

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray...

for all who teach and guard the faith, especially

- ✠ John, our Bishop
- ✠ Graham of Dudley
- ✠ Justin of Canterbury

for the Anglican Communion and its partners, particularly the people and clergy of

- The Church of the Province of South East Asia, and their archbishop, ✠Datuk Ng Moon Hing
- The Finnish Lutheran diocese of Mikkeli, and their bishop, ✠Seppo Häkkinen
- The Old-Catholic Church in Germany and their bishop, ✠Matthias Ring

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray...

- For the end to all conflict, terrorism, bloodshed, and killing
- For an equitable sharing of the world's resources
- That world leaders will govern for the Common Good
- For Elizabeth our Queen, and the Government
- That refugees will be welcomed with hospitality

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES:

we offer our prayers for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Richardson Drive and the new canalside development
- Work places, factories, shops, businesses, commerce, etc
- Prison chaplains, prison staff, volunteers, and all prisoners, for their conversion of heart
- The rough sleepers in our town, that they will find shelter in the cold and damp

**May God bless all that is good
in our lives and relationships**

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

we pray for those for whom our prayers have been asked...

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| Lyndon Viney | Jan Morris |
| Rita Nokes | Lillian Dunn |
| Michael Crowe | John Eyles |
| Tim Gebbells | Olivia Barker (baby) |
| Chris Middleton | Kate White |
| Diane Tranter | Fr Paul & Moira Tongue |
| Harold Taylor | Marjorie Bishop |
| Heather, Michael, Ian, Helen, and Joseph | |

those who receive Holy Communion at home:

- Rose Hill, Veronica Baker, Irene Mullany, Betty Griffin, Kath Cooper, Marion Wass

**remembering all who treat and care for the sick and frail,
and those who have lost the health and strength that once
were theirs**

THE DEPARTED

we commend to God's eternal care and keeping...

Recently departed:

In our year's mind:

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| 9 | Alan Ebbage (2008) | Debra Smith (2010) |
| | Geoffrey Macklin (2013) | |
| 11 | John Hawkins (2014) | |
| 13 | Arthur Taylor (2012) | Annie Tennant |
| 14 | Evelyn Murphy (2011) | |

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord

And let light perpetual shine upon them!

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

- The Blessed Virgin Mary, William Laud, Mary Slessor, Aelred, Hilary, and all the saints

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE, HOLY TRINITY
8 January 2017

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST



THE COLLECT

Eternal Father,
who at the baptism of Jesus
revealed him to be your Son,
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,
that we may be faithful to our calling
as your adopted children;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Eternal Lord,
our beginning and our end:
bring us with the whole creation
to your glory, hidden through past ages
and made known
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

SERVICES TODAY

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| 0800 | Said Mass (traditional language) | |
| 1000 | PARADE MASS | |
| 1800 | Sung Evensong | Mary and Lyn |

READINGS FOR THE MASS

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| First Reading | Isaiah 42.1-9 |
| Responsorial Psalm | 29 |
| Second reading | Acts 10.34-43 |
| The Holy Gospel | Matthew 3.13-end |

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

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| Int | 323 | Colours of day |
| Grad | 128 | Majesty (sung twice) |
| Off | 36 | On Jordan's Bank |
| PComm | 219 | Father, we love you |
| Rec | 339 | O Jesus I have promised |

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

May the Lord bless his people with peace.

READINGS FOR EVENING WORSHIP

Psalm 46,47 / Joshua 3.1-8,14-end / Hebrews 1.1-12

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A :: The Baptism of Christ / DEL – Yr 1 :: Wk 1

SERVICES ON SUNDAY – 8 January 2017

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST

- 0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)
1000 **PARADE MASS**
1800 Sung Evensong

THE CHURCH IS OPEN EVERY DAY BETWEEN 9 AND 5 FOR PRIVATE PRAYER, DEVOTION, AND VISITING.

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| MON 9 | <i>Epiphanytide</i> | |
| TUE 10 | <i>William Laud, archbishop, 1645</i> | 1800 Office Hour |
| WED 11 | <i>Mary Slessor, missionary, 1915</i> | 0900 Morning Prayer 0930 Said Mass <i>Fr John</i> 1500 AFTERNOON TEA 1700 Evening Prayer |
| THU 12 | <i>Aelred of Hexham, abbot, 1167</i> | 1100 Said Mass <i>Fr John</i> |
| FRI 13 | <i>Hilary of Poitiers, bishop, teacher of the faith, 367</i> | 0900 Morning Prayer |
| SAT 14 | <i>Epiphanytide</i> | |

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 15 JANUARY 2017

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

- 0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional*) *Mtr Judith*
1000 **PARISH MASS** *Fr John*
1800 Sung Evensong *Lyn and Mary*

READINGS FOR EPIPHANY 2

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| First Reading | Isaiah 49.1-7 |
| Responsorial Psalm | 40.1-12 |
| Second reading | 1 Corinthians 1.1-9 |
| The Holy Gospel | John 1.29-42 |

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NOTICE BOARD

PARADE MASS

Welcome to all those with us this morning for the Parade Mass. Our Guiding friends haven't started back yet, so they will be with us next time. Future Parade Masses which are generally on a second Sunday will be different in March, as we will meet on **26 March, Mothering Sunday**. The following month on **9 April**, the service begins in the Church Hall at 9.45am, as we have a **Palm Sunday** procession!

AFTERNOON TEA

There will be Afternoon Tea in church this coming **Wednesday at 3pm**. All are invited and very welcome to come and share a gentle time in company with others. No praying, and no charge. Bring your friends.

HOPE IN THE HOLY LAND

The Worcester and Dudley Group of the Friends of the Holy Land warmly invites us to learn about the church school in Ramallah, and Martha's House in Bethlehem, both within the Occupied Territories.

The event takes place at Droitwich Spa Methodist Church (WR9 8AN) on Thursday 26 January at 7pm.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

JANUARY 2017

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| SU 8 | THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST 10.00am Parade Mass |
| Mo 9 | 2.00pm Kneeler Group |
| We 11 | 3.00pm Afternoon Tea |
| SU 15 | THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY |
| We 18 | Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins |
| Th 19 | 2.00pm Mothers' Union |
| SU 22 | THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY |
| Mo 23 | 7.30pm WPCU Service of Wholeness, healing, and reconciliation |
| Th 26 | 7.00pm PCC Meeting |
| SU 29 | THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY |

FEBRUARY

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| TH 2 | CANDLEMASS 7.30pm FESTAL MASS OF THE PRESENTATION |
| SU 5 | THE FOURTH SUNDAY BEFORE LENT |
| We 8 | 3.00pm Afternoon Tea |
| Sa 11 | 9.30am Prayer and Care |
| SU 12 | THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT |
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SU 26 THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT

MARCH

WE 1 ASH WEDNESDAY
10.00am Said Mass with imposition
7.30pm SUNG MASS with imposition of ashes

SU 5 THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Sa 11 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 12 THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

Mo 13 2.00pm Kneeler Group

SU 19 THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

SU 26 MOTHERING SUNDAY

APRIL

SU 2 PASSION SUNDAY

Sa 8 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 9 HOLY WEEK BEGINS: PALM SUNDAY

Mo 10 11.00am CHRISM MASS
2.00pm Kneeler Group
7.00pm Stations of the Cross

Tu 11 7.00pm Said Mass with Address

We 12 3.00pm Afternoon Tea
7.00pm Said Mass with Address

Th 13 8.00pm **COMMEMORATION OF THE LAST SUPPER, FOOTWASHING, AND VIGIL UNTIL MIDNIGHT**

Fr 14 9.00am Confessions will be heard
10.00am Walk of Witness
2.00pm The Third Hour
6.00pm Liturgy of the Holy Cross

Sa 15 8.00pm VIGIL OF READINGS, LIGHTING OF THE NEW FIRE, EXSULTET, RENEWAL OF BAPTISM VOWS, AND FIRST COMMUNION OF EASTER

SU 16 EASTER DAY
8.00am Said Mass of the Resurrection
10.00am FESTAL MASS OF THE RESURRECTION
6.00PM Easter Praise

SU 23 LOW SUNDAY

SU 30 THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY

SU 7 THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mo 8 2.00pm Kneeler Group

We 10 3.00pm Afternoon Tea

SU 14 THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SU 21 ROGATION SUNDAY

TH 25 ASCENSION DAY
11.00am Said Mass of the Ascension
7.30pm FESTAL MASS OF THE ASCENSION

SU 28 THE SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

JUNE

SU 4 THE DAY OF PENTECOST

Sa 10 7.30pm Gentleman Songsters' Concert

We 14 3.00pm Afternoon Tea

SU 11 TRINITY SUNDAY
8.00am Said Mass of the Holy Trinity
10.00am FESTAL MASS OF FEAST OF TITLE 175th Anniversary
Celebrant and Preacher: Bp Graham
1.00pm Celebration Lunch

SU 18 TRINITY 1

SU 25 TRINITY 2

JULY

SU 2 TRINITY 3

Mo 10 2.00pm Kneeler Group

We 12 3.00pm Afternoon Tea

SU 9 TRINITY 4

Mo 10 2.00pm Kneeler Group

SU 16 TRINITY 5

REGULAR SERVICES

SUNDAY

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| 8.00am | Said Mass (<i>trad language</i>) |
| 10.00am | PARISH MASS |
| 12noon | Baptisms 1st and 3rd Sundays |
| 6.00pm | Evensong or Vespers (4th Sunday with Benediction) |

WEDNESDAY

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| 9.30am | Said Mass |
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THURSDAY

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| 11.00am | Said Mass |
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MONDAY TO FRIDAY

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| 9.00am | Morning Prayer |
| 5.00pm | Evening Prayer |