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Duties for next Sunday:

Reader: Gill Walcot
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Sides people: Jane Smith
Teas: Lesley/Alan
Flowers: Sue W

If you need to change your duty please swap with someone else on the rota. Readers & Intercessors please let Lesley or Alan Faulkner know of the swap you have made. Tel: 526689.



Welcome to St Mark's Church

Sunday 4 May 2014

Service of the Word

Third Sunday of Easter

Led this morning by Reader Penny Devereux

Theme:

Jesus on the Emmaus Road

Readings:

Luke 24:13-35

LIFT 9.30am - 10am

**Drop-in prayer time each Sunday
in 'Gethsemane' room**

St Mark's is a Fairtrade Church

Please stay for refreshments after the Service

Mission Statement

A Community centred on the *living* Jesus; growing, serving
and reaching out in His name.

Please remember in your prayers:

- The Staff Team and all those who serve our Church.
- The life and work of St Mark's Church.
- Our local community.
- Our Armed Forces serving in Afghanistan, the ones who have not returned and the ones who have come home with life-changing injuries.
- Those who have suffered a bereavement or loss.
- Members of the church family who have family or friends who are ill or in hospital.

APCM (Annual Parochial Church Council Meeting)

Thank you to all those from St Marks who attended the APCM last Monday evening at Wick St Lawrence church.

We enjoyed some rousing worship, spent time with our friends from across the parish and made some important business decisions for the year ahead.

Here at St Marks we're not up to full strength at the business end of things. We have some important posts lying empty at the minute which does affect our mission and our effectiveness.

We have a vacancy for a Churchwarden, for a Deanery Synod Representative and for 2 Lay Parochial Church Council Members. If you are interested in administration and meetings please speak to Chris or a member of the Leadership Group about serving the Lord in this way.

St Mark's - Mission Update

This is a regular slot keeping you updated about our mission activity.

AIM 1: Build on our relationship with St Marks School

AIM 2: Reach out to families and children

Thursday Mum's & Toddlers Group

Between 1.15 and 3pm every Thursday afternoon during term time, Rosemary & Anne run this fantastic group to serve families in the area. A range of toys and craft activities are laid out and the children just play and meet new friends, while the parents and grandparents can chat over a hot drink.

What's happening this week:

Monday:

7.45pm Home group - Lesley & Alan Faulkner

Wednesday:

9.30am *Holy Communion at St Mark's
2.30pm Friendly Mosquitoes (every Wednesday)
7.45pm Home Group – Colin & Colleen Guichard

Thursday:

10.00am Holy Communion at St Martin's
1.00pm-3.00pm Toddler Group (Term time only)
7.30pm Worship Group Rehearsal (Term time only)

Sunday:

9.30am **Lift** - prayer meeting in Gethsemane
10.30am Service of the Word

*First Wednesday in the month 10.00am Mead Vale Community Hall

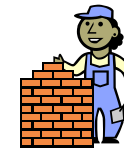
Holy Communion, today at 10.30am

If you are new to St Mark's.....

A warm welcome!

Thank you for being here this morning. We've gathered to sing songs to God, to think about the bible and to encourage each other.

If you have any questions about Christianity, or about why we do what we do, please don't hesitate to speak to Penny, leading the service, or a member of the Leadership Group (their photos are on the wall in the entrance).



Parish Membership and Electoral Roll – Is St Mark's your spiritual home?

Help us build a great church full of life! One of the ways is to make sure you are a signed up member of St Mark's. Plug in and start serving! (See Dave Fortune for a form.)

Sainsbury's Active Kid's Vouchers.

Please pass any vouchers that you can spare to Rosemary Burden. Thank you.