

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

- The Church of Bangladesh, with their Moderator
- ✠ Paul Sarker, Bishop of Dhaka
- Diocese of Västerås, with their Bishop
- ✠ Mikael Mogren
- The Old Catholic Church in Austria, with their Bishop
- ✠ Heinz Lederleitner

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

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

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

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Cameo Drive, Batchelor Close, and High Street
- Those who serve on our local councils
- All who have lapsed from faith - for their return
- For all who are making pilgrimage at this time

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

Fr Paul & Moira Tongue	Brenda Adkins
Maureen Viney	Lyndon Viney
Margaret Johnson	Jan Morris
Lillian Dunn	John Eyles
Doreeta Allport	Heather Moore
Steven Grrett	Keith Vernon
Brenda Stokes	Mary Hurley and Emma

those who receive Holy Communion at home:

Rose Hill	Irene Mullany
Betty Griffin	Kath Cooper
Marion Wass	Diane Tranter

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 departed:

Geoffrey Lewis (29 Apr)	Joanne Hartill (30 Apr)
Edgar Webb (3 May)	Jean Gabbitas (11 May)

In our year's mind:

16 Nicci Cutler (2010)	Marjorie Meese (2014)
19 Eileen Davies (2004)	Iris Childs (2010)
20 Norah Richards (2009)	Eric Williams (2012)

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord

And let light perpetual shine upon them!

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

The Blessed Virgin Mary, Matthias, Christine Chisholm, Dunstan, and all the blessed Apostles, Martyrs and saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE, HOLY TRINITY
14 May 2017

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



'Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.'

THE COLLECT

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us
the gate of everlasting life:
grant that, as by your grace going before us
you put into our minds good desires,
so by your continual help
we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord.

or

Risen Christ,
your wounds declare your love
for the world
and the wonder of your risen life:
give us compassion and courage
to risk ourselves for those we serve,
to the glory of God the Father.

SERVICES TODAY

0800 **Said Mass** (*traditional language*)
1000 **PARADE MASS**
1800 Memorial Service

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	Acts 7.55-end
Responsorial Psalm	from 31
Second Reading	1 Peter 2.2-10
The Holy Gospel	John 14.1-14

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

		SOP
Int	339	<i>O Jesus I have promised</i>
Grad	351	<i>He who would valiant be</i>
Off	140	<i>God is love, His the care</i>
PComm	323	<i>Colours of day</i>
Rec	176	<i>The Church's one foundation</i>

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

I trust in you, O Lord, for you are my God.

READINGS FOR EVENING WORSHIP

Psalm 147.1-12 / Zechariah 4.1-10 / Revelation 21.1-14

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A :: 5 of Easter / DEL – 5th week of Easter

SERVICES ON SUNDAY – 14 May 2017

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

- 0800 **Said Mass** (traditional language)
1000 **PARADE MASS**
1800 Memorial Service

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

- MON** *Matthias the Apostle*
15 *Christian Aid Week begins*
- TUE** *Christine Chisholm, social reformer, 1877*
16 0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **Said Mass** at The Brambles NH
1700 Evening Prayer
1800 Office Hour
- WED** *Eastertide*
17 0900 Morning Prayer
0930 **Said Mass**
1030 Home Communion
1700 Evening Prayer
- THU** *Eastertide*
18 0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **Said Mass**
1400 Mothers' Union
1450 Funeral: Geoff Lewis *Gornal Wood*
1700 Evening Prayer
- FRI** *Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury,
restorer of the monastic life, 988*
19 0900 Morning Prayer
1700 Evening Prayer
- SAT** *Eastertide*
20 0900 Morning Prayer

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 21 May 2017

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Rogation Sunday

- 0800 **Said Mass** (traditional language)
1000 **PARISH MASS**
1800 Solemn Vespers with Benediction

MASS READINGS FOR THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

- First Reading Acts 17.22-31
Responsorial Psalm 66.7-end
Second Reading 1 Peter 3.13-22
The Holy Gospel John 14.15-21

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NOTICE BOARD

PARISH PRAYER LEAFLETS

Help in delivering these would be much appreciated. They are at the back of church. Please sign up for a street or two.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The Memorial Service will be **THIS evening (Sunday 14 May) at 6pm**. Do encourage all who have lost loved ones recently to join us, and do come along yourself.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK :: MONDAY 15 – SUNDAY 21 MAY

“The week itself is the biggest single act of Christian witness in the country. There are more people involved than in any other event” **How about YOU joining us?**

Please see the noticeboard or speak to Helen or Sheila for more information.

FLOWERS BY ANDREW THE FLORIST

On **Wednesday 24 May at 7.30pm** there will be a flower arranging demonstration by Andrew (*the florist, not our churchwarden!*). Tickets cost £5 each and are available from Sue Riches. All profits from this evening will go to church funds. Please publicise this and encourage your friends to come along.

ASCENSION DAY

There will be a Solemn Mass of the Ascension on **Thursday 25 May at 7.30pm**, followed by light refreshments.

WEDNESDAY STUDY GROUP

On **Wednesday 31 May at 7.30pm**, with tea and coffee available from 7, we will be having a look at the Nicene Creed, considering those things which make sense, and which do not. This will be a four-part series of discussions, and you are invited to set this day of the week and time aside in your diary, and to join in. There will be other topics as the months proceed...

PRAISE AND PRAYER, SUNDAY 4 JUNE

Bishop Graham is hosting this Praise and Prayer event in Priory Park, Dudley in the afternoon. It is part of the Thy Kingdom Come initiative from the Archbishops. We are hoping that many people will be attending.

Please support this event, and there is more information on the notice board.

If you may be able to help as a steward or with prayer ministry or helping with children's activities, please let Fr Alan know so that he can let Bp Graham contact you about this. If you have had DBS checks, that will be helpful.

CONCERT BY THE GENTLEMEN SONGSTERS

In Church on Saturday 10 June at 7.30pm

To help us start our 175th Anniversary celebrations. Tickets are £7 each to include refreshments. See Sue Riches for tickets.

TRINITY SUNDAY 11 JUNE 2017 – LUNCH

The start of our 175th anniversary celebration year

Bishop Graham is coming to help us celebrate our anniversary on that morning. At 1.00pm there will be a lunch, for which we are only asking donations. **Please set this day aside in your diary and help your church community celebrate well.**