

10th September 2023



Welcome to St Mark's. If you are new or visiting we hope you feel at home. Please complete our 'Get Connected card' to stay in touch. For more events and news please read our monthly newsletter available on our website or at the back of the church. **St Mark's has a hearing loop and is wheelchair accessible.**

Through the Week:

Mon 11am-2pm Crossbar Café

Weds 9.30am Holy Communion (St Andrew's) 11am-12noon MAN-CHAT (St Andrew's)

Thu Mothers' Union meeting 2.30pm Curtis

room St Andrew's

Fri 10-11.30am Magpies toddler group

Sat 11-1pm Saturday Chat

Please pray for:

- Andy leading and preaching this Sunday
- Our LPA's
- **Peter Ensor**—returning to South Sudan
- Welcoming
- A Rocha and the environment
- Omega Church Nepal—raising money for a new tin roof
- Neema (age 9) at Hope Home Orphanage (Tanzania) diagnosed with incurable brain cancer
- Street Pastors
- Acts for Others
- National Leaders
- For those on our Prayer Chain

Leanne Hartley (prev church administrator);
Derek F (loss of sister and brother in-law);
Ann Kingscott-Davies (in hospital);
Vanessa (health issues and healing); Melody;
Richard Smith dealing with his father's passing.

Today @St Mark's

Sunday@10 with Holy Communion

'True Love: The certainty of truth'

1 John 1:1-4

Please be aware Sunday@10 is livestreamed via our website and YouTube and some central seating areas may be caught on camera.

Prayer@6 6pm in **Zoom** open to anyone

Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Collect

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **RIDE AND STRIDE** Joan Prior will be taking part in the Ride + Stride for the first time and would value your sponsored support. Wiltshire Ride + Stride (or its predecessor the Great Cycle Ride) has been going since 1984 and has raised over £1.6 million for the county's historic churches. 50% of the money raised goes to the participant's chosen church and the other half to the County Historic Churches Trust. Joan hopes to walk to seven churches ending at St Andrews. There is a sponsor form and a gift aid form on the table by the door of both St Mark's and St Andrews if you could sponsor her. $\underline{\text{link}}$

MISSION GROUP MEETING Monday 18th Sept at the Vicarage

DEREK NIXON MEMORIAL SERVICE - At St Mark's on Saturday 23rd Sept at 2pm

HAROLD WILMOT THANKSGIVING SERVICE - At St Andrew's on 25th Sept at noon.

CELEBRATION SERVICE WITH BISHOP ANDREW - Sunday 24th September 6pm at St Mark's Church. An evening service **for the whole parish** filled with stories of faith and God's work. An opportunity to welcome new people to the church family through baptism & confirmation. *Please see Andy if you would like to be baptised or share a story.*

BARRINGTON CENTRE WORKING PARTY - Saturday 23 Sept 9-11 (longer if needed)

NEW WINE 24 A small group of us from St Marks, St Andrews and Breakfast@9 are going to New Wine at Shepton Mallet next year! It's 5 days spending time with God and getting to know Him and each other better. 25—30 July 2024. There are loads of activities too, from cinema to sports, cafes to karaoke and lots more! ALL are welcome, with groups and gatherings catering for all age groups 0s-90s and all in between, including additional and accessible needs. If you would like to join us either for the week (camping/caravan/B&B) or just come for a day, it would be great to see you there! For those staying on site we are camping next to St Francis Salisbury. For more details, help booking or to find out more, talk to Anton Prior or Martin & Joanna Hancock (SM), Barry & Sheena Blackford (SA) Iain & Jane Stewart (B@9) or visit new-wine.org Booking Form Details- Church Name: St Mark St Andrew Salisbury. Church Postcode: SP1 3JD. Camping Location: South West / St Francis Salisbury.

Mission News

A ROCHA are our mission partner this month. Please pray for them and the work they do. More information is in our September newsletter.

Community News and Dates:

Salisbury Christian Aid is holding a special service for Creationtide 10th September 6.00pm at St Thomas's church. We are delighted that the CEO of Christian Aid, Patrick Watt, will be our speaker. Please join us!

Alabaré Quiz at Chafyn Grove School on Tuesday 19th September from 7 - 9.30 pm. Teams of up to six. Raffle and cash bar. It will raise vital funds for their work supporting those who are homeless or vulnerable. Tickets £6 per person available through Helen Inglis h.inglis@alabare.co.uk or website https://www.alabare.co.uk/event/charity-quiz

Philippa Hanna Concert St Pauls Church Friday 13th October 7.30pm <u>Link</u>

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(Office hours Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9am-12.30pm)

Deadline for items for Sunday notice sheet: Thursday morning.

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