

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY
2 January 2022

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

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

for our sisters and brothers in other places...

The Church of Ireland,
with ✠ John McDowell, Primate of All Ireland
The Diocese of London (*Canterbury*),
with their Bishop, ✠ Sarah Mullally
The Diocese of Nidaros and Trondheim (*Norway*),
with ✠ Olav Tveit, Presiding Bishop

for our fellow Christians in Stourbridge...

The work of Replenish Food Bank, and Joy Moss who represents them on CTS

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- Elizabeth our Queen and those who hold authority in her name
- A better 2022 than last year in terms of health, peace, and justice
- Greater honesty and integrity from politicians
- The leaders of all nations; for wisdom and kindness
- Those whose research helps counter the new variants of Covid
- Greater care of the earth and her resources

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Villa Street, Walton Drive, Waterfall Road, Waterside View, Welland Drive, and Wenlock Road
- Those who do not yet know of Jesus' salvation, that we may preach the Good News to them **and that God will bless all that is good in our lives and relationships**

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

for the healing and comforting of...

Susan Lyall	Jill Nicholls
Sue Tucker	Catherine Gould
Eileen Potter	Hilary Atkins
Elizabeth Wyatt	Charlie Secker
Winnie Tombs	Sally
Joyce Matthews	Fr Paul Tongue
Rose Hill	Pat Jones
Jacque Devlin	Jason, Simon
Ray Shakespeare	Adam Cartwright
Susan Deeley	

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

the recently departed:

Susan Taylor (1 Dec)	Christine Corker (15 Dec)
Kelly Wesson (27 Nov)	Jean Geeves (27 Dec)

those in our year's mind;

2 Maureen Stephens (2006)	Marjorie Bishop (2017)
3 Joseph Moore (2012)	Margaret Howells (2020)
4 Bob Hayes (2005)	Marbella Robinson (2018)
5 Pauline Knowles (2020)	
6 Fred Dutton (2011)	Clifford Booth (2015)
7 Peter Gehlen (2004)	Fred Childs (2010)
Trevor Heathcock (2010)	
8 Agnes Blundell	

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS:

joining our prayers with those of...

The Blessèd Virgin Mary, the Apostles, Martyrs, and all God's Servants and Saints...

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS



COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God,
in the birth of your Son
you have poured on us the new light of your
incarnate Word,
and shown us the fullness of your love:
help us to walk in his light and dwell in his love
that we may know the fullness of his joy;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

God our Father,
in love you sent your Son
that the world may have life:
lead us to seek him among the outcast
and to find him in those in need,
for Jesus Christ's sake.

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	Jeremiah 31.7-14
Responsorial Psalm	147.13-end
Second Reading	Ephesians 1.3-14
The Gospel	John 1.1-18

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

SOP

Int	74	Thou didst leave thy throne
Grad	50	Infant holy, infant lowly
Off	22	Through all the changing scenes of life
PC	253	There is a Redeemer
Conc	154	Joy to the world

PSALM RESPONSE:

Sing praise to the Lord, O Jerusalem.

READINGS FOR VESPERS when said

Psalm 135 / 1 Samuel 1.20-end / 1 John 4.7-16

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr C: Christmas 2 / DEL – Yr 2: 2nd wk of Christmas

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 2 January 2022

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

0800	Said Mass (traditional language)	
1000	PARISH MASS	C Z F
1800	Sung Vespers	C Z

THIS WEEK:

MON Christmastide

3 Vicar's Day off

TUE Christmastide

4 0900 Morning Prayer
1700 Evening Prayer
1930 Standing Committee C Z

WED Christmastide

5 0900 Morning Prayer
0930 **Said Mass**
1530 Funeral: Christine Corker at Stourbridge Crem
1700 Evening Prayer
1930 **SUNG MASS OF THE EPIPHANY**

THU THE EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD

6 0900 Morning Prayer
1045 Funeral: Susan Taylor at Rowley Regis
1100 **Said Mass with Mthr Judith**
1630 Evening Prayer
1800 Scout Group

FRI Christmastide

7 0900 Morning Prayer
1300 Funeral: Kelly Wesson in church (Burial)
1700 Evening Prayer

SAT Christmastide

8 0900 Morning Prayer
Evening Prayer said privately

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 9 January 2022

THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

8.00am	Said Mass (traditional language)
10.00am	PARISH MASS
6.00pm	Epiphany Praise followed by Epiphany Revels and nibbles

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Isaiah 43.1-7
Responsorial Psalm	29
Second Reading	Acts 8.14-17
The Gospel	Luke 3.15-17. 21-22

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NOTICE BOARD

WORSHIP IN CHURCH

The following rules **STILL** apply, as agreed by the PCC:

- **Masks will be worn – THEY ARE NOW MANDATORY: they protect those around us from air-borne particles**
- We will sing hymns with our masks on as far as possible
- Anti-bac to be used
 - on entry and exit
 - prior to walking up for communion
- A card will be placed by you on the seat that you have used prior to your leaving
- Post-service refreshments may be served while maintaining appropriate social distancing.

ALL the above are particularly important as the infection rate is increasing rapidly day by day, and we now have variant omicron. Please get your covid booster jab!

SUNG MASS OF THE EPIPHANY

This coming Wednesday at 7.30pm there will be a (vigil) Sung Mass of the Epiphany. The Magi are already en route. Do come and join us.

EPIPHANY PRAISE AND REVELS

Next Sunday at 6.00pm there will be short service of Epiphany Praise followed by the customary revels with a game or two. Do please come and enjoy this with us. Bring something to eat that is shareable, and something to drink if you wish.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Candlemass will be kept on Sunday 30 January (anticipating 2 February) and Ash Wednesday will be on 2 March.

REPLENISH FOOD BANK and WOMEN'S REFUGE

On the first Sunday of each month we will be collecting for the food bank, and we are continuing to collect toiletries for the Refuge. Please place your gifts in the marked boxes at the back of church. Thank you.

