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



December 2026

'But the angel said to them, do not be afraid, I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people.' - Luke 2.10

Our Regular Activities for December

	Zoom	St Mark's	St Peter's
Tuesdays & Thursdays	9.15am Morning Prayer (until 17th Dec)		
Tuesdays			1-3pm Open Church
Wednesdays	7.45pm Bible Group (until 9th Dec)	10am Tots Group (until 16th Dec)	7.45pm Bible Group (until 9th Dec)
Thursdays			3.30pm Brick Church (until 17th Dec)

Thursdays 7.30pm Home Group

Sunday 6th		10am HC	11.15am MW
Sunday 13th		10am MW	11.15am HC
Sunday 20th		10am HC	11.15am MW **6.30pm Carol Service**
Christmas Eve		**5pm Crib Service** **11.30pm Midnight HC**	-
Christmas Day		-	**10.30am HC**
Sunday 27th		**10.30am HC**	-

HC = Holy Communion; MW = Morning Worship

News & events

We will be putting on crafts at the **Levenshulme Lights Switch-on** at the Village Green on Stockport Road at 6pm on Monday 30th November.

The Toy Exchange is on Saturday 5th December from 10.30am to 12.30pm at St Mark's. Donate good quality pre-loved toys. Give a new home to toys donated by others. See Katie for more.

On 5th December the **Men's Breakfast** moves to be at St Peter's church. Arriving for 8.45am for food, discussion and prayer. All men are very welcome.

Our **annual Memorial Service** is on Sunday 6th December at 2pm. Come and light a candle to remember your loved ones. Invite others that would really appreciate time to remember and give thanks.

Christmas Carols at **Moseley Court** will be at 2pm on Thursday 10th December

On Saturday 12th December we will be joining with the Scout group in a **Family Star Trail, Carols and Nativity** around the campfire outside of St Mark's. All are very welcome, bring a torch!

St Andrew's CE School Carol Service is at St Peter's on Tuesday 15th December at 6pm

Our **Carol Service** is on Sunday 20th December at St Peter's at 6.30pm. Refreshments will be served afterwards. Please do invite your friends and family.

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by George

Do you like to receive a gift? A gift can be a surprise or we can know it's coming and be fully aware of its contents.

Our Christmas theme, 'Jesus is the Gift of Christmas' reminds us that amongst the busyness, amongst the commercial pressures, and counter to the narrative of the world around us, we are celebrating the birth of our Lord and Saviour.

I'm hoping that we can agree that this is 'Good News'.

But is it Good News enough to want to tell other people about? Good enough News to want to share it with our loved ones.

We've been talking a bit lately about church growth, not growth for the sake of it, but rather a yearning for others to get to hear the Good News of Jesus for themselves, so that they too can make up their own minds about having a relationship with Jesus.

We've recently been delivering hundreds of Christmas leaflets to the people of Levenshulme, letting them know what we are doing this Christmas, and thank you for your part in doing this.

But we need to go further. All the research says that that there are people waiting to be personally asked to come to church.

Would you be prepared to invite someone to one of our activities and services this Christmas? There's Good News that needs to be passed on. It could be the greatest gift that you can give them this Christmas.

With my love and prayers this Christmas time

George

Rev George Reeves, Rector