

## INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

### THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray...

for those who teach and guard the faith, especially

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

### for the unity of the Anglican Communion,

for the Church of Ireland

Archbishop Richard Clarke, *Primate*

and all the clergy and people in the north and south

### for our Lutheran Partners

In the Nordic countries, the Baltics, Germany, and Britain

### for the leaders of other denominations and communions

The Ecumenical Patriarch, Pope Francis,

and the leaders of the Churches of the Reformed tradition

### THE WORLD: we pray...

- That the just and gentle rule of Jesus will prevail
- For Elizabeth our Queen, and those who hold power and authority in her name
- For the victims of war, bombardment, and terrorism
- For the peace of Syria, Libya and Afghanistan
- All affected by flood, devastation and earthquake

### OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES:

#### we offer our prayers for...

- Our parishioners, particularly those in Nuthatch Drive, and Shearwater Drive
- The deprived, those in broken homes and broken relationships, for reconciliation

**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...

Jim and Sue Ward	Rita Nokes
Valerie	Michael Crowe
Alan Lamasz	Janet Ebbage
Beryl Brazier	Wendy Mort
Percy Hewins	Shirley Pitchford
Margaret Disley	Lizzie Wainwright
Jenny Furber	John Eyles
Fr Paul Tongue	Lyndon Viney
Lillian Dunn	June Hunt

#### and those who receive Holy Communion at home...

Rose Hill	Veronica Baker
Irene Mullany	Keith Adey

**and all who have lost the health and strength  
that once were theirs**

### THE DEPARTED

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

Recently:

Clair Brettell (15 Feb)	Kate Bisseker (26 Feb)
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In our year's mind:

6 Clarice Taylor (2009)	Davina Marsh (2009)
7 Michael Thomas (2010)	
8 Ann Barnett (2009)	
9 Jane Robinson (2012)	Janet Bristow (2014)
10 Sam Pearson	
11 Martin Bedford (2013)	Jeffrey Price (2013)

*Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord*

**And let light perpetual shine upon them!**

### THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

The Blessed Virgin Mary, Perpetua, Felicity, Edward King  
and the whole company of heaven.

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE, HOLY TRINITY  
6 March 2016

## MOTHERING SUNDAY



### THE COLLECT

God of compassion,  
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,  
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,  
and on the cross

drew the whole human family to himself:  
strengthen us in our daily living  
that in joy and in sorrow  
we may know the power of your presence  
to bind together and to heal;  
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

Almighty God,  
by the prayer and discipline of Lent  
may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings,  
and by following in his Way  
come to share in his glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### SERVICES TODAY

0800	<b>Low Mass</b> ( <i>traditional language</i> )
1000	<b>PARADE MASS</b>
1200	Holy Baptism
1800	Solemn Evensong

### READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	1 Samuel 1.20-end
Psalm or Canticle	Psalm 127.1-4
Second Reading	2 Corinthians 5.16-end
The Holy Gospel	Luke 15.1-3, 11b-end

### HYMNS FOR THE MASS

<i>Ent</i>	20	<i>Praise my soul the King of heaven</i>
<i>Grad</i>	364	<i>Let there be love shared among us</i>
<i>Off</i>	39	<i>Tell out my soul</i>
<i>PComm</i>	238	<i>Now thank we all our God</i>
<i>Cong</i>	303	<i>Lord of all hopefulness</i>

### SOP

### RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

**Children are a heritage from the Lord.**

### READINGS FOR EVENING PRAYER

*Psalm 30 / Isaiah 40.27 – 41.13 / 2 Timothy 4.1-18*

# HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE THIS WEEK

RCL – YrC :: Mothering Sunday / DEL – Yr2 :: 4th wk in Lent

## SERVICES ON SUNDAY – 6 March 2016 MOTHERING SUNDAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)
1000	PARADE MASS
1200	Holy Baptism
1800	Solemn Evensong

**THE CHURCH IS OPEN DAILY BETWEEN 9 AND 5  
FOR PRIVATE PRAYER, DEVOTION, AND VISITING.**

### MON *Perpetua, Felicity and their companions, Martyrs, 204*

7	0900	Morning Prayer
	1700	Evening Prayer

### TUE *Edward King, Bishop of Lincoln, 1910*

8	0900	Morning Prayer
	1100	Service of the Word <i>Comberton NH</i>
	1700	Evening Prayer
	1800	Office Hour
	1930	Living as Disciples: St Michael's, Norton

### WED *Lent*

9	0900	Morning Prayer
	0930	Low Mass
	1200	Society of Catholic Priests <i>Wordsley</i>
	1500	Afternoon Tea
	1700	Evening Prayer

### THU *Lent*

10	0900	Morning Prayer
	1100	Low Mass
	1700	Evening Prayer
	1930	Steps in Faith: Roots, Shoots and Fruits

### FRI *Lent*

11	0900	Morning Prayer
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### SAT *Lent*

12	0900	Morning Prayer
	0930	Prayer and Care meeting
	1000	Diocesan Synod <i>Norton</i>
	1400	Safeguarding Training <i>Norton (Scouts)</i>

## SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 13 March 2016

### PASSION SUNDAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)
1000	SOLEMN MASS
1800	Solemn Vespers

## READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

First Reading	Isaiah 43.16-21
Psalms or Canticle	Psalms 126
Second Reading	Philippians 3.4b-14
The Holy Gospel	John 12.1-8

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## NOTICE BOARD

### BOOKS FOR LENT

There are books available to help our Lenten Discipline which may be borrowed. They are on the table at the back of church with the borrowing slips.

### ANNUAL REPORT

This is a call for written contributions for the Annual Report. Please submit them **by 27 March** at the latest. No verbal reports will be given at the APCM.

### REVISION OF ELECTORAL ROLL

If you live within the bounds of Amblecote, or are a regular worshipper here, and are not yet on our electoral roll, please complete a form and give it to our Electoral Roll Officer, Barbara Banner, or one of the Churchwardens. **The closing date is 3 April.** It doesn't cost anything and will allow you to vote for parish officers, or to be nominated as such.

### ANNUAL MEETING

At our Annual Meeting we will be electing 3 people to serve on the PCC, a Churchwarden and a Treasurer. Do you feel called to serve? Please ponder and pray. The qualification for each role is that you are on our Electoral Roll.

### GIFT AID SECRETARY

*Could you be the one we need?*

### FAIR TRADE FORTNIGHT CONTINUES

Look out for events around town concerning this, and go to them if you can.

### PARISH LENT COURSE

#### Roots, shoots and fruits

We will be exploring **Steps in Faith** during Lent. You are warmly invited to this week's session in church: **Thursday 10 March at 7.30pm.**

### Deanery Lent Course 2016:

#### "LIVING AS DISCIPLES"

The course has been written and presented by our Diocesan Director of Discipleship & Training the Revd Dr Jonathan Kimber. **Tuesdays at 7.30pm. ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Session 4: *Disciples as those who serve*, **8 March**: St Michael's  
*Led by Doug Chaplin*

Session 5: *Gathering it together in the light of the resurrection*  
**15 March, Amblecote** *Led by Jonathan Kimber*

## FEBRUARY

### SU 6 MOTHERING SUNDAY

Tu 8 7.30pm Deanery Lent Course *St Michael*

We 9 3.00pm Afternoon Tea

Th 10 7.30pm Roots, Shoots and Fruits *4 of 4*

### SU 13 PASSION SUNDAY

Tu 15 7.30pm Deanery Lent Course *Amblecote HT*

We 16 7.30pm Parochial Church Council

Th 17 7.30pm Preparing for Holy Week

### SU 20 PALM SUNDAY

9.45am Procession of Palms and Solemn Mass,  
*beginning in the Church Hall*  
6.00pm Taizé Service

### Mo 21 HOLY MONDAY

11.00am **CHRISM MASS AT THE CATHEDRAL**  
7.30pm Stations of the Cross

### Tu 22 HOLY TUESDAY

7.30pm **Low Mass** with address

### We 23 HOLY WEDNESDAY

9.30am **Low Mass**  
10.30am Confessions will be heard *or by appointment*  
7.30pm **Low Mass** with address

- TH 24 MAUNDY THURSDAY**  
11.00am Low Mass with Devotions  
12noon Light Lunch  
8.00pm **COMMEMORATION OF THE LAST SUPPER**, foot-washing, and vigil before the Altar of Repose until midnight
- FR 25 GOOD FRIDAY**  
10.00am Walk of Witness through Stourbridge  
2.00pm **THE THIRD HOUR**  
6.00pm **LITURGY OF THE CROSS**
- SA 26 HOLY SATURDAY**  
8.30pm **VIGIL OF READINGS, MASS OF THE RESURRECTION AND FIRST COMMUNION OF EASTER**, with Baptisms.
- SU 27 EASTER DAY**  
8.00am Low Mass of the Resurrection  
10.00am **SOLEMN MASS OF THE RESURRECTION**  
12noon Holy Baptism  
6.00pm Easter Praise

#### APR

- SU 3 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**
- SU 10 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**
- SU 17 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
- SU 24 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
11.15am Annual Parochial Church Meeting  
6.00pm Wholeness and Healing

#### MAY

- SU 1 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**
- TH 5 ASCENSION DAY**  
11.00am Low Mass of the Ascension  
7.30pm **SOLEMN MASS OF THE ASCENSION**
- SU 8 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
6.00pm Memorial Service
- SU 15 DAY OF PENTECOST**
- SU 22 TRINITY SUNDAY**  
10.00am **FEAST OF TITLE**
- SU 29 TRINITY 1**  
6.00pm Taizé Service

#### JUNE

- SU 5 TRINITY 2**
- SU 12 TRINITY 3**  
4.30pm Service to celebrate The Queen's 90th Birthday
- SU 19 TRINITY 4**
- SU 26 TRINITY 5**
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