

Welcome to Worship

Sunday 5 July 2026



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.

Please pray for:

- **Ros** leading & **Guest Preacher Mark Payne** preaching today
- **Home & Overseas Missions Group**
- **St Marks CofE Junior School** and **St Andrews Primary school / Open the Book**
- **The Bridge Project**
- **People International**
- **Tom Button** preparing to interview with us
• *Teachers*
- **For those who need our prayers**

Prayer Ministry Team meeting due to be held on 8th will be postponed for later in the year.

St Mark's Fete and Ride & Stride Event- 12th September

We need to gather a team of people to help at this event. Please see Jo if you can help.

Today @St Mark's Sunday@10 with Guest Speaker Mark Payne

'Psalm 84 Our Greatest Need'

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

Also Today

- ♦ **StMARKS@SIX (SMS)** An hour of worship, prayer and more

Collect

Almighty God,
send down upon your Church
the riches of your Spirit,
and kindle in all who minister the
gospel
your countless gifts of grace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Rota: July -December

Most of the rota has been filled in for Sunday services up to the end of December. If you 'decline' a date in Churchsuite please arrange a swap yourself by asking someone else in the team. Get in touch with Jane during office hours if you need any help.

Thank you

Through the week:

Mon 6th 11am-2pm **Crossbarr Café** (Barrington Centre, Bishopdown)
Tue 7th 2-4pm **Communithea** (St Andrew's)
3.15-5pm **Together on the Green** (Bishopdown Park Pavilion)
Wed 8th 9.30am **Holy Communion** (St Andrew's),
11-noon **MAN CHAT** (St Andrew's)
Thur 9th 1pm Mothers' Union Outing (Curtis Room)
Fri 10th 10-11.30am **Maggies Toddler Group** (St Marks)
Sun 12th **St Andrew's Foundation Sunday**
12noon **Foundation Sunday BBQ/Picnic for the Parish**

Parish notices:

Laverstock Midsummer Music Festival - thank you to everybody for their generosity in time and talents. An additional £3000 was raised for the Organ Fund during the event.

"When Dreams Change" Parent Group St Mark's Church will be running the "Growing Hope: When Dreams Change" group for parents of children with additional needs (<https://growinghope.org.uk/>). It is hoped that this will be an opportunity to support/link with parents within our local community. Please see the poster at the end of the newssheet or speak with Sarah or Joanna for more information.

Parish BBQ/Picnic for Foundation Sunday 12th July - Everyone from St Mark's and St Andrew's are invited to join for a BBQ at St Andrew's after the service we hope you can join us, it will be an opportunity to meet our Youth Ministry interviewee. Donations would be appreciated. BYO salads / puddings. Some drinks available, and tea/coffee.

Community News and Dates:

Free tech support session in Laverstock Village Hall. Mon 13 July 10-12.15. Flyer in church.

Vicar	Andy Bousfield	07866 434117	vicar@stmarkstandrew.org
Parish office	Jane Holme	07933 952171	office@stmarkstandrew.org
(Office hours Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9am-12.30pm)			
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Prayer Chain please email any prayer requests to:			prayer@stmarkstandrew.org
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Safeguarding (St Andrew's) Diane Roberts 07774 889064			

Deadline for items for Sunday notice sheet: Thursday morning.

Please email notices to news@stmarkstandrew.org

www.stmarkstandrew.org

Growing Hope: When Dreams Change Parent Course

A Course for Parents and Carers of Children with Additional Needs



ST MARKS CHURCH will be running a free 4-week parent course (one session a week) in Salisbury exploring what happens when our dreams for our children change, and how we process and adjust to our child's additional needs. Further information about Growing Hope can be found at growinghope.org.uk/

To get more details about when/where the group will be run and to reserve a place, please contact the Growing Hope St Mark's Church Administrator at:-

joanna.ghadmin@icloud.com

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and support with your
digital device



Monday 13 July 2026
10.00am - 12.15pm

(45 minute 1-2-1 sessions available)

**Laverstock & Ford Village Hall, Park Road,
Laverstock, Salisbury, SP1 1RQ**



Join us for one to one support for
what YOU need



Free of charge - bring your phone,
laptop or tablet



Refreshments provided

*Book!
Now!*

Contact
Karlene Jammeh,
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2026

Sunday 2nd - Friday 7th August
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8-11 year olds

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with everyone God brings to us”



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