



St Mark's Church

LEAMINGTON SPA

Belonging... Believing... Becoming...
A community of believers, sharing God's love with the world

Sunday 28th July

10.00am Morning Worship

Praying and Living: Thanksgiving

Psalm 68:23-35 & Ephesians 1:15-21

Leader: Amanda di Giovanni

Preacher: Marie Calvert

www.youtube.com/StMarksChurchLSpa

After the service, please join us for refreshments at the back of church.

6.30pm Evening Worship in the Church

Ephesians 3:14-21

Leader: Amanda di Giovanni

Refreshments served from 6pm

Tuesday 30th August

7.00pm Sound Desk Training in church. If interested to learn do come along.

Thursday 1st August

9.00-10.20am Church open for private prayer & café,

10.30am Holy Communion

Order of Service:

Welcome, Song, Interactive part, Song, Confession, Reading, Sermon, Songs, Prayers, Song, Blessing

Order of Service:

Welcome, Confession, 3 Songs, Reading, talk & discussion
 Sharing & prayer, Song, Blessing

Livestreaming Notice: Our 10am service on Sunday mornings is livestreamed on our YouTube channel www.youtube.com/c/StMarksChurchLSpa/videos
 The distribution of Holy Communion will not be filmed.

If you have items to be included in the weekly notice sheet please email office@st-marks.net by **10am Wednesday**. Keep in touch via www.st-marks.net or St Mark's Facebook Page. Contact the office to receive this notice sheet by email (or to stop receiving it). Our privacy policy can be found on the website.

Events and activities coming up

Congratulations to Revd Ellie Clack on her appointment as Spiritual Care Service Lead (Lead Chaplain) for the Myton Hospices. Starting late September.



Sunday morning services 21st July to 25th August. We are looking at Ephesians with the theme "Praying and Living". There won't be groups for the children, but there will be activities included in the service (not to the extent of our usual all age services). Colouring, puzzle sheets and snacks will be available. **Holy Communion will be on the 2nd Sunday (11th August) not the 1st Sunday (4th August).**

Sound Desk Training. 7pm on Tuesday 30th in Church. Please come along if you wish to learn the process to then assist when needed.

Together in Meditation. 1st August 7.30pm. A short introduction, 40 minutes of sitting quietly together and a cup of tea or coffee and a chat at the end. Nothing complicated, anyone can do it, all welcome.

Summer Fun. Wednesday mornings in August, 10-11.30am in the church garden. For families with pre-school children (older siblings also welcome). Refreshments available.

Cap Money Coaching at St Mark's. Friday 9th and 16th August from 10.30 am till 12pm in the Committee Room. For more info and to book a place please contact Beryl Chisholm - neilandberylchisholm@hotmail.com

Sunday 11th August. Picnic after the morning service - bring your lunch (or breakfast!) and a picnic blanket or chairs. In the hall if wet.

Men's Event The next one will be held on **Wednesday 14 August**. An evening walk from Church to the Saxon Mill pub for a few drinks, then walking back. Meet at church at 7pm. Please let Andrew Lee know if you intend to come – 07512 411690 or andrewleemkp@outlook.com

Leamington Pride Festival. Saturday 17th August. Starting with a march down the Parade (includes lots of stands, stalls and activities in the Pump Room Gardens). If you're interested in marching with a group of Christians from local churches or helping on the Warwick & Leamington LGBTXIANS stall, please speak to Marcella or email her on Marcella@st-marks.net.

Sunday 8th September. Families brunch after the morning service.

Church Weekend Away 2025. Friday 20th – Sunday 22nd June at the Pioneer Centre near Cleobury Mortimer, Shropshire. More details and booking in September.

General Information

Days off

Tim does not usually work Tuesdays.

Ros does not work Saturdays.

Fiona works Tuesday and Thursday.

Amanda works Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Contact information

Tim vicar@st-marks.net phone 01926 421004 and follow the instructions.

Office

The office is usually open Monday-Friday 9-1. Staff meeting 11.30-12.30 Wednesday. Email office@st-marks.net or phone as above. Please avoid office related questions on Sundays.

August and September at The Well Christian Healing Centre

20 Augusta Place, Leamington Spa CV32 5EL

Well Come and Be – every Thursday 10am to 12pm over the Summer:
[Well Come and Be – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Encounter Evening – Sat 10th Aug 7.30pm to 9pm: [Encounter Evening – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Rest and Receive in person: 4th and 16th Sept 2pm to 3.30pm: [Rest and Receive prayer – What's on – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Streams in the Desert with Bishop Ruth: 9th Sept 7.15pm to 9.30pm at St. Pauls: [Streams in the Desert: Drawing From The Well – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Healing Prayer Training Evening: Mon 16th Sept 7.15pm to 9.45pm: [Healing Prayer Training Evening – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Quiet Morning, The Four Seasons: Thursday 19th Sept 10am to 1pm: [The Four Seasons – Quiet Morning – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Rest and Receive Online: Thursday 26th Sept 7pm to 8pm: [Rest and Receive Online – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Encounter Evening: Sat 28th Sept 7.30pm to 9pm: [Encounter Evening – The Well Christian Healing Centre \(wellhealing.org\)](http://wellhealing.org)

Giving to St Mark's. We are very grateful to everyone who gives financially. Ideally, and particularly if you can gift aid your donation, please set up a regular direct debit through the Parish Giving Scheme. Go to www.parishgiving.org.uk and you can find St Mark's from the front page, and set it up online. Thank you. Alternatively, you can give on line, using this link <https://givealittle.co/campaigns/670e813c-9dbf-456a-b47e-c077c9a02904> or the one on the church website. <https://www.st-marks.net/more/giving> You will also find a link to a Gift Aid declaration form here.

If you are writing or updating your will, please consider leaving us a legacy.

Small Groups at St Mark's. We are encouraging people who are not in a group to consider joining one. We know that they don't work for everyone, also that it is very important to find the right group so we suggest a "try before you buy" approach. Our groups meet on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, with one Wednesday morning group meeting by Zoom. Nikki has a group during the day on Tuesdays seeking new members. You can find out a bit about each group on the notice board at the back of church (opposite the kitchen door). Speak to Amanda di Giovanni for more information or email office@st-marks.net

Getting involved at St Mark's. If you would like to find out more about being part of the Welcome or Coffee Teams, leading intercessions, reading in church, joining the music groups, helping with children's or youth work, Chaplaincy Team at Leamington College, cleaning the church... Please contact the office and we will put you in touch with the relevant person.

Inclusive Church www.inclusive-church.org

St Mark's is part of this network of churches, groups and individuals uniting together around a shared vision.

We believe in a Church which **welcomes and serves all people** in the name of Jesus Christ; which is scripturally faithful; which seeks to proclaim the Gospel afresh for each generation; and which, in the power of the Holy Spirit, allows all people to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Jesus Christ.

As part of our commitment to inclusivity, St Mark's has joined **Sight Loss Friendly Church**. If you, or someone you know, are affected by sight loss please let the office know how we can help.



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