### INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

#### THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for...

those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

Martin of Dudley

#### our sisters and brothers in other places:

Dio Birmingham (Canterbury) – Bp, 

Michael Volland Dio Cork, Cloyne and Ross (Ireland) – Bp, № Paul Colton Dio Elsinore (Denmark) – Bp, ♣ Peter Birch

# our fellow Christians in Stourbridge:

The congregation at Wollescote, S Andrew And their priest, Fr David Nichol

# SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray...

- For the victims of atrocity and war crime
- For peace throughout the Middle East, Ukraine, Yemen, and Sudan
- > The stability of Georgia, France, Syria
- > For Charles our King, and all who bear his authority, and for all world leaders
- > For those seeking refuge in the UK

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

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Bewlay Close, Bissell Way, Bittern Walk, Blakehall Close, Blithe Close, and Blithfield Drive
- > The young members and adult leaders of the uniformed organisations, especially our own Scout Group 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...

Joan Bartlett Ray Govier Jason Smith Joyce Matthews Lillian Pearson Hilary Atkins Simon Trehearne Bill Prenton

Eileen Potter Sheila Hill, Colin and Matt

Aaron Wilson Rose Hill **Dorothy Williams** Elizabeth Wyatt Brian Farley Reuben Forrest Yvonne Pearson Jean Latham The Ray Family Joan Roberts

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

#### THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

# The recently departed:

Leonard Morris (13 Jan)

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

26 Charlotte Smith (2011) Arthur Partridge (2013) John Turnley

Clarence Adey

28 Gordon Meese (2013) Michael Lines (2020) Ron Westwood (2024)

Max Schneider (2016)

William Woods (2009) Ray Colley (2014) Paul Tongue, pr (2024)

Florence Burrows (1992)

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, Thomas Aquinas, Charles Stuart, the victims of the Holocaust and all the Saints and servants of God...

# THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY 26 January 2025

# THE THIRD SUNDAY **OF EPIPHANY**



#### **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

or

God of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in Christ our Lord.

## **SERVICES TODAY**

0800 Low Mass (traditional language)

1000 PARISH MASS Zoom also 1800 Vespers Zoom only

#### **READINGS FOR 8 and 10**

First Reading Nehemiah 8.1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Responsorial Psalm 19.1-6

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 12.12-31a

The Holy Gospel Luke 4.14-21

#### HYMNS at 10 NEH

IIIC	450	reach me, my dod and king
Grad	499	Thy Kingdom come O God
Off	362	Glorious things of thee are spoken
Comm	276	Bread of heaven on thee we feed
Conc	339	Be thou my vision

# **PSALM RESPONSE**

The heavens are telling the glory of God.

#### **READINGS FOR EVENSONG at 6pm**

Psalm 33 / Numbers 9.15-23 / 1 Corinthians 7.17-24

# HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL - Yr C: Epiphany 3 / DEL: Yr1 Wk3

# SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 26 January 2025 THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

0800 Low Mass (traditional language)

1000PARISH MASSZoom also1800VespersZoom only

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

#### THIS WEEK:

# **MON Holocaust Memorial Day**

27 0900 Morning Prayer

1100 Low Mass with Hymns and Devotions

1230 Home Communions1700 Evening Prayer

TUE S Thomas Aquinas – Priest, Philosopher, Teach, 1274

28 0900 Morning Prayer 1700 Evening Prayer

1900 Churches Together in Stourbridge AHT

WED Epiphanytide

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 S Charles Stuart – King, Martyr, 1649

30 0900 Morning Prayer

1100 **Holy Communion** The Brambles CH

1800 Scout Group meets

**FRI** Epiphanytide 31 Vicar's day off

**SAT** Epiphanytide

1 0900 Morning Prayer

FEB 1200 Gathering of Religious S Chad's RC Cathedral

# SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 2 February 2025 THE PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE

0800 Low Mass (traditional language)

1000PARISH MASSZoom also1800VespersZoom only

# MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading Malachi 3.1-5
Responsorial Psalm 24.7-10
Second Reading Hebrews 2.14-18
The Holy Gospel Luke 2.22-40

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# **NOTICE BOARD**

#### **FUNDRAISING WORKING GROUP**

We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to meet to look at fundraising options for our various projects. We would welcome anyone with an interest, and those who would be willing to complete the application forms. Please see a churchwarden or Fr Alan. We will have our first meeting in the coming few weeks.

#### **CHURCHES TOGETHER IN STOURBRIDGE**

The CTS Forum will meet here at Holy Trinity this coming **Tuesday 28 Janat 7.00pm**.

#### DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

On the Saturday evening before Mothering Sunday (ie 29 March), there will be a quiz night with fish and chip supper.

#### 150 CLUB

The next 12 month cycle of the 150 Club Draw begins next month (February). Please see Una Parsons to sign up for next year for £1 per number per month (ie £12).

#### **SERVICE OF WHOLENESS AND HEALING**

There will be a service with prayers for those who are not well or in need of God's strength at 4pm on Sunday 16 February.

#### **PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL**

The PCC will next meet on **Wednesday 19 March 2025** at 7pm for the scrutiny of the accounts. Standing Committee is **Wednesday 19 February** on Zoom.

## **MOTHERS' UNION**

The next meeting of the Mothers Union will be on **Thursday 20 February at 2.00pm** in church. You are very welcome to join us. Please talk with Jane Fisher for more details.

#### **MEN'S GROUP**

You are invited to join in their next meeting on **Wednesday 29 January at 8.00pm** for a time of fellowship and chat at the Robin Hood Inn.

## **MEMORIAL SERVICE**

The next Memorial Service will be at 4.00pm on **Sunday 18 May 2025.** 

#### **NEXT CARE HOME VISITS**

Comberton 19 Feb 2.00pm Word Hollybush 29 Jan 2.00pm Word

Brambles 30 Jan 11.00am Communion

# **CHURCH FLOWERS**

The new Flower list is now on the notice board. Please do sign up. Enormous thanks to all who donate.