

INTERCESSIONS THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for...

those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

- ✠ Martin of Dudley
- ✠ Hugh, Bishop-elect of Worcester
- ✠ Sarah, Archbishop-designate of Canterbury

our sisters and brothers in other places:

- Dio Carlisle (York) – Bp, ✠ Bishop Rob Saner-Haigh
- Dio Stavanger (Norway) – Bp, ✠ Anne Lise Ådnøy
- Archdio Utrecht (NL Old Catholics) – Abp, ✠ Berndt Wallet

Our fellow Christians in Stourbridge:

- The members of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) in Stourbridge, for their witness

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- The victims of Genocide and war crime
- Peace throughout Palestine, Israel, Iran, Ukraine, Yemen, and Sudan
- Charles our King, and all who bear his authority, and for all world leaders
- Those seeking refuge in the UK
- For the thwarting of 'Christian' nationalism

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Grampian Road, Gratham Close, Hammond Way, Harlstones Close, Harrop Way, and Helmsley Close
 - All running early learning nurseries
- 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...

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| The Ray Family | Bill Prenton |
| Eileen Potter | Jason Smith |
| Aaron Wilson | Reuben Forrest |
| Ernie Roberts and Joan | Susan Yarwood-Smith |
| Beki Vernon | Jean Latham |
| Catherine Harrison | Michael Buck |
| Hilary Savage | |

For all the elderly, frail and vulnerable, and all who have lost the health and strength that once were theirs

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

The recently departed:

Andrew Latham (10 Oct) Sheila Hill (15 Oct)

We commend to you those whose anniversaries of death occur:

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| 26 | Lynda Barker (2021) | Bernard Hewins (2021) |
| 27 | Kelly Wesson (2021) | |
| 28 | Michael Priestman (2019) | |
| 29 | Madelaine Pieretti (2021) | |
| 30 | Joyce Boyes (2009) | Cynthia Lawlor (2024) |
| 31 | Jill Edwards (2004) | Claire Thornley (2016) |
| 1 | Edith Screen (1992) | Jenny Yorke (2006) |

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 Blessed Virgin Mary, Peter, John
- and all the holy Apostles, Martyrs, and Saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY

26 October 2025

THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



COLLECT OF THE DAY

Blessed Lord,
who caused all holy Scriptures
to be written for our learning:
help us so to hear them,
to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them
that, through patience,
and the comfort of your holy word,
we may embrace and for ever hold fast
the hope of everlasting life,
which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Merciful God,
teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty,
that trusting in your word
and obeying your will
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord.

SERVICES TODAY

0800 **Low Mass** (traditional language)
1000 **PARISH MASS**

READINGS FOR 8 and 10

First Reading	Isaiah 45.22-25
Responsorial Psalm	119.129-136
Second Reading	Romans 15.1-6
The Holy Gospel	Luke 4.16-24

HYMNS at 10

Int	475	Ye holy angels bright
Grad	342	Breathe on me breath of God
Off	56	Songs of thankfulness and praise
Comm	282	Faithful Shepherd feed me
Conc	239	Lord of all hopefulness

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PSALM RESPONSE

How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!

READINGS FOR VESPERS at 6

Psalm 119.1-16 / Jeremiah 36.9-32 / Romans 10.5-17

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

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SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 26 October 2025

THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)
1000	PARISH MASS

THIS WEEK:

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27	0900	Morning Prayer	
	1100	Low Mass with hymns and devotions	
	1700	Evening Prayer	

TUE Ss Simon and Jude – Apostles

28	0900	Morning Prayer	
	1400	Knit and/or Natter	In church
	1700	Evening Prayer	
	1900	Deanery Synod	Wordsley HT

WED James Hannington - Bishop and Martyr, 1885

29	0900	Morning Prayer	
	0930	Low Mass	
	1400	Service of the Word	Hollybush House CH
	1700	Evening Prayer	
	2000	Men's Group	Robin Hood Inn

THU Dedication of all Franciscan Churches

30	0900	Morning Prayer	
	1100	Holy Communion	The Brambles CH
	1630	Evening Prayer	
	1800	Scout Group meeting	

FRI Martin Luther – Ecclesiastical Reformer, 1546

31	1330	Funeral: Andrew Latham	SB Crematorium
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SAT All Saints Day

1	0900	Morning Prayer	
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SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 2 November 2025

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)
1000	PARISH MASS
1600	All Souls' Requiem Vespers

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Wisdom 3.1-9
Responsorial Psalm	27.1-8, 18-end
Second Reading	1 Peter 1.3-9
The Holy Gospel	John 6.37-40

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NOTICE BOARD

FESTIVE FAYRE

We are only a few weeks away from our Festive Fayre, and donations of tombola and raffle prizes are still sought, and you are encouraged to take some grand draw ticket and sell them. Also, cakes will be needed on the day for the refreshments.

Please encourage your family and friends to come along on **Saturday 15 November from 10.30am**

FUNERALS

Andrew Latham SB Crem Friday 31 October 1.30pm
Sheila Hill Church Thursday 20 November 11.30am

COFFEE JAR LIDS

Please can you let Mary Philips have your used coffee jar lids as they will be most useful in a pre-Christmas craft activity we have planned. Thank you.

KNIT AND NATTER – CRAFT AND CHATTER

Every Tuesday, 2pm to 3.30, you are invited to call into church with or without your knitting, or possibly with some other craft, for tea and a chat. Invite your neighbours, if they would appreciate some company.

DEANERY SYNOD

Synod will next be meeting this coming **Tuesday 28 October**, from 7pm. Venue Wordsley Holy Trinity.

MEN'S GROUP

The Group will next meet at the Robin Hood Inn this coming **Wednesday 29 October at 8.00pm**. Please note change of date.

BIBLE STUDY

The next Bible Study is on **TUESDAY 4 November at 3.00pm** and every other Tuesday in church. This is organised by Kally O'Connor, from whom more information can be sought.

THE MOTHERS' UNION

The MU will next meet on **Thursday 20 November at 2.00pm**. You are warmly invited to come and join us.

THE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

The next meeting of the PCC will take place on **Wednesday 19 November at 7.00pm** for Mass, followed by business at 7.30. The Standing Committee will meet on **Wednesday 17 December at 7.00pm**.

ADVANCE NOTICE

On **Saturday 29 November at 9.30pm**, there will be a Eucharist during which we shall give thanks for the ministry of those who administer the chalice, at which their licences to do so will be renewed for a further year.

FLOWERS THIS WEEK

The flowers have been kindly donated by Dot Hewins, in loving memory of Bernard, who so sadly left Dot and us during the Covid pandemic. May he continue to rest in peace. Thank you.

DIARY 2025

NOVEMBER

SU 2 ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 4.00pm All Souls' Memorial Service

Mo 3 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 4 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 5 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 6 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 9 THIRD BEFORE ADVENT – Remembrance Sunday

8.00am **Said Mass**
9.45am FAMILY MASS
 10.50am Act of Remembrance
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 10 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 11 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study

We 12 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 13 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 16 SECOND BEFORE ADVENT

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 17 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 18 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 19 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm PCC Meeting

Th 20 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 23 FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 24 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 25 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study

We 26 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

Th 27 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

Sa 29 9.30pm **Low Mass** for Eucharistic Ministers
 7.00pm Quiz Night

SU 30 ADVENT SUNDAY (Liturgical Year A)

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

DECEMBER

Mo 1 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 2 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 3 9.30am **Low Mass**
 8.00pm Men's Group

Robin Hood Inn

SU 7 ADVENT II

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am FAMILY MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 8 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 9 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 10 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 11 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 14 ADVENT III

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 4.30pm Christingle Service

Mo 15 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 16 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 17 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm Standing Committee

Th 18 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH
 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 21 ADVENT IV

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 22 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 23 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 24 Christmass Eve

2.00pm Quiet Carols for Grown-ups
4.30pm Carols by Candlelight I
6.00pm Carols by Candlelight II
11.30pm MIDNIGHT MASS and
First Communion of Christmas

TH 25 CHRISTMASS DAY

8.00am Low Mass of the Nativity
9.30am SUNG MASS OF THE NATIVITY

FR 26 S STEPHEN, FIRST MARTYR

10.30pm SUNG MASS OF S STEPHEN

SU 28 CHRISTMAS SUNDAY

8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 29 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

We 31 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

DIARY 2026

JANUARY 2026

TH 1 **THE NAMING AND CIRCUMCISION OF JESUS**
11.00am SUNG MASS OF THE NAMING

SU 4 EPIPHANY SUNDAY
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 5 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 6 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 7 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 8 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 11 THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am FAMILY MASS
 4.00pm Sung Evensong

Mo 12 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 13 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 14 9.30am **Low Mass**
 8.00pm Men's Group Robin Hood Inn

Th 15 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 18 EPIPHANY II
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 19 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 20 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 21 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm PCC Meeting

Th 22 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 25 CONVERSION OF S PAUL
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 26 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 27 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 28 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 29 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

Sa 31 7.00pm Beetle Drive

FEBRUARY

SU 1 THE FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am FAMILY MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 2 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 3 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 4 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 5 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 8 SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 4.00pm Wholeness and Healing

Mo 9 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 10 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 11 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 12 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 15 NEXT BEFORE LENT
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 16 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 17 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

WE 18 ASH WEDNESDAY
10.00am LOW MASS with ashing
7.00pm SUNG MASS with ashing

Th 19 2.00pm Mothers' Union
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 22 LENT I
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 23 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 24 2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House
 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 25 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm Standing Committee

Th 26 11.00am Holy Communion at The Brambles CH
 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

MARCH

SU 1 LENT II
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 2 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions

Tu 3 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter
 3.00pm Bible Study in church

We 4 9.30am **Low Mass**
 8.00pm Men's Group Robin Hood Inn

Th 5 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

SU 8 LENT III
 8.00am **Said Mass**
10.00am PARISH MASS
 4.00pm High Mass – 1549 BCP

Mo 9 11.00am **Low Mass** with hymns and Devotions
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 10 2.00pm Knit and/or Natter

We 11 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 12 6.00pm Scout Group Meets

Sa 14 7.00pm Bingo and Chips

SU 15	MOTHERING SUNDAY		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	FAMILY MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 16	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 17	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
	3.00pm	Bible Study <i>in church</i>	
We 18	9.30am	Low Mass	
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Comberton CH	
	7.00pm	PCC Meeting – Scrutiny of accounts	
Th 19	2.00pm	Mothers' Union	
	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 22	PASSION SUNDAY		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 23	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 24	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
We 25	9.30am	Low Mass	
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Hollybush House	
Th 26	11.00am	Holy Communion at The Brambles CH	
	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 29	PALM SUNDAY		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 30	Holy Monday		
	11.00am	CHRISM MASS at the Cathedral	
	7.00pm	STATIONS OF THE CROSS	
Tu 31	Holy Tuesday		
	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
	3.00pm	Bible Study <i>in church</i>	
	7.00pm	Low Mass with address	
APRIL			
We 1	Holy Wednesday		
	7.00pm	Low Mass with address	
TH 2	MAUNDY THURSDAY		
	11.00am	Low Mass of Maundy Thursday <i>followed by a soup and roll lunch</i>	
	8.00pm	COMMEMORATION OF THE LAST SUPPER <i>with washing of feet, stripping of the altars, vigil of readings until midnight and compline</i>	
FR 3	GOOD FRIDAY		
	10.00am	Ecumenical Walk of Witness	
	2.00pm	THE THIRD HOUR	
	6.00pm	VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS	
SA 4	EVE AND VIGIL OF EASTER		
	9.15am	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	8.00pm	Vigil of readings, New Fire, Exsultet, SUNG MASS OF THE RESURRECTION with renewal of Baptismal vows, and First Communion of Easter	
SU 5	EASTER DAY		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 6	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 7	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
We 8	9.30am	Low Mass	
	8.00pm	Men's Group	Robin Hood Inn
Th 9	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 12	EASTER II		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	4.00pm	Taize Service	
Mo 13	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
	2.00pm	Kneeler Group	
Tu 14	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
	3.00pm	Bible Study <i>in church</i>	
We 15	9.30am	Low Mass	
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Comberton CH	
Th 16	2.00pm	Mothers' Union	
	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 19	EASTER III		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 20	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 21	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
We 22	9.30am	Low Mass	
Th 23	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 26	EASTER IV		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	11.15am	Annual Parochial Church Meeting	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 27	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 28	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
	3.00pm	Bible Study <i>in church</i>	
We 29	9.30am	Low Mass	
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Hollybush House	
Th 30	11.00am	Holy Communion at The Brambles CH	
	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
MAY			
Fr 1	PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM till 4th		
SU 3	EASTER V		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	PARISH MASS	
	6.00pm	Evening Service	
Mo 4	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
Tu 5	2.00pm	Knit and/or Natter	
We 6	9.30am	Low Mass	
Th 7	6.00pm	Scout Group Meets	
SU 10	EASTER VI		
	8.00am	Said Mass	
	10.00am	FAMILY MASS	
	4.00pm	Memorial Service	
Mo 11	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions	
	2.00pm	Kneeler Group	