**SUNDAY 1 NOVEMBER 2026**

# Welcome to St Andrew's

St Andrew
SERVING JESUS, EACH OTHER, OUR WORLD

If you are new or visiting, we hope you feel at home. Complete a Get Connected card to stay in touch.
***St Andrew's is wheelchair accessible and has a hearing loop.***

## TODAY @ ST ANDREW'S

**4th Sunday Before Advent**
**All Saints' Day**

"Whole Life Worth-ship"

- **09:00 Breakfast@9**
- **10:30 Holy Communion**

**READINGS**
*Revelation 7:9-17*
*Matthew 5:1-12*

## ALSO TODAY

- **REMEMBER WITH THANKS**
  15:00 • St Andrew's Church. A service of remembrance with candle lighting.
- **StMARKS@SIX (SMS)** An hour of worship, prayer and more.

## COLLECT

God of holiness,
your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints,
inspire us to follow their example
with boldness and joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

## POST COMMUNION

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Nick & Diane, leading and preaching today
- Andy – In Tanzania 25/10-7/11
- Prayer Ministry Team
- Hope Home Trust (Tanzania Children's Home) – monthly mission partner
- Mothers' Union
- Lucy in Asia
- Nepal's continued flooding
- St Andrew's Church Roof (see p2)
- All who need our prayers

## THROUGH THE WEEK

**MONDAY 2nd NOVEMBER**
11:00–14:00 Crossbarr Café • Barrington Centre, Bishopdown

**TUESDAY 3rd NOVEMBER**
14:00–16:00 Communitea
19:30 The Prayer Course • St Mark's

**WEDNESDAY 4th November**
09:30 Holy Communion
11:00–12:00 MAN CHAT
19:30 Parish Prayer• St Mark's

**FRIDAY 6th November**
10:00 Magpies Toddler Group • St Mark's
13.00-16.00 St Mark's Art Group • Barrington Centre, Bishopdown

**SATURDAY 7th NOVEMBER**
10.30-12.15 Curtis Room Crafts•

# Parish Notices

**CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES**
Final dates for bringing boxes/items to go into boxes: In both churches on Sunday 8th or brought to St Andrew's on Friday 13th Nov after 4pm.

**YOUTH LEADER PROJECT**
We have readvertised our youth leader position and invite you to again pray that the Lord would lead us to the right person to work with us.

**MEN'S WALK**
Saturday 14th Nov. Meet at 10.00 at St Mark's. Walk via Laverstock watermeadows, the Country Park and alongside the Avon to Cathedral. Distance approximately 4.5 miles. End with refreshments in Salisbury.

**ST ANDREW'S ROOF**
St Andrew's has an old and failing section of roof awaiting repair. This has now become urgent as a significant hole has developed in the roof and water is dripping and pieces of plaster are falling into the side chapel. Please pray for wisdom and favour in moving emergency and long term repair measures forward.

# What's On

**01 NOV** Remember with Thanks Service • 15:00 • St Andrew's Church
**04 NOV** Parish Prayer Meeting • 19:30 • St M's
**07 NOV** Curtis Room Crafting • 10:30–12:15
**08 NOV** Remembrance service • 10:00 St M's
Remembrance service • 10:30 St A's
**12 NOV** Mothers' Union • 14:30;
MALT meeting • St Mark's Annexe • 19:30
**14 NOV** Men's Walk, meet at 10.00 • St Mark's
**15 NOV** Church on the Green • 16:00
**19 NOV** SALT Meeting St Andrew's • 19.30
**21 NOV** St Mark's tidy-up • 09:30–12:30
**30 NOV** St Andrew's Day service • 18:00;
Fish & chip supper at Village Hall• 19:00

## CHRISTMAS SERVICES & EVENTS

**2 DEC TBC Carol Singing in the Care Homes**
**15 DEC** Carols at the Duck Inn • 19:00
**20 DEC** Carol service • 16:00 St Andrew's;
Carol Service • 18:00 St Mark's
**21 DEC** Woodland Nativity with Owls • 16:00 • St A's
**24 DEC** Christingle • St Mark's • 4pm
**24 DEC** Midnight Communion • 23:30 • both churches
**25 DEC** Christmas Day Celebration + HC • 10:00 St M

**CHRISTMAS SERVICES ROTAS:** Please let the office know if you would like to do a reading/prayer or help with refreshments etc. Please block out any unavailable dates in MyChurchSuite. Thank you.

## CONTACTS

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**NOTICE-SHEET DEADLINE • THURSDAY MORNING**

**www.stmarkstandrew.org**

# HERO LIGHT PARTY

ST MARK'S CHURCH, SALISBURY

31 OCTOBER • 4–6PM

LIGHT QUESTS!

BUILD HERO GEAR!

GLOW DISCO!

TUCK SHOP FUN!

WEAR YOUR BRIGHTEST & SPARKLIEST CLOTHES!

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED!

FREE Online Tickets

A CELEBRATION OF LIGHT & FUN FOR R-KS2!

# St Mark's Art Group

**Unleash your creativity and come and join St Mark's Art Group – all skills levels welcome.**




**Date:** Fridays starting 16 October 2026

**Time:** 1 pm – 4 pm

**Location:** Barrington Centre, Barrington Road, Salisbury

**Further information:** Ken and Alma / Church Office 07933952171

**Cost:** Small charge for refreshments

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## Everyone welcome

# Laverstock Care Centre - Dementia Workshop

A Dementia Workshop being held in the home on Tuesday 10th November 6 -8pm.

"Join us for an evening of insight and understanding as we delve into the complexities of dementia. Led by our esteemed dementia trainer, Christine Elsley, this free workshop promises to shed light on various aspects of dementia and offer invaluable guidance on how to cope and respond emotionally when visiting or supporting a loved one. Indulge in delightful Cheese and Wine as we engage in meaningful discussions and share experiences to better understand dementia and its different types."

If you'd like to come along, please email esykes-ellis@caringhomes.org or give the home a call on 01722 428210 and they will reserve a place for you. All welcome, family, friends, local community and professionals.

DementiaUK
Helping families face dementia

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## Dementia clinics

### In partnership with Nationwide Fairer Futures

Dementia UK is offering free, confidential clinic appointments with a specialist dementia nurse, known as an Admiral Nurse – coming to your local branch soon. You don't need to be a Nationwide customer. Everyone is welcome.

Your nearest branch clinic is Salisbury
Tuesday 24th to Thursday 26th November 2026

To book your appointment, please visit **dementiauk.org/nationwide**, scan the QR code or speak to a Nationwide colleague in your branch. If you are unable to book online send a text message with the word: APPOINTMENT to **0747 872 4000**, and we will call you to help make a booking

If you have any questions about the clinics please contact **nationwide@dementiauk.org**.

For immediate support, contact Dementia UK's Helpline on **0800 888 6678** or book a phone or video appointment at **dementiauk.org/book**



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