

Sunday

21 September 2025



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 (best reception within the pillars) and is wheelchair accessible.***

Through the week in the parish:

- Mon** 11am-2pm Crossbarr Café (Bishopdown)
Tue 2-4pm Communita
Wed 9.30 Holy Communion
11-noon MAN CHAT
Fri 10-11.30am St Mark's Magpies

Please pray for:

- Our Vicar Andy - leading an Oak Hall trip in Japan and teaching from 1 John.
- Those who maintain our buildings and fabric
- Breakfast@9
- Salisbury Foodbank (September mission focus)
- Omega Church Kathmandu, Rev Bikash & Kalpana
- *Wider Church Leadership*

For those who need our prayers

John King
Audrey Hill
Ann Bull
Ina (Amanda's mum)

Today @St Mark's

We welcome Guest Speaker Nick Windust.

Sunday@10

Series: "Called—A Simple Rule of Life" Transform your life by how you participate in the life of the local church.

Bible reading: Acts 2:42-47

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

Also Today:

CHURCH ON THE GREEN

Hampton Park Pavilion @4pm - 'Joseph the dreamer'

Prayer@6 in [Zoom](#) open to anyone

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.

Coming soon.... SMS (St Mark's @ Six)

An evening of worship, possibly prayer, possibly testimonies, possibly teaching, wherever God leads....
starting on Sunday 5 October every Sunday

PARISH NEWS IN BRIEF

COREEN LOADES MEMORIAL SERVICE - Monday 29th September St Andrew's Church at 11.15am.

LINK TO ROTAS on the Website in News Stories section. [September—December](#). If you need any help with accessing rotas on ChurchSuite please get in touch with Jane (welcome to drop into the office or after a Sunday service - just bring your device).

YOUTH ALPHA - Sunday evenings 5-8pm from September 21st at Salisbury Baptist. [Link](#)

FIRST FRIDAY FOOD CLUB COMING SOON... for ages 13-19 Starts October 3rd see p7. Forms in church for filing out.

Harvest Lunch Sunday 5 October at 12.30 Laverstock Village Hall. All welcome. Donations to Salisbury Food Bank. Please sign up in church or through Church Suite or with the office.

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Mission Partner News:

Our monthly Mission Focus is Salisbury Foodbank - please read our September news for ways to support them. We will be having a spotlight on them this Sunday at St Mark's.

Omega Church, Nepal now using their new building. Thank you for donations received. They have borrowed to pay for the building, all gifts welcome to complete their payments. If you'd like to visit Nepal Easter 2026 get in touch with Andy (hikers and non-hikers welcome).

Community News and Dates:

The Listening Place Open Evening with guest speaker Alex Ewing - Director of the Bridge Project. Tuesday 23rd September 6.45pm for 7pm at Salisbury Methodist Church.

Flamenco Dance Concert - At St Mark's Church on Saturday 27th September - 7.30pm (Doors 7.10pm). Drinks bar. Tickets available on Eventbrite [link](#). Or see [attached flyer](#).

Silver Salisbury's Festival 2025 - A fantastic line up of activities for older people. See [link](#).

Barn Dance - Sat 4th October St Andrew's School 6pm-10pm cash bar Basket meals. [Link](#)

80 Years of Christian Aid - Service of celebration Saturday 18 October 6pm Salisbury Methodist Church. [See attached info.](#)

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Prayer Chain Please email any prayer requests to:

prayer@stmarkstandrew.org

Pastoral Care Please email pastoral needs to:

care@stmarkstandrew.org

Deadline for items for Sunday notice sheet: Thursday morning.

www.stmarkstandrew.org



WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?

Join a conversation on life, faith & purpose
alpha.org/youth | @alphayth

YOUTH

Have questions about life, faith and purpose?
 Save the date: Youth Alpha
 young people sharing their experiences
 Games
 dinner
 WATCHING A VIDEO
 Asking questions like:

What makes me happy?

What would I ask God if I met him today?

What does forgiveness mean?

Salisbury Baptist Church and
 St Francis Church
 Co-hosted by leaders and youth

Who: Everyone within school years 6 to 13

Where: Salisbury Baptist Church

When: Sunday evenings 5pm - 8pm

Term Time only

September 21st - December 7th

To find out more or to sign up, get in touch!

Hannah @ SBC: 07786 000256

Sophie @ St Francis: 07830 021272

COMING
 SOON>>

Female
 Volunteer
 required

**FIRST
 FRIDAY
 FOOD
 CLUB**

6.00-8.00pm

**the first Friday of
 the month
 (starts 3rd October)**

**@St Mark's
 annexe kitchen**

**Age range
 13-19**





The Listening Place Open Evening

You are cordially invited to join us at our Open Evening. We are welcoming **Alex Ewing, Director of The Bridge Project** as our **Speaker**

'Bridging The Gap for Young People'

Alex will be talking about 'The Bridge' - an exciting and unique project. Working with 29 schools across Wiltshire, Bridge Chaplains provide a listening ear and facilitate communication between pupils, staff and parents in a calm, on site environment. Come and find out more!

When?

Tuesday 23rd September

Start Time: 6.45pm for 7pm

Where?

Salisbury Methodist Church

St Edmunds Church Street, SP1 1EF

BIG 'Thank You'

This evening we will be saying a BIG 'Thank You' to Sue Robbins who is retiring as Manager, after fourteen year's service to The Listening Place.

Light Refreshments and Chat!

Come and Join Us!

For more information and RSVP: Jill Lakeman

Email: thelakemans@hotmail.co.uk Phone or Text: 07718 796 533

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REBECA ORTEGA

SPAIN

RAMON RUIZ



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Dancer - Choreographer



UK Leading Flamenco Guitarist
Featured in the London West End
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SATURDAY 27 SEPTEMBER
SALISBURY



**TICKETS ON
EVENTBRITE**

From 7:30 to 8:20pm
(doors open at 7:10pm)
Disability access



St Mark's Church
Saint Mark's Avenue Salisbury SP1
3DL

GET YOUR DANCING SHOES ON AND JOIN US AT FOSA'S



BARN DANCE

MURPHYS LORE LIVE. DANCING

CASH BAR. BASKET MEALS

SATURDAY 4TH OCTOBER

18:00-22:00

(DANCING COMMENCES AT 18:30)

ST ANDREW'S SCHOOL HALL

**LIMITED Tickets via
PTA EVENTS
ADULTS £10
UNDER 12S £5**



<https://pta.events/FOSA-Barn-Dance-2025>



Celebrating 80 years of Christian Aid

**Join us at
Salisbury Methodist Church
6pm Saturday 18th October**

St Edmund's Church Street, Salisbury SP1 1EF

**Service of celebration at 6 pm; Speaker Rev. Mike Perry
(Bishop of Salisbury's Adviser on Climate Change),
followed by conversation and light refreshments.**

Fair Trade Stall