



# St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

## Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2024 Palm Sunday

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**8 am** BCP Holy Communion at St Mark's  
Also livestreamed on Facebook

**9.15 am** Family Worship at St Mark's

**9.50am** Donkey rides in the church yard at St Mark's

**10.45 am** Procession start at St Mark's down to St Andrew's for the Choral Eucharist.

Also livestreamed on Facebook and Zoom

**6pm** Evening Prayer with Silence at St Andrew's & on Facebook Live.

### Mid-week services – Holy Week

- Monday – Wednesday – 8am Eucharist with Homily – St Andrew's
- Monday – Wednesday – 8pm Compline with Address – St Andrew's
- Thursday 7.30pm Maundy Thursday Eucharist followed by watch till 00:00 at St Mark's

### Notices:

**Lent Lunches** – In Lent we have a simple soup lunch every Wednesday from 12.30 to about 1.45 - 27 March. This year all proceeds from the lunches will go to Mission for Seafarers. We will be hearing more about their work during Lent.

**Easter flowers** Please make donations to Clare Mannall or Anne Barker.

If you would like to come and arrange the Easter flowers, please do join us on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March at 10am at St Andrews. We look forward to seeing you there, no experience necessary. Coffee will be provided (and probably cake too).

**Cake Sale on Easter Sunday** after the 11am service – cake donation welcome – in Aid of Christ against Poverty

**Next Parish Lunch** at Glenmore House on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 1pm. Closing date for booking 28<sup>th</sup> March. Cost £27 plus £2 service charge. Please book with Olga Wickenden

**Parish Quiet Day** on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May. Booking is now open for the quiet day at Wychcroft retreat house near Godstone. Please use the Eventbrite booking form (link in vicar's weekly email) or contact Janene Olivier in the parish office.

## 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

**Jay Turland**  
**Janene Olivier**

**Operations Manager**  
**Parish Administrator**

**The parish office is open at St Mark's Church from Tuesday to Friday, 9am – 4.30pm. Please make an appointment or get in touch by phone 02083909129 or email [surbitonchurchoffice@gmail.com](mailto:surbitonchurchoffice@gmail.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](http://www.surbitonchurch.org.uk)

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

**Twitter** @Surbiton\_Church

### **Easter weekend 2024 (29 March – 31 March)**

- Friday 10am Children Service at St Andrew's
- Friday 12pm Meditation at St Mark's
- Friday 2pm Liturgy of Good Friday at St Mark's
- Saturday 8pm Easter Vigil Eucharist at St Mark's
- Sunday 11am Easter Day Eucharist at St Andrew's

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/>

**As the Procession leaves St Mark's** All glory, laud  
and honour

**On entry to St Andrew's** Lift high the cross

**Collect**

True and humble king,  
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:  
grant us the faith to know you and love you,  
that we may be found beside you  
on the way of the cross,  
which is the path of glory.

**Reading:** **Isaiah 50.4-9**  
**Reader:** **Rod Pearson**

The Lord God has given me  
the tongue of a teacher,  
that I may know how to sustain  
the weary with a word.  
Morning by morning he wakens—  
wakens my ear  
to listen as those who are taught.  
The Lord God has opened my ear,  
and I was not rebellious,  
I did not turn backwards.  
I gave my back to those who struck me,  
and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard;  
I did not hide my face  
from insult and spitting.  
The Lord God helps me;  
therefore I have not been disgraced;  
therefore I have set my face like flint,  
and I know that I shall not be put to shame;  
he who vindicates me is near.  
Who will contend with me?  
Let us stand up together.  
Who are my adversaries?  
Let them confront me.  
It is the Lord God who helps me;  
who will declare me guilty?  
All of them will wear out like a garment;  
the moth will eat them up.

**Reading:** **Philippians 2.5-11**  
**Reader:** **June Pearson**

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,  
who, though he was in the form of God,  
did not regard equality with God  
as something to be exploited,  
but emptied himself,  
taking the form of a slave,  
being born in human likeness.  
And being found in human form,  
he humbled himself  
and became obedient to the point of death—  
even death on a cross.

Therefore God also highly exalted him  
and gave him the name  
that is above every name,  
so that at the name of Jesus  
every knee should bend,

in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
and every tongue should confess  
that Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the glory of God the Father.

**Dramatisation based on the last days  
of Jesus as written in the Gospels**

**Presiding** Rev'd Robert Stanier  
**Intercessions** Mavis Cracknell  
**Offertory hymn** 86 My song is love unknown  
**Anthem:** A Palm Sunday Antiphon –  
MORGAN  
**Communion Hymn** 486 We have a gospel to  
proclaim  
**Notices**  
**Final Hymn** 511 Ride on, ride on in  
majesty

**Prayer requests can now be placed in the box  
at St Mark's church, to the left of the  
entrance. Prayers will be offered at weekday  
morning services. All requests will be treated  
in confidence.**

*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 Sue Paine Margaret  
Parker David Gerrard Martin Palmer

**This week please pray for:**

Palm Sunday and Holy Week, Annunciation, church  
gardeners, the homeless, KCAH and Joel Project,  
charity shops, for informed decisions when  
choosing what to do with our window  
boxes/gardens/estates!

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**

Acts 10:34-43; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11;  
Mark 16:1-8

**Upcoming Concerts at St Andrew Church**

- **23rd March - Kingston Philharmonia  
Concert - 7.30pm**
- **13th April - Surbiton Symphony  
Orchestra - 7.00pm**
- **8<sup>th</sup> June – Ember Choral Concert – 12pm**