

Weekly Link

13th September

Sharing the love of Jesus with All

Services and activities

Sunday 13th September

- ⇒ 9.30am Holy Communion at St Mark's
- ⇒ 11.00am Morning Praise at All Saints'

Monday 14th September

- ⇒ 9.00am Edward Bear Club in the hall at Weston

Tuesday 15th September

- ⇒ 9.30-11am Toddler Group in the hall at St Mark's
- ⇒ 7.30pm Singers at St Mark's Community Choir in St Mark's church

Wednesday 16th September

- ⇒ 9am – 3pm: Café at All Saints'
- ⇒ 9.10am Morning Prayer online via Facebook page*

Thursday 17th September

- ⇒ 1.30pm Craft and Chatter meet in the hall at St Mark's
- ⇒ 7pm Night Prayer online via parish Facebook page*

Friday 18th September

- ⇒ 9am – 3pm Café @ St Mark's

Sunday 20th September

- ⇒ 9.30am Morning Praise at St Mark's
- ⇒ 11.00am Holy Communion at All Saints'

Sunday services at St Mark's are streamed to
*<https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsandstmarks>
Service materials can be found on Facebook and on our
website: www.allsaintsandstmarks.com

All Saints' is open every day for private prayer.

St Mark's church is open for private prayer during Friday
café hours (9am-3pm)

During the current Vacancy period please use the following
means of contact: Tel.: 01270 582585 or

Prayer for the week

Loving God, alert me to the many ways you speak –
not just through scripture and prayer,
or simply through religious leaders and teachers,
but through the voices of others
even when what they have to say
challenges and disturbs,
seeming to question my established beliefs,
contradicting received wisdom
and undermining what I have taken as read.
Speak your word afresh
in whatever way you choose and help me to listen.
Amen

As a Parish let us include in our prayers:

Sunday The retired clergy who are helping with Holy Communion services during our time of vacancy.

Monday Sara as Edward Bear and Glow restart after the long summer holiday.

Tuesday Those who serve on the various committees in the parish.

Wednesday Everyone who lives in Main Road and Silverdale Close.

Thursday Graduates who are seeking employment in their chosen profession.

Friday All who are long term carers at home for a loved one.

Saturday Our friends and neighbours who help and support us in time of need.

Weekly Link – contributions please

If you know of any events coming up (or anything else you think might be of interest) for the next Weekly Link, please send to Sharon **by midday on Wednesday**
sharonmspooner@outlook.com

SAFEGUARDING

The parish of All Saints' Weston and St Mark's Shavington is committed to making our churches welcoming and safe places for all. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. If you see or hear anything that you feel concerned about, please do not delay. Share your concerns with Shaan Shepherd, our Parish Safeguarding Officer: 07824 696006 or email: safeguardingwestonparish@gmail.com.

Alternatively, contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Team on: **01928 718834 (option 4)** 9am and 4pm, Monday to Friday.

For out-of-hours safeguarding advice, ring our partner organisation Thirtyone:eight on 0303 003 1111.

If there is immediate risk or danger, please contact the police on 999.

VACANCY UPDATE

We have some sad news regarding Clare Jackson who would have been joining us as a Deacon in July. Clare is presently unwell after suffering a cardiac issue and spent some time in hospital. She is currently recovering at home pending further tests. A "get well" card has been sent to her on behalf of the Parish, please keep her in your prayers. When we receive further information, we will provide an update.

Easyfundraising

Did you know that whenever you buy anything online – from your weekly shop to your annual holiday – you could be raising free donations for our Parish funds with Easyfundraising?

There are over 4,000 shops and sites on board ready to make a donation – including eBay, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com and M&S – and it won't cost you a penny extra to help us raise funds. To date, we have raised over £ 3000 for Parish funds via Easyfundraising. All you need to do is:

1. Access https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/allsaintsstmarks/?utm_campaign=raise-morehere and join for free.
2. Every time you shop online, go to Easyfundraising first to find the site you want and start shopping.
3. After you've checked out, the retailer will make a donation to Parish funds at no extra cost to you whatsoever!

There are no catches or hidden charges and we will be really grateful for your donations.

Thanks - Roger

Slow Cookers needed!



Do you have a large slow cooker you would be willing to loan for volunteers to use at St Mark's preparing this year's Harvest Supper?

If you can help please contact Roger Bracey, Sheila McAlpine or Elizabeth Davies-Allman.

CAFÉS are OPEN

Cafes at both All Saints' and St Mark's are again open after their summer breaks
Hope to see you all there.



Flowers for Harvest

Can you help to decorate the church for the Harvest Festival Service on Sunday 11th October?

If you would like to do an arrangement for a window of flowers and/or fruit and veg, we would love your help.

Please let Sue Moore know about your preference
01270 587566.

Craft & Chatter

Looking for something indoors to keep you busy as the nights draw in?

Craft & Chatter will be taking part in the Craft Fair on 21st November and would welcome any contributions you might make.

We have patterns and resources to help you get started on a new crafting journey.

Why not join us on 1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month at 1.30 in St. Mark's Hall to share ideas over a cuppa.

Look forward to seeing you there.

Next meeting 1.30 pm Thurs 17th Sept



Please scan the QR codes to visit the Church website for more information about the churches or the giving pages to make a donation to All Saints' and St Mark's.

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