

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE, HOLY TRINITY
11 March 2018

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: *we pray...*

for all who teach and guard the faith, especially

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

the Anglican Communion and our partners

The Anglican Church of Burundi
with their Archbishop, ✠ Martin Nyaboho
The Diocese of Karlstad (Sweden)
with their Bishop, ✠ Sören Dalevi

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: *we pray for...*

- Elizabeth our Queen and her government
- Leaders of nations to protect all their people
- The end to all bigotry, racism, and provocation
- The victims of terrorism
- The relief of suffering, especially in Syria
- An equitable sharing of the world's resources
- The welcoming of refugees
- An end to discrimination of all kinds

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: *we pray...*

- For our parishioners, especially those living in Keir Place, Harrop Way, Barrar Close, and Keller Walk
- For ourselves and our absent friends, especially those who have moved away from the parish

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

Kevin Devlin	Bethany
Keith Vernon	Alan Harris
Maureen & Lyndon Viney	Trevor Worrall
Gladys Tolley	Rita Howard
Violet Hardwicke	Lillian Dunn
Ralph Hewins	Fr Paul & Moira Tongue
Maggie & Mack McCall	Kath Cooper
Diane Tranter	Lizzie Wainwright
Mollie Kingham	Edna Green

those who receive Holy Communion at home:

Rose Hill	Irene Mullany
Betty Griffin	Marion Wass

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

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE

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

the recently departed:

George Hill (18 Feb)	Cyril Richards (19 Feb)
John Ashman (3 Mar)	Derek Johnson (8 Mar)

those in our year's mind:

10 Sam Pearson	
11 Martin Bedford (2013)	Jeffrey Price (2013)
13 James Albert Hill	Thomas Willetts (2017)
15 Hilda Fisher (1996)	Sally Marriott
John Tranter	Keith Davis (2011)
16 Richard Alford (2011)	

*Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord
And let light perpetual shine upon them!*

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

we join our prayers with those of...

The Blessed Virgin Mary, Patrick, and all the Saints...



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

God of love,
passionate and strong,
tender and careful:
watch over us and hold us
all the days of our life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

SERVICES THIS MORNING

0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)
1000 **PARISH MASS**
1200 Holy Baptism
1800 Solemn Vespers

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	1 Samuel 1.20-end
Responsorial Psalm	127.1-4
Second Reading	Colossians 3.12-17
The Holy Gospel	John 19.25b-27

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

		SOP
Int	222	<i>For the beauty of the earth</i>
Grad	185	<i>Jesus good above all other</i>
Off	262	<i>Ye holy angels bright</i>
PComm	294	<i>He's got the whole world in his hand</i>
Rec	305	<i>Love divine</i>

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

Children are a heritage from the Lord.

READINGS FOR THIS EVENING

Psalm 107.1-9 / Numbers 21.4-9 / John 3.14-21

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr B :: Mothering Sunday / DEL – 4th Week of Lent

SERVICES ON SUNDAY – 11 March 2018

MOTHERING SUNDAY

- 0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)
1000 **PARISH MASS**
1200 Holy Baptism
1800 Solemn Vespers

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

- MON** Lent
12 1400 Kneeler Group
- TUE** Lent
13 0900 Morning Prayer
1410 Funeral of George Hill SB Crematorium
1700 Evening Prayer
1800 Office Hour
1930 Lent Group 3
- WED** Lent
14 0900 Morning Prayer
0930 **Said Mass**
1115 SCP Meeting in church
1700 Evening Prayer
- THU** Lent
15 0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **Said Mass**
1400 Mothers' Union
1700 Evening Prayer
- FRI** Lent
16 0900 Morning Prayer
1700 Evening Prayer
- SAT** Patrick of Ireland, bishop and missionary, c460
17 0900 Morning Prayer

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 18 March 2018

PASSION SUNDAY

- 0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)
1000 **PARADE MASS**
1200 Holy Baptism
1800 Solemn Vespers with Benediction

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

- First Reading Jeremiah 31.31-34
Responsorial Psalm 51.1-13
Second Reading Hebrews 5.5-10
The Holy Gospel John 12.20-33

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NOTICE BOARD

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

If you would like to donate towards the Easter flowers, can you please leave your donations in the box on the back table. We are always beautifully decorated, and it is with your help.

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT

You are invited to join in any of the information events taking place around town, but more importantly you are encouraged to actively buy only goods where those who help produce them receive a fair income for their labours.

LENTEN APPEAL

This year, Fr Alan would encourage you to replace something you have given up for Lent with a monetary contribution, this year to benefit the Night Shelter in Wolverhampton, run by the Little Brothers of the Good Shepherd. See table at back of church.

LENT COURSE

On Lenten **Tuesdays at 7.30pm** there will be a Course in church based on the Gospel of Mark.

LENTEN READING

On the table at the back is a selection of books for Lenten spiritual reading and study. You are encouraged to borrow one or more. Do not forget to fill in the borrowers slip.

STOURBRIDGE FOOD BANK

Thank you for your continuing contributions to the foodbank. Every item is a valuable help to someone who is in need. Contributions are normally received on the first Sunday of the month, but please feel able to bring stuff on other Sundays...

PCC MEETING

Would members of the PCC please note that the next meeting will be held on **Wednesday 21 March. Mass will be at 7pm, followed by business at 7.30.** Minutes and agendas are available this morning.

RACE NIGHT

Saturday 7 April at 7.00pm in the Church Hall.

A fun evening for all! Tickets are £6.00, which will include a fish and chip supper. Bring your own refreshment of choice.

CONCERT WITH THE BIG TIME BAND

Saturday 5 May at 7.30pm in church

Tickets cost £10.00 (which includes wine and nibbles) and are available from today from Sheila Hill and others. It promises to be a great evening. Invite as many friends as you can.

150 CLUB NEW YEAR

The new Club year has begun. Please buy a number or two. £12 per number for twelve draws, usually on a second Sunday after the Family Mass. Una Parsons and Jean Latham run the Club.

TRINITY TOTS

Meeting next on **22 March at 1.00pm (till 2.30)** there will be a carer and toddlers group meeting in church. This is open to all who have the care of young children. Please spread the word. Mary Phillips has more details. This meets on the **second and fourth Thursdays** each month.

WOMEN'S TOILETRIES

There is a box for your donations to help our local women's refuge. Thank you from the MU.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MARCH

SU 11 MOTHERING SUNDAY

Mo 12 2.00pm Kneeler Group
 Tu 13 7.30pm Lent Course 3
 Th 15 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 Sa 17 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 18 PASSION SUNDAY

Tu 20 7.30pm Lent Course 4
 We 21 7.00pm Parochial Church Council
 Th 22 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 25 PALM SUNDAY

Mo 26 Monday in Holy Week

11.00am **CHRISM MASS** *at the Cathedral*
 6.45pm **Said Mass**
 7.30pm Stations of the Cross

Tu 27 Tuesday in Holy Week

10.00am Amblecote Reception visit to church
 1.30pm Amblecote Primary Easter Service
 7.00pm **Said Mass with Address**

We 28 Wednesday in Holy Week

7.00pm **Said Mass with Address**

TH 29 MAUNDY THURSDAY

11.00am **Said Mass with Last Lunch**
 8.00pm **COMMEMORATION** of the Last Supper, Washing of Feet, followed by Vigil before the Blessed Sacrament till midnight

FR 30 GOOD FRIDAY

9.00am Morning Prayer
 10.00am Walk of Witness
 2.00pm **THE THIRD HOUR**
 7.00pm **Veneration of the Holy Cross and Communion from the Reserved Sacrament**

Sa 31 Eve and Vigil of Easter

8.00pm **Vigil of readings, Lighting of the New Fire, Exsultet, and FIRST MASS OF EASTER**

APRIL

SU 1 EASTER DAY

8.00am **Said Mass of the Resurrection**
 10.00am **SUNG MASS of the Resurrection**
 6.00am Easter Praise

Sa 7 10.00am Coffee Morning
 7.00pm Race Night

SU 8 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mo 9 2.00pm Kneeler Group
 Th 12 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Sa 14 HISTORICAL WEEKEND

SU 15 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Th 19 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 Sa 21 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 22 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8am and 10am Masses as usual
 11.30am Annual Parochial Church Meeting
 Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham (*till Thursday*)

Mo 23

Th 26 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Sa 28 10.00am PCC Standing Committee

SU 29 THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6.00pm Service of Wholeness and Healing

MAY

Sa 5 7.30pm Concert: Big Time Band

SU 6 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

We 9 7.00pm Parochial Church Council

TH 10 ASCENSION DAY

11.00am **Said Mass of the Ascension**
 1.00pm Trinity Tots
 7.30pm **SOLEMN MASS OF THE ASCENSION**

SU 13 THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mo 14 2.00pm Kneeler Group
 We 16 7.00pm Parochial Church Council
 Th 17 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 Sa 19 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 20 DAY OF PENTECOST

6.00pm Memorial Service

Th 24 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 27 TRINITY SUNDAY

1pm Anniversary Lunch

JUNE

Sa 2 10.00am Coffee Morning

SU 3 TRINITY 1

SU 10 TRINITY 2

Mo 11 2.00pm Kneeler Group
 Th 14 1.00pm Trinity Tots
 Sa 16 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 17 TRINITY 3

Th 21 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 24 PETERTIDE

Th 28 1.00pm Trinity Tots

JULY

SU 1 TRINITY 5

We 4 7.00pm PCC Standing Committee

SU 8 TRINITY 6

Mo 9 2.00pm Kneeler Group
 We 11 7.00pm Parochial Church Council
 Th 12 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 15 TRINITY 7

6.00pm Service of Wholeness and Healing

We 18 7.00pm Parochial Church Council

Th 19 2.00pm Mothers' Union

Sa 21 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 22 TRINITY 8

Th 26 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 29 TRINITY 9

AUGUST

SU 5 THE TRANSFIGURATION

Th 9 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 12 TRINITY 11

Mo 13 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 16 2.00pm Mothers' Union

Sa 18 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 19 TRINITY 12

Th 23 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 26 TRINITY 13

SEPTEMBER

SU 2 TRINITY 14

We 5 7.00pm PCC Standing Committee

SU 9 TRINITY 15

Mo 10 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 13 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Sa 15 9.30am Prayer and Care
2.00pm Mary's **Licensing** as a Lay Reader }
6.00pm Barn Dance in **celebration!** }

SU 16 TRINITY 16

We 19 7.00pm Parochial Church Council

Th 20 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 23 TRINITY 17

Th 27 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 30 SS MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

OCTOBER

SU 7 TRINITY 19

Mo 8 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 11 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 14 TRINITY 20

Th 18 2.00pm Mothers' Union

Sa 20 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 21 TRINITY 21

Th 25 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 28 TRINITY LAST

NOVEMBER

SU 4 ALL SAINTS / ALL SOULS' SUNDAY

6.00pm All Souls' Requiem Vespers

We 7 7.00pm PCC Standing Committee

Th 8 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 11 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

9.45am Parade Mass

10.50am Act of Remembrance at Lych Gate

Mo 12 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 15 2.00pm Mothers' Union

Sa 17 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 18 SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

We 21 7.00pm Parochial Church Council

Th 22 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 25 THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

DECEMBER

SU 2 ADVENT SUNDAY

6.00pm Lessons and Carols for Advent

SU 9 ADVENT 2

4.30pm Christingle Service

Mo 10 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 13 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Sa 15 9.30am Prayer and Care

SU 16 ADVENT 3

6.00pm Solemn Vespers and Benediction

Th 20 2.00pm Mothers' Union Christmas Meal
6.00pm Carol Singing at Sainsbury's

SU 23 ADVENT 4

6.00pm Taizé Service:
Preparing for the Nativity

Mo 24 Eve and Vigil of Christmas

4.30pm Carols by Candlelight 1

6.00pm Carols by Candlelight 2

11.30pm MIDNIGHT MASS AND FIRST COMMUNION OF CHRISTMASS

TU 25 CHRISTMAS DAY

8.00am **Said Mass of the Nativity**

9.30am **SUNG MASS OF THE NATIVITY**

SU 30 CHRISTMAS SUNDAY

6.00pm Christmass Praise

REGULAR SERVICES

SUNDAY

8.00am **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)

10.00am **PARISH MASS**
(*2nd Sunday is Parade Mass*)

12noon Baptisms 1st and 3rd Sundays

6.00pm Evensong or Vespers
(*4th Sunday with Benediction*)
[*Quarterly, we hold a service of Wholeness and Healing, and a Memorial Service in the 6pm slot*]

WEDNESDAY

9.30am **Said Mass**

THURSDAY

11.00am **Said Mass**

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9.00am Morning Prayer

5.00pm Evening Prayer
