

Sunday 18th June 2023 - Trinity 2

8 am BCP Holy Communion at St Andrew's Also livestreamed on Facebook
9.15 am Family Worship at St Mark's
11.00 am Parish Eucharist at St Andrew's Also livestreamed on Zoom and Facebook
6 pm Service of Wholeness and Healing at St Mark's

Mid-week services

Morning Prayer will be said and livestreamed on Facebook Live:

- Tuesday(9:00am) at St Mark's
- Wednesday(9:00am) at St Andrew's
- Thursday (9:00am) at St Mark's

Thursday 10:30 am BCP Communion at St Mark's **Friday** 8:30am The Eucharist at St Andrew's and online on Facebook.

Notices:

Choir Rehearsals at St Marks on Fridays. Children's choir (up to & including Year 7) at 4.30pm-5.30pm & Youth choir (Year 8 & above) at 5.15pm-6.15pm.

Mothers Union - Please join us for the next meeting at St Mark's Church on Wed 21st June at 7.30pm; our Vicar Robert Stanier will be our speaker, talking about the relationship between Augustine of Hippo and Monica, his mother. It is the best recorded son-mother relationship from the entire ancient world. Join us for coffee/tea from 7pm.

Evensong at Rochester Cathedral - 24th JuneThe choir will again be joining with St Matthew's choir to sing evensong, this time at Rochester Cathedral.
There are still seats available on the coach for members of the congregation. Please see Simon Harvey after the service if you would like a seat - £15

(cash only)

Please join us for a chance to say goodbye to Clare, over a glass of fizz on Sunday 25th June at St Andrews after the 11am service.

Our Charity of the month is Princess Alice Hospice; join us for an evening of song by their community choir, Monday 26 June at 7.30pm at St Marks Church.

Theme: A night at the movies. Tickets are available at £12 pp & all in aid of Princess Alice Hospice.

For more information or tickets visit:

https://www.pah.org.uk/events/songs-from-theshows/

Janice's ordination as priest and her first mass:

This service will take place at All Saints Church in Kingston on Saturday 1st July at 11am - her first mass will be during our 9.15am service at St Marks the following day the 2nd July.

All welcome at this special event.

Our next **church lunch** at Glenmore House will be on the 2^{nd} July. Please book and pay by the 18^{th} June with Olga Wickenden at 07963878218. Cost of £29 includes the service charge.

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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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The parish office is open at St Mark's Church on Tuesday till 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: <u>www.surbitonchurch.org.uk</u> Parish Facebook:

www.facebook.com/SurbitonChurch

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/

Opening Hymn 346 City of God, how broad

and far

Collect

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Reading: Exodus 19:2-8 **Reader:** Katherine Reed

They had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, 'Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.' So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: 'Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do.' Moses reported the words of the people to the Lord.

Psalm 100

Reading: Romans 5:1-8 **Reader:** Ann Mannall

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Gospel Matthew 9:35-10:8

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

Sermon Jackie Robbs - Reader

Offertory hymn 410 My God, how wonderful thou

art

Intercessions Valerie Baxter

Anthem Sacerdotes Domini - BYRD

Communion Hymn 369 Happy are they

Notices & Banns

Final Hymn 477 Ye that know the Lord is

gracious

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

This week please pray for:

St John the Baptist, choir visit to Rochester, Sunday Club, SASM School families, parish website and Facebook, KCAH, Joel Community, food banks, for an acknowledgement that garden 'pests' have a part to play – even slugs!

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 week's readings

Jeremiah 20:7-13; Roman 6:1-11; Matthew 10:24-39