INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

- ₩ John, our Bishop
- Martin of Dudley

and for our sisters and brothers in other places...

The Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain,

(Extra-Provincial to Canterbury)

with their Bishop, ₩ Carlos López-Lozano

The Church of Greenland (part of Church of Denmark), with their Bishop, ♥ Sofie Petersen

and locally we pray for the members of...

Our Lady and All Saints Church, and their Priest, Fr Des Devenney

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- > Elizabeth our Queen and her government
- The leaders of all nations, for wisdom and kindness
- The healing of all affected by the COVID-19 virus, and all involved with seeking its cure
- Those countries and places facing further necessary lockdown
- > Repentance of our racism
- All affected by war and tyranny
- Planet Earth, and the cause of Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of Creation

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Royal Close, Salcombe Drive, Sandringham Way, Scafell Road, School Drive, and Shadymoor Drive
- For the health and care facilities that serve our Parish: Corbett Day Hospital, Comberton Nursing Home, The Brambles, Hill House Day Care, Crystal Gateway, Unicorn Centre, Mary Stevens Hospice, and Holly Bush House.

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US: for the healing and comforting of...

Eric Riches Winnie Tombs
Joyce Matthews Rose Hill
John Williams Pat Jones
Helen's mum Lynda Stephens
and those who (normally would) receive the Blessèd

Sacrament at home

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

for the repose of the soul of the recently departed:

Vera Allcock (6 Sep)

our own loved ones whom we see no longer; and those in our year's mind:

20 Annie Lafon (1999) Kenneth Meeson (2014) Dianne Goodman (2015)

21 Sybil Walters (2002) Frank Biddlestone (2009) 22 Kenneth Moore (2009) Bill Boundford (2014)

23 Christine Menday (2009) Doreen Adams (2012) Pamela Taylor (2013)

24 Peter Daniel (2011) Martin Gordon (2012)

26 Ena Daulman (2004)

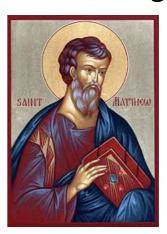
THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS:

joining our prayers with those of...

The Blessèd Virgin Mary, Lancelot Andrewes, Wilson Carlile, and all the Apostles, Martyrs, and Saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY 20 September 2020

S MATTHEW, Apostle and Evangelist



COLLECT

O almighty God,

whose blessed Son called Matthew the tax-collector to be an apostle and evangelist: give us grace to forsake the selfish pursuit of gain and the possessive love of riches that we may follow in the way of your Son Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

or

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

SERVICES TODAY

1000 **SUNG MASS** Z FB 1800 Sung Vespers Z FB

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading Proverbs 3.13-18
Responsorial Psalm 119.65-72
Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4.1-6
The Holy Gospel Matthew 9.9-13

There will be no hymns sung at the 10.00am Mass, and the musical setting will not be used.

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

Lead me, O Lord, in the path of your commandments.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A: S Matthew / DEL – Yr 2: Wk 25

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 20 September 2020 S MATTHEW, Apostle and Evangelist

1000 **SUNG MASS** C Z FB 1800 Sung Vespers Z FB

THIS WEEK:

MON Feria

21 Vicar's Day Off

TUE Feria

22 0900 Morning Prayer Z 1700 Evening Prayer Z

WED Ember Day

23 0900 Morning Prayer Z 1700 Evening Prayer Z

THU Feria

24 0900 Morning Prayer Z 1100 **Said Mass** Z/FB 1700 Evening Prayer Z 1900 Study Group Z

Bits of the Bible we find hard!

FRI Lancelot Andrewes – Bishop, spiritual writer, 1626

25 0900 Morning Prayer Z 1000 Funeral: Vera Allcock 1700 Evening Prayer Z

SAT Wilson Carlile – Founder, Church Army, 1942

26 0900 Morning Prayer Z 1100 Coffee Morning Z

1700 Evening Prayer (privately)

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 27 September 2020 MICHAELMAS

1000 **SUNG MASS** C Z FB 1800 Sung Vespers Z FB

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading Revelation 12.7-12
Responsorial Psalm 103.19-end
Second Reading Hebrews 1.5-end
The Holy Gospel John 1.47-end

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NOTICE BOARD

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

PLEASE follow the instructions you receive when entering the building and follow the signage:

- Observe the one-way system, and any verbal instructions
- If we do not get given your contact details, you will not be granted admission: this is to safeguard you and others
- Fill up the seats from the front
- The wearing of masks throughout is now obligatory under Government advice
- Family members may sit together
- If you subsequently develop the symptoms of Covid-19, please inform the Vicar or Wardens so that we may tell those who attended the service.

THE STOURBRIDGE FOODBANK

The foodbank is really struggling at present with the demands upon it caused by prevailing events. So, in order to help out, the food collection box will be at the back of church every Sunday from now on. Please be as generous as you can. Monetary gifts may also be left for them (in an envelope please, marked Foodbank. **THANK YOU.**

LOCAL WOMEN'S REFUGE

The Refuge is similarly in great need of toiletries and similar things. If you are able to help out with these, the box for them will also be out on Sundays.

PRELIMINARIES TO THE APCM

The revision of the electoral roll will formally take place during September. If you would like to be included, and thus be entitled to vote at the forthcoming Annual Parochial Church Meeting, please indicate this to a Churchwarden or the Vicar, and we will record your details.

THE ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

This will take place after the morning service on **Sunday 1 November (NB Change of date).**

Please let Fr Alan have items for the annual report, asap.

MIDWEEK EUCHARISTS

The midweek Mass is now on Thursday at 11am.

STUDY GROUP:: Thursdays at 7 by Zoom

Contact Fr Alan by phone or email for details of how to join in. You would be most very welcome!

MICHAELMAS ORDINATIONS

Those who would have been Deaconed and Priested at Petertide in this diocese, will be ordained next weekend. Please hold them in your prayers.

