

St Mark's Parish Church,
Shelfield & High Heath

Trinity Sunday



31st May, 2026



St Mark's is part of
Inclusive Church

*Please note: Revd. Jenny's working days are
Sunday, Tuesday & Wednesday*

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St Mark's Parish Church
Shelfield are registered to
raise FREE funds with
easyfundraising!

How to get involved

- 1 Download the easyfundraising app
- 2 Choose us as your cause
- 3 See retailers donate whenever you shop

If you become our supporter on **easyfundraising**, you'll raise free funds for St Mark's simply by shopping online.

Plus, if you join by **Sunday 7th June**, you can help us win one of five £200 donation prizes in easyfundraising's giveaway! St Mark's will get an entry each time a new supporter signs up.

It only takes a moment and it's completely free, so please get involved if you haven't already - this would really help us out.

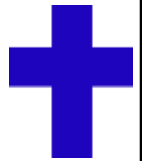
Search for "St Mark's Parish Church Shelfield" at www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Eve is collecting children's / baby clothes, children's shoes and baby blankets for a Ugandan charity.
Labelled boxes are available in the porch.

For Sunnyside Dog Rescue Eve is collecting old blankets towels etc, (nothing feather and no pillows please).

Please pray for... Sue J. & all Gary's family & friends, Sita, Emma L., Myra, Joy, Marilyn & David, Nicola & all of Matt's family, Toni & Lisa & family, Andy's Father-in-Law, Tony, Young Andrew, Chris, Michael, Matthew, Pat, Steven, Martin L., Margaret, Bridget, Natalie, Trevor & Susan, Anne J., Elena, Andrew, Samantha, Malcom C., Jonathon, Little Anna, Shelley & Bobby, Ann, Wayne, Elaine M., Alice, Samuel, Winnie, Julia, Alice, Pamela, Pete, Adam, Kyle & family, Martin, Julie, Tina & Paul, Maurice & Margaret, Mavis, George & June, Ann, Pat, Mandy, Mike, Tanya & Ian & Anne & Olivia, Lianne & daughters.

And those whose illness is more long term...
Carol C., Lisa, Janet & Les, Ron W., Connie, Kitty, Gill, Wyn, Marion C., Bettie, Alan, Chris, Karen, Steph, Jackie, Evelyn & Peter, Revd. Mike.



Lord we remember those we have loved but see no longer, especially: **Gary** and **Winnie A.**
We Pray for All Those Who Grieve the Loss of Their Loved Ones.



Lord we pray for these organisations:
Walsall North Foodbank,
Shelfield & High Heath Youth Support Group

Please pray for the people of Iran & The Middle East, Gaza, Sudan, Ukraine, Yemen & all war zones.

Please Pray...

That the church might always be a community of persons who act graciously for the good of others...

That all peoples of the world come to lasting peace through mutual respect and love for one another...

That those who lack love be loved, those who lack forgiveness be forgiven, those who need mercy be shown graciousness...

That each one of us rejoice always in the community of persons and divine life we share...



Members of St Mark's will be singing with the chorus in a performance by the



Birmingham Philharmonic Orchestra,
conducted by **Michael Lloyd** in his farewell concert.

BRUCKNER: Psalm 150, BRAHMS: How lovely are thy dwellings
MAHLER: Symphony 2 - The Resurrection

Sunday 14th June, 3 p.m., Birmingham Town Hall

Tickets £20, (£10 for those under 25) from www.bpo.org

Service times for next Sunday	Holy Communion	8.30 a.m.
	Morning Praise	10.00 a.m.

Daily Readings for next week...

Monday Visit of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth	Zephaniah 3: 14-18, Romans 12: 9-16 Luke 1: 39-49 [50-56]
Tuesday	Joshua 7: 1-15 Luke 10: 25-37
Wednesday Martyrs of Uganda 1885-7, 1977	Joshua 7: 16-end Luke 10: 38-end
Thursday Day of Thanksgiving for the Institution of the Holy Communion (Corpus Christi) Petroc, abbot, 6th cent.	Genesis 14: 18-20 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26 John 6: 51-58 Joshua 8: 30-end Luke 11: 14-28
Friday Boniface (Wynfrith), bishop, martyr, 754	Joshua 9: 3-26 Luke 11: 29-36
Saturday Ini Kopuria, founder of the Melanesian Brotherhood, 1945	Joshua 10: 1-15 Luke 11: 37-end
SUNDAY 1 st Sunday After Trinity	Genesis 12: 1-9 / Hosea 5: 15-6: 6
	Romans 4: 13-end
	Matthew 9: 9-13 & 18-26

A word for the week

Dealing with a person who is two-faced puts us on edge because we don't know who we're dealing with, which face we're looking at, whether or not we are being toyed with. We react strongly to such duplicity, manipulation, and lack of personal integrity. We want those to whom we relate to have one face-a face of honesty and integrity. We can't even imagine someone putting on three faces! Yet, the God who called us into being is three Persons with the "face" of a gracious and merciful God, the "face" of a saving God who sacrifices self for our sake, the "face" of a loving God who desires fellowship with us. These three "faces," however, have no duplicity about them. They are triune wholeness and goodness. We all have been taught (and, hopefully, believe) that we are created in the image of God. Guess what? This means we are to show the World three "faces".

Winnie A.'s funeral will be at
2 p.m. on 12th June, 2026
at Shelfield
Methodist Church

St. Mark's is supporting the Rotary charity Books4Home.
1 in 8 children in the UK do not own a book of their own.
Books4Home collects pre-read books for children to choose, take home, read & keep forever.
You can help by donating pre-read children's books.
Please bring books to St Mark's.

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