



A heart for the Community

St Mark's Woodthorpe

8th July 2018

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and Values, visit

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and click 'About Us'

Welcome to St Mark's

Welcome to this growing church! We hope you feel at home. If you have any questions, just ask. We regularly hold welcome afternoons.

Rev Jack Bull

Congratulations Rev Jack Bull, who was ordained at Southwell on 1st July. Our new curate will be speaking at all of our services this weekend.

Jack would love to celebrate becoming curate with a 'bring and share' lunch on Sunday 8th July, 12.30pm in the church hall.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Fran, who has been recommended for ordination training from September 2018. More details to follow.

Toilet Twinning

Thank you to all the infants and juniors for their wonderful generosity for this project. The current total is £74.48. Our new accessible toilet will be twinned. It's not too late to add to this project - if you have a stray Smarties tube please hand it in to Linda, Jackie F or the church office.

Children's Society Box opening

To all those who have a Children's Society Box, it is that time again for them to be opened. Please bring your box to church as soon as possible or let Alison Rhodes know if you would like it collected from your home.

Children's & Youth Ministry (CYM)

St Mark's has been blessed with the number of children and young people who attend regularly. It is exciting to see them journey in their faith. If you would like to come on board and be a part of this wonderful ministry, please speak to Jackie Fuller or email:

emerginggenerationspastor@gmail.com

'Gathered' Event Wednesday 11th July

We are very much looking forward to gathering together as a church body in July to launch our new bi-monthly worship, prayer and ministry event 'Gathered' - a time for us to dwell in God's presence and minister his grace to one another. If you would like to know more or have any questions, please contact Jack Bull via the church office.

Transform Weekend 13-15th July

If you are available to be on the prayer ministry team at 'Transform' please contact Linda Sheppard.

Djanogly Community Orchestra Concert

Saturday 14th July, 7.30pm at St Mark's: Bastille Day Concert. Tickets are £7 and available on the door.

EMU Meal Out

Monday 16th July, 7.30pm at Ginza Teppan-Yaki restaurant in Sherwood. Sign up at the back of church if you would like to go or contact Pat Fenton.

EMU

Thanks to everyone for the donations of underwear for the Refugee Forum. They were all gratefully received.

Mothers' Union

Going to Bleasby Tea Rooms on Wednesday July 18th for a strawberry cream tea at 2.30pm. Anyone wishing to join us please contact either Sheila 9536005 or Kathryn 9652463 as we have to let Bleasby know numbers for the tea. Many thanks.

Will Sayers-Flood

The Younger Leadership College commissioning service takes place at Southwell Minster from 6-7pm on the 19th July. All welcome. RSVP liz.stratton@southwell.anglican.org

Baptisms - Sunday 22nd July

If you would like to be baptised or to reaffirm your baptismal promises, please contact Matt.

Termly Leaders' Evenings - Change of date

For all those who lead, or aspire to lead, either at church or in other spheres - 7.15pm refreshments on Monday 3rd September.

Charity Cricket Match for Refugee Forum

Family Fun Day Saturday 8th September. St. Mark's vs Southwell Diocese. More details to follow.

Real LIFE

Explore what it means to be a Christian disciple today. A new course to envision, empower and equip all God's people in making the life-long journey of following Christ. It is open to anyone who wants to follow Jesus and dig deeper into the gift of knowing God in Jesus Christ through the Holy Spirit and the impact a follower of Christ and the church can have in the world today.

Starts September - 3 blocks of 10 evenings. More info: adiscipledlife@southwell.anglican.org and www.youtube.com/watch?v=8hJpjn0So70

Newsletter Distributors

Distributors are required for the following areas; Breckhill Road (over 102) & Greengates Ave (Total 34), Clumber Ave & Birland Ave (Total 60) and Clipston Ave (Total 41). If you can help, please contact the church office.

St Mark's Info

If you would like to receive a weekly e-mail about news and upcoming events at St Mark's, please e-mail stmarkscirculations@gmail.com. This e-mail address will also send prayer requests and any urgent information.

Would you like to join a home group?

The majority of adults at St Mark's are part of a mid-week small group. These give opportunities to grow as disciples of Jesus Christ. Each group has a unique flavour...

Visit www.stmarksonline.co.uk and click on: About Us – Mid-week Groups

All Welcome – All Involved – All Sent

St Mark's is a caring church where every member is encouraged to love and support others. In pastoral situations, home groups are normally the first point of contact. We also have a pastoral team. Our local hospitals have trained chaplains available who offer support, prayer and Holy Communion. However, if you urgently need to make contact with a member of clergy, please use the following numbers when the church office is closed:

Bryan Mallows (Warden) 07884 062337
John Sargent (Warden) 0115 952 2275
Pat Simpson (Safeguarding) 07816 908133
Sue Roberts (Pastoral Team) 0115 953 7949

THIS WEEK

Sunday 8th July – Trinity 6

8.45am Holy Communion CW
Ephesians 3
Leader: Matt, Preacher: Jack

10.30am Communion
Ephesians 3
Leader: Matt, Preacher: Jack

6.00pm Evening Service
Ephesians 3
Leader: Elaine, Preacher: Jack

Monday

1.30pm Knit & Natter

Wednesday

2.00pm Tiddlywinks

Thursday

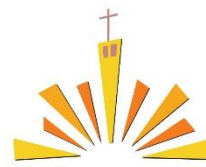
9.15am Parish Prayer (Chapel)

Sunday 15th July – Trinity 7

8.45am Morning Prayer (Chapel)
Leader: Peter F, Preacher: Peter F

10.30am Morning Service
Leader: Pat S, Preacher: Pat S

6.00pm Communion
Leader: Matt, Preacher: Matt



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Please note that photographs/videos may be taken during services and events

Safeguarding legislation requires us to make referrals without consent, if a child or vulnerable adult is potentially at risk

Let's pray for the following:

Please pray for Shirley Cronshaw and continue to pray for the family and friends of Joan and Alan Doubleday, Rev. Derek Goodman and Denis Lyon. Our elderly who are no longer able to attend church. Those that are housebound and those in care homes.

Parish Prayer

This week we pray for homes in
Longacre
Staff and Patients of Beech Avenue Clinic

Friends in Burundi

Please pray for Guy Nasasagare and the work of communication across the nine dioceses.

Azaria Spencer in Guatemala

Please pray for the work of Street Kids Direct among the poorest and most vulnerable children and young people in and around Guatemala City.

This month's Person to Pray for

Bishop John Nduwayo – Bishop of Gitega Diocese
Pray for him as he prepares to retire in August and hand over the diocese to his assistant Bishop.