

Welcome to St Mark's & St Peter's with St Andrew, Levenshulme

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'When you reap the harvest of your land, do not reap to the very edges of your field or gather the gleanings of your harvest. Leave them for the poor and for the foreigner residing among you. I am the LORD your God.' Leviticus 23:22

Our Regular Activities for October

	Zoom	St Mark's	St Peter's
Tuesdays & Thursdays	9.15am Morning Prayer		
Wednesdays	7.45pm Bible Group	10am Tots Group	7.45pm Bible Study Group
Fridays		7pm Youth Group	

Thursdays 7.30pm Home Group at the Frost's house

Sunday 5 th		10am HC	11.15am MW
Sunday 12 th		10am MW	11.15am HC
Sunday 19 th		10am HC	11.15am MW
Sunday 26 th		10am Children & Family service	11.15am HC

HC = Holy Communion; MW = Morning Worship

News & events

Sunday 5th October will be our **Harvest Festival**. We will be collecting produce for the Boaz Trust and financial donations will go to the Lahore Diocese Flood appeal.

We will also be hosting a **bring and share lunch** for members of both churches after the Harvest service at St Peter's (roughly 12.30pm). All are very welcome. More details to follow.

The next **PCC meeting** is on 2nd September at St Peter's, 7pm for St Mark's and 7.30pm for St Peter's to join.

The **MacMillan coffee morning** is on Saturday 4th October at 10.30am.

Holy Communion at **Moseley Court** will be at 2pm on Thursday 9th October

We will be having **work mornings** on 11th October at St Mark's and 18th October at St Peter's. Both starting from 9am. There are jobs for all abilities, all are welcome.

Men's breakfast at Levenshulme Baptist Church on Saturday 27th September at 8.45am. All men welcome, see Ralph, Peter or Bill Watson for more information.

Prayers

God's healing and restoration for: Hazel, Pat, Samantha, Claire, Paul, Jean, Nora, David and Leonard.

Prayers: Dear Lord, we bring before you all those in our society who are forgotten. Those who fall through the holes in our world. For the homeless and the hungry. For the marginalised and mistreated. For those who are fleeing from dangerous situations. For those who have been outcast from their families and communities. For those who need help and support but cannot find it. Show us how we can stand up for those who are forgotten. To be a voice for the voiceless. Amen.

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by George

I seem to have been saying this a lot recently, but I'm very challenged by things being said in the world around us. So, can I say very clearly and very proudly that:

All are so very welcome in our churches

Both of our churches represent the family of God. We are all made in the image of God, coming together to worship him. Indeed, Psalm 24.1 reminds us that all nations belong to God.

Revelation 7.9 envisions people from every nation, tribe, and tongue standing before God's throne, worshipping with palm branches in their hands.

Flags used in the correct way, for good purposes are a cause of pride. Indeed, in St Peter's we have lots of flags displayed on the pillars inside church. There must be more than 50 flags displayed and they represent the nations of people who have worshipped at St Peter's over the years.

When patriotism becomes nationalism, we have problems as a society. The imperative to 'love our neighbour' seems to disappear at the point when we start to talk about 'us' and 'them'.

Please, if you do ever feel threatened or worried, please do talk to someone. We are a church family across both of our churches, and as a church family, we are called to fly a different flag.

Philippians 3.20 reminds us that, as Christians, our citizenship is to be found in heaven. It's only there that we will find a Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ.

With my love and prayers

George

Rev George Reeves, Rector