by adoption and grace,
may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit;
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.

First Reading **Isaiah 62:6-end**
Reader: Alex Horn

Upon your walls, O Jerusalem,
I have posted sentinels;
all day and all night
they shall never be silent.
You who remind the Lord,
take no rest,
and give him no rest
until he establishes Jerusalem
and makes it renowned throughout the earth.
The Lord has sworn by his right hand
and by his mighty arm:
I will not again give your grain
to be food for your enemies,
and foreigners shall not drink the wine
for which you have laboured;
but those who garner it shall eat it
and praise the Lord,
and those who gather it shall drink it
in my holy courts.

Go through, go through the gates,
prepare the way for the people;
build up, build up the highway,
clear it of stones,
lift up an ensign over the peoples.
The Lord has proclaimed
to the end of the earth:
Say to daughter Zion,
'See, your salvation comes;
his reward is with him,
and his recompense before him.'
They shall be called, 'The Holy People,
The Redeemed of the Lord';
and you shall be called, 'Sought Out,
A City Not Forsaken.'

Gospel **Luke 2:8-20**

In that region there were shepherds living in the fields,
keeping watch over their flock by night. Then an angel of
the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord
shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel
said to them, 'Do not be afraid; for see—I am bringing you
good news of great joy for all the people: to you is born
this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is the
Messiah, the Lord. This will be a sign for you: you will find
a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a
manger.' And suddenly there was with the angel a
multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying,

'Glory to God in the highest heaven, and on earth peace
among those whom he favours!'

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the
shepherds said to one another, 'Let us go now to
Bethlehem and see this thing that has taken place, which
the Lord has made known to us.' So they went with haste
and found Mary and Joseph, and the child lying in the
manger. When they saw this, they made known what had
been told them about this child; and all who heard it were
amazed at what the shepherds told them. But Mary
treasured all these words and pondered them in her
heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God
for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.
'Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son,

Sermon Rev'd Robert Stanier

Offertory hymn O Little Town of Bethlehem

Intercessions Anne Barker

Communion Hymn Away in a Manger

Communion Anthem When Christ was born of Mary
free – JOHN GARDNER

Notices

Final Hymn O Come, all ye faithful

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

This week please pray for:

Ukraine and the situation in Europe.

Christmas, St Stephen, Christmas Day Lunch
helpers and recipients, the homeless and
those who fear becoming homeless, KCAH
and Joel Project, refugees, for an appreciation
of winter sounds and colours

**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: Numbers 6:22-end;
Gal 4:4-7; Luke 2:15-21**