

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for...

those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

- ✠ John, our Bishop
- ✠ Justin, our Archbishop
- ✠ Martin of Dudley

our sisters and brothers in other places...

The Anglican Church of Korea –
Primate, ✠ Henry Ndukuba, Abp of Abuja
Dio Blackburn (York) – Bp, ✠ Philip North
Dio Brechin (Scottish Episcopal Ch) – Bp, ✠ Andrew Swift
Lutheran Church of GB – Bp, ✠ Paulina Hlawiczka-Trotman
The Old Catholic Churches of the Union of Utrecht

our fellow Christians in Stourbridge...

The members of Gigmill Methodist Church,
and their Minister, the Revd Michael Payne

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- An immediate ceasefire between Palestine and Israel, Iran and Israel, Ukraine and Russia,
- The victims of atrocity and war crime
- That all protest will be peaceful
- The better health of the King and Princess of Wales, and all who have cancer
- Those campaigning in the elections taking place
- Those seeking refuge in the UK

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Shearwater Drive, Shelley Close, Shorwell Place, Silvester Way, Snowdon Road, and Sorrel Walk
- Those who work for our local council, especially those on a low income
and for God's blessing on all that is good in our lives and relationships

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

We seek the healing and comforting of...

Eileen Potter	Catherine Gould
Aaron Wilson	Rose Hill
Elizabeth Wyatt	Dorothy Williams
Brian Farley	Reuben Forrest
Lyndon Viney	Christopher Deeley
Ray Shakespeare	Lynne and Malcolm Chilton
Charlie Secker	Jim Grainger
The Ray Family	Yvonne Pearson

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

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

The recently departed:

We commend to you those in our year's mind;

- 25 Ted Baker (2013)
- 26 Brent Richards
- 27 Joyce Leabond (2010)
Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord:
and let light perpetual shine upon them.

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS:

We join our prayers in fellowship with those of...

The Blessèd Virgin Mary,
S George, S Mellitus, S Mark, Christina Rosetti,
and all the Apostles, Martyrs and saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY

21 April 2024

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ
is the resurrection and the life:
raise us, who trust in him,
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,
that we may seek those things which are above,
where he reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Risen Christ,
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:
teach us to hear your voice
and to follow your command,
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,
to the glory of God the Father.

SERVICES TODAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)	
1000	PARISH MASS	Zoom also
1200	Holy Baptism: Isaac Collins	
1800	Evening Worship	Zoom only

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	Acts 4.5-12
Responsorial Psalm	23
Second Reading	1 John 3.16-24
The Holy Gospel	John 10.11-18

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

SOP

Int	205	Angel-voices ever singing
Grad	134	All heaven declares
Off	357	Father, Lord of all creation
Comm	253	There is a Redeemer
Rec	339	O Jesus I have promised

PSALM RESPONSE

**The Lord is my shepherd,
there is nothing I shall want.**

READINGS FOR EVENING PRAYER where said

Psalm 81.8-16 / Exodus 16.4-15 / Revelation 2.12-17

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr B: Easter 4 / DEL: 4th week of Easter

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THIS WEEK:

MON Eastertide

22	0900 Morning Prayer	
	1100 Low Mass	
	1230 Deanery Chapter	S Thos
	1700 Evening Prayer	

TUE S GEORGE – Patron of England (and Scouting!)

23	0900 Morning Prayer
	1700 Evening Prayer

WED S Mellitus of London – First bishop at S Pauls, 624

24	0900 Morning Prayer
	0930 Low Mass
	1400 Service of the Word at Hollybush House
	1700 Evening Prayer

THU S Mark – Evangelist

25	0900 Morning Prayer
	1100 Holy Communion at The Brambles
	1630 Evening Prayer
	1800 Wolf Cubs and Scouts meeting

FRI Eastertide

26	Vicar's day off
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SAT Christina Rossetti, Poet, 1894

27	0900 Morning Prayer
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SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 28 April 2024

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)	
1000	PARISH MASS	Zoom also
1115	ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING	
1800	Memorial Service	

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Acts 8.26-40
Responsorial Psalm	22.25-31
Second Reading	1 John 4.7-11
The Holy Gospel	John 15.1-8

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NOTICE BOARD

**THE CHURCH BUILDING IS OPEN FOR PRAYER AND
QUIET BETWEEN 9am AND 5.30pm EVERY DAY**

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

This year's APCM will take place after the 10am Mass NEXT Sunday 28 April 2024. It is an important occasion for the church family so **please make every effort to attend**. Apologies for absence may be given to the PCC Secretary, Sue Riches.

At this meeting we will receive the annual reports, and also the financial accounts ending 31 December 2023, copies of which are available at the back of church today. A full annual report which will include the accounts will be available next Sunday, so Wednesday is the last date for receiving articles for inclusion.

At the APCM we will:

- Accept the Electoral Roll
- Receive the Accounts and appoint the financial examiner
- Receive the Annual Reports
- Ask relevant questions
- Elect 2 Churchwardens
- Elect members of the PCC – 6 have retired, and so may be re-elected – those who have not retired from their 3-year term will be approved and re-elected.

Forms of nomination are available on the back table. Please hand them to Fr Alan. Further nominations may be made from the floor at the meeting.

MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union members will next meet in church **on Thursday 16 May at 2pm**. If you are interested in joining us, please have a chat with Sheila Hill or Doreen Easthope.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

There will be a memorial service for all whom we have loved but see no longer on **Sunday 28 April at 6pm**. Do please come along to remember them, and support those who have been bereaved in more recent times.

MEN'S GROUP

You are invited to join in on their next meeting on **Wednesday 29 May at 8.00pm** for a time of fellowship and chat (and perhaps some beer).

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thanksgiving service for our companion animals past and present
4pm Sun 6 Oct

THE FOOD BANK and WOMEN'S REFUGE

The boxes are out at the back for donations for the Food Bank and the Women's Refuge. Please bring your donations any week. Thank you.
