

WHAT'S ON



AT ST MARK'S TERM TWO 2024

SUNDAY SERVICES

Come and join us at one of our Sunday services. Please visit stmarksdp.org/sunday-services/ for details and livestream links.

Everyone is welcome at our Sunday services:

- 8am** Book of Common Prayer
Communion Service
- 10am** Contemporary service of Scripture, songs, and prayer
- 5.30pm** Contemporary service of Scripture, songs, and prayer

More Like Christ series continues

What difference does it make to know God? If God is invisible, how can we know him in full? What does true wisdom look like? Where is our hope? In our series on Colossians, we'll be engaging with these profound and practical questions - and discovering that Christ, the true image of the invisible God, is at the centre of the universe itself.

ST MARK'S ORGAN RECITAL

St Mark's will present an Organ Recital for the Scholarship Fund on Sunday 26 May 2024 at 3pm. Don't miss this opportunity to hear talented organist Samuel Giddy perform. To register, please visit stmarksdp.org/whats-on/

PRE-MARRIAGE COURSE

The Pre-marriage course is for couples who are engaged or exploring marriage. Discover the attitudes, the values and the habits that are needed to build a healthy and strong marriage that will last a lifetime. Book now and join us from Tuesday 28 May, 7pm – 9pm for five weeks for this online course. Visit <https://stmarksdp.org/whats-on/>

THE FRIENDS OF ST MARK'S 70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

Lots of interesting events are planned for The Friends including a guided tour of the Sydney Jewish Museum on Wednesday 15 May, the 'Successful Ageing' luncheon on Thursday 27 June, as well as the Organ Recital and Choral Evensong. Visit The Friends panel on <https://stmarksdp.org/whats-on/> to find our more and to register to join the mailing list to be notified about our future events. The Friends was established in 1954 as a group desiring to connect people with each other and St Mark's, while furthering the life and ministry of the church. This role continues today, with the group keen to draw people together and rekindle our broader community connections. The Friends welcomes members of all ages and anybody for whom our beautiful church has a special meaning, regardless of whether or not you attend church. So please invite family and friends who you feel may be interested in joining us. For other enquiries about The Friends, contact us at fosm@stmarksdp.org

CHORAL EVENSONG

The St Mark's Choir is delighted to be holding Choral Evensong services. The next service will be held on Sunday 23 June 2024, 3-4:10pm. We encourage anyone who values the services contained in the 1662 Book of Common Prayer to attend. This service will feature special music and hymns. We look forward to welcoming you at St Mark's for this musical treat and time of reflection. For any enquiries, please contact choir@stmarksdp.org

ST MARK'S MUSIC

St Mark's has a long tradition and commitment to sharing fine choral and organ music with both our regular congregation and wider community. St Mark's Music (an activity of the St Mark's Darling Point Cultural Trust) has been founded with the vision of growing this ministry which is so much a part of who we are. To learn more about our vision for supporting music at St Mark's and how you can be involved visit <http://www.stmarksmusic.org/> or email office@stmarksmusic.org

CONNECT GROUPS

Connect Groups are the best way to explore questions and deepen your faith, while connecting with others in the St Mark's community. Visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/> or contact our Assistant Minister, Tim Escott: connectgroups@stmarksdp.org

ST MARK'S MUSIC TIME

Encourage sensory play and connect and reconnect with other parents of 0-5 year olds at Music Time! We kick off on Monday 6 May 2024. Register for Term 2 via our website: <https://stmarksdp.org/whats-on/>

KIDS CHURCH

A place for kids aged 3-11 to discover God's loving plan for the world through the Bible, craft and play. Join us at 10am each Sunday of the school term. Creche available for 0-2. To find out what's on for kids at St Mark's and register your child for our regular Sunday program, contact Steph at stephanie.leung@stmarksdp.org

Scan the QR to find out what's on and/or make prayer requests



ST MARK'S YOUTH

A group for young people in school Years 6 -12. Each week we share food, have fun, and explore life and faith together. Term 2 starts Friday 10 May 2024. For more details visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/youth/> or contact our Assistant Minister, Tim Escott: youthminister@stmarksdp.org

A MESSAGE FROM OUR RECTOR

"Transformed by Grace to Love One Another, to Serve the City and to Share Christ."

At St Mark's we want to help people connect with God and experience his love and mercy. We are not a community of perfect people. However, we are a community who gather together because we need to hear the message of God's mercy to us in the death of Jesus Christ.

We believe that the best way to discover more about God is in community. That's why we provide different opportunities during the week to get together, enjoy each other's company, and to find out more about God. Our church is a hive of activity, with something for everyone. But it all has the same purpose: we want to be shaped by the good news of Jesus Christ, so that we can be used by God to do the things he wants done. We hope that you will join us.

Michael Jensen, Rector

GET IN TOUCH

We would love to welcome you to St Mark's Anglican Church soon. For more information about our service times, sermon series, activities and other ways to become involved with our community, please contact us.

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