

# WHAT'S ON



## AT ST MARK'S TERM TWO 2023

### SUNDAY SERVICES

Come and join us at one of our Sunday services. The 8am and 10am services will also be livestreamed. Please visit [stmarksdp.org/sunday-services/](https://stmarksdp.org/sunday-services/)

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

### Fellowship and Food

Food might be tasty, but what could it possibly tell us about God and a life well lived? The Bible is replete with stories of significant meals: from the Garden of Eden, to Jesus' meals with 'sinners', the Lord's supper, and the heavenly banquet. Come and hear how these meals reveal our purpose and place in our created world, show us the meaning of forgiveness, hospitality and inclusion, and give us a taste of real satisfaction and everlasting hope with God our creator.

### ALPHA COURSE

Join Alpha, a six-part series exploring the big questions of life, meaning and the Christian faith in a relaxed and friendly environment. All welcome.

The next course commences on Tuesday 2 May 2023 at 7pm. For more details, please visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/alpha/> or contact our Assistant Minister, Michael Figueira: [michael.figueira@stmarksdp.org](mailto:michael.figueira@stmarksdp.org)

### DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Reconnect with God through Michael Jensen's free daily devotional message, delivered to your inbox each weekday morning.

To subscribe to this helpful service, visit <https://stmarksdp.org/daily-devotional/>

### ST MARK'S ORGAN RECITAL

St Mark's will present an Organ Recital for the Scholarship Fund on Sunday 21 May 2023 at 2pm. Don't miss this opportunity to hear talented organist Dr Brett McKern perform. To register, please visit [stmarksdp.org/whats-on/](https://stmarksdp.org/whats-on/)

### JOIN THE ST MARK'S CHOIR

Our wonderful 8am choir is auditioning for new members. Are you able to sing? Can you read music? We'd love to have you! Contact Geoffrey Gartner on [cellochaos@hotmail.com](mailto:cellochaos@hotmail.com). For more information about the Choir, visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/the-st-marks-choir/>

### 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. There are Connect Groups meeting in the evenings mid-week in people's homes, in the morning in the city before work, and during the day at St Mark's. For more information, visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/> or contact our Assistant Minister, Tim Escott: [connectgroups@stmarksdp.org](mailto:connectgroups@stmarksdp.org)

## WEEKLY CATCH-UP

St Mark's emails out the free Weekly Catch-Up to our church community members. This provides an easy way to stay in touch with church news and also offers messages of encouragement. To subscribe please email: [office@stmarksdp.org](mailto:office@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 1 May 2023. Register for Term 2 via our website. Go to <https://stmarksdp.org/event/music-time-registration-2/>

## KIDS CHURCH

Who are your heroes? In Term 2, come and learn about 'People of Faith', real men and women from the Bible who trusted God's plan. Kids will practice perseverance, hear from modern people of faith, and grow in courage and hope.

Contact Stephanie at [stephanie.leung@stmarksdp.org](mailto:stephanie.leung@stmarksdp.org) for info and registration.

## 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. Starting Friday 28 April 2023.

For more information, visit <https://stmarksdp.org/ministries/youth/> or contact our Assistant Minister, Tim Escott: [youthminister@stmarksdp.org](mailto:youthminister@stmarksdp.org)

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



## A MESSAGE FROM OUR RECTOR

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

At St Mark's Anglican Church Darling Point we want to help people connect with God. We want people to experience his love and mercy. We are not a community of perfect people. In fact, we are the opposite! 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 - in the Eastern Suburbs, in Sydney, and across the world.

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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