



# St Andrew & St Mark Surbiton

## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2024 Michael and All Angels

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

**9.15 am** Family Worship at St Mark's  
Also livestreamed on Facebook

**11.00 am** Choral Eucharist at St Andrew's  
Also livestreamed on Facebook and Zoom

**6 pm** Service of Reflection and Meditation 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:

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October in St Mark's church. Choir Practice** for the new academic year is starting again; new members welcome!. Children's Choir up to Y7 from 4.30 pm-5.30 pm and Youth Choir from Y8 upwards 5.15 pm-6.15 pm. Please see Robert or Simon, our Director of Music, if you have any questions.

Join us on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October from 2.30pm in St Marks church for the '**What a wonderful world**' exhibition. Any more contributions please leave in the Parish office at Tuesday-Friday.

Please let Brigid Crew know if you would like your exhibit returned.

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October - Harvest Festival** Please donate and be generous and bring any tins or dry food and leave them in the box at the back of the church. This will be accepted any Sunday till Harvest Festival. The proceeds will be going to Surbiton Community Fridge and Alfriston

**Parish Lunch** at Glenmore House on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 12.45, cost £27 plus £2 service charge. Please book with Olga Wickenden

## 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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or 07507231192

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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

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**

349 Come, let us join  
our cheerful songs

**Collect**

O everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so at your command they may help and defend us on earth; 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.

**Reading:**  
**Reader:**

**Genesis 28:10-17**  
**Diana Lewis**

Jacob left Beer-sheba and went towards Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the LORD stood beside him and said, 'I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.' Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, 'Surely the LORD is in this place—and I did not know it!' And he was afraid, and said, 'How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.'

**Psalm 103 vv 19-22**

**Reading:**  
**Reader:**

**Revelation 12:7-12**  
**Eileen Wingrove**

And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, 'Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death.

Rejoice then, you heavens  
and those who dwell in them!  
But woe to the earth and the sea,  
for the devil has come down to you  
with great wrath,  
because he knows that his time is short!'

**Gospel****John 1:47-end**

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, 'Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!' Nathanael asked him, 'Where did you come to know me?' Jesus answered, 'I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.' Nathanael replied, 'Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!' Jesus answered, 'Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.' And he said to him, 'Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.'

**Sermon**

Rev'd Janice Price

**Intercessions**

Jackie Robbs

**Offertory hymn**

336 Angel voices, ever singing

**Anthem:**

Holy is the true light - HARRIS

**Communion Hymn**343 Bright the vision that  
delighted**Notices****Final Hymn**

433 O worship the King

**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

**This week please pray for:**

St Michael & All Angels, our church family, lesson readers and intercessors, study groups, local shops and businesses, the anxious, for volunteers who work to keep our environment clean

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**

1 Timothy 6.6-10; Matthew 6.25-33