

# Sunday 9th April 2023

8 am BCP Holy Communion at St Mark's Also livestreamed on Facebook **9.15 am** Family Worship at St Mark's 11.00 am Easter Day Eucharist at St Andrew's Also livestreamed on Zoom and Facebook

There will be NO Midweek Services during the coming week.

Next Sunday 16th April Low Sunday we welcome Rev'd Angie Stanton to St Andrew's & St Mark's as she takes our Sunday services.

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The parish office will be open next week but please make an appointment.

#### Notices:

Mothers' Union are meeting in St Mark's Church on Wednesday 19th April at 7.00pm, with tea/coffee being served for a meeting start at 7:30pm. The talk will be on prison visits . You do not have to be a Mothers' Union member to join meetings that are on the third Wednesday of the month.

Wishing you all a blessed and happy Easter.

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# Staying Connected

With St Andrew and St Mark Church

#### How can I get in touch?

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

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**Parish Office** 

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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 these emails please contact the parish office.

Parish website: www.surbitonchurch.org.uk Parish Facebook:

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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/

**Introit:** This joyful Eastertide – arr

WOOD

**Opening Hymn** 110 Jesus Christ is risen today

#### Collect

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity.

## Reading: Acts 10:34-43

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ-he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

### Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

# Gospel John 20:1-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been

lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God." ' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

**Sermon** Rev'd Carole Bourne

**Offertory hymn** 117 The day of resurrection

**Intercessions** 

**Anthem** Good Christian men, rejoice and

sing - BULLOCK

**Communion Hymn** 104 At the Lamb's high feast

we sing

**Notices and Banns** 

**Final Hymn** 120 Thine be the glory

## 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 Sue Paine Margaret Parker Christina Balan

RIP Audrey Rotherham Rita Burrows

# This week please pray for:

Easter Day, renewal of baptismal vows, Ministry Team, choir and organist, sacristans, flower arrangers, Easter Bake Off for Christians Against Poverty, choosing compost, if bought, which is peat-free.

# Next week's readings:

Acts 2:14,22-32; 1 Peter 1:3-9;

John 20:19-end