

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
- ✠ Justin of Canterbury

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

- The Church of the Province of Central Africa, with their Archbishop, ✠ Albert Chama
- The Diocese of Björgvin (Norway), with their Bishop, ✠ Halvor Nordhaug

and locally we pray for the members of...

- Our Lady and All Saints Church, with Fr Des

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**
- **All who are anxious**
- 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 Borrowdale Close, Brambling Walk, Brayford Avenue, Brecon Drive, Bredon Road, and Brettell Lane
- The pubs, clubs and all places where people would normally go to socialise, for their survival after the Covid crisis

THOSE IN NEED KNOWN TO US:

for the healing and comforting of...

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| Christine Yardley | John Williams |
| Barbara Bullows | Brenda Whitfield |
| Margaret James | Charlie Cowley |
| Winnie Tombs | Diane Tranter |
| Bill Knowles | Lynne née Robinson |
| Betty Griffin | Susie |
| Caroline Collins | Emma Cattell-Johnson |

and those who receive the Blessed Sacrament at home:

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| Vera and Derek Allcock | Rose Hill |
| Gladys Tolley | Pat Green |
| Jean Geeves | Deyrell Matthews |

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

for the repose of the soul of...

the recently departed:

Brenda Price (20 Apr)

and those in our year's mind:

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| 3 | Edgar Webb (2017) | |
| 6 | Sandra Clews (2012) | Ted Floyd (2006) |
| 8 | Thomas Wass (2004) | Marjorie Hadley (2008) |
| | Marjorie Spooner (2012) | Eileen Fowkes (2015) |
| | Orian Jones (2019) | |

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS:

joining our prayers with those of...

- The Blessed Virgin Mary, the Saints and Martyrs of the Reformation Era, Dame Julian of Norwich, and all the Holy Apostles, Martyrs, and Saints.

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE, HOLY TRINITY

3 May 2020



FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE COLLECT

Almighty God,
whose Son Jesus Christ
is the resurrection and the life:
raise us, who trust in him,
from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,
that we may seek those things which are above,
where he reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Risen Christ,
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:
teach us to hear your voice
and to follow your command,
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,
to the glory of God the Father.

SERVICES TODAY STREAMED ON THE FACEBOOK GROUP

- 1000 Mass with hymns
- 1800 Vespers with hymns

READINGS FOR THE MASS

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| First Reading | Acts 2.42-end |
| Responsorial Psalm | 23 |
| Second Reading | 1 Peter 2.19-end |
| The Holy Gospel | John 10.1-10 |

HYMNS FOR THE MASS at 10

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| Int | Morning has broken |
| Grad | Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks |
| Off | Make me a channel of your peace |
| Rec | The Spirit lives to set us free |

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

**The Lord is my shepherd,
there is nothing I shall want. (x2 if sung)**

READINGS FOR VESPERS ON SUNDAY at 6

Psalm 29.1-10 / Ezra 3.1-13 / Ephesians 2.11-end

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A : 4th Sunday of Easter / DEL – Yr 2 : 4th wk of Easter

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 3 May 2020

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

LIVE-STREAMED ON THE FACEBOOK GROUP

1000 Mass with Hymns

1800 Sung Vespers with Benediction

FOR THE DURATION OF THE COVID-19 ISOLATION OUR CHURCH BUILDING REMAINS LOCKED. THIS IS A GRIEVOUS DISAPPOINTMENT TO US. BE ASSURED OF OUR PRAYERS.

Daily Offices and Masses are streamed on our Facebook Group

MON English Saints and Martyrs of the Reformation Era

4 0900 Morning Prayer

1700 Evening Prayer

2100 Compline

TUE Eastertide

5 0900 Morning Prayer

1140 Funeral: Brenda Price SB Crem

1700 Evening Prayer

2100 Compline

WED Eastertide

6 0900 Morning Prayer

0930 **Said Mass**

1700 Evening Prayer

2100 Compline

THU Eastertide

7 0900 Morning Prayer

1100 **Said Mass**

1700 Evening Prayer

1900 Streams 1.3: *Jesus the Radical* **Zoom Meeting**

2100 Compline

FRI Julian of Norwich – Spiritual writer, c1417

8 0900 Morning Prayer

BHol 1700 Evening Prayer

2100 Compline

SAT Eastertide

9 0900 Morning Prayer

1700 Evening Prayer

2100 Compline

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 10 May 2020

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE FOLLOWING WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED ON THE FACEBOOK GROUP

1000 Mass with hymns

1800 Vespers with hymns

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

First Reading Acts 7.55-end

Responsorial Psalm 31.1-5

Second Reading 1 Peter 2.2-10

The Holy Gospel John 14.1-14

NOTICE BOARD

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PRECAUTIONS

It is important that we take notice of the following:

- Do not leave your home except for essential visits: Medical, food supplies etc
- Avoid touching your face or nose (or anyone else's!)
- If you blow your nose, use a tissue, dispose of it in the toilets, then **WASH YOUR HANDS**
- Keep at least 6ft away from anyone else at all times.
- At the first sign of fever or new persistent dry cough, phone NHS111 for advice.

CLOSURE OF OUR BUILDINGS

All public services, events, and activities at this church have been cancelled following Government and Church of England advice. **OUR BUILDING MIGHT BE CLOSED, BUT THE CHURCH IS THE PEOPLE, NOT THE BRICKS, AND WE REMAIN FAITHFUL.**

LIVE-STREAMED SERVICES

Please join us through the Facebook page if that is your thing. Everyone is welcome. If you cannot or would prefer not to, be assured that you are very much still the beating heart of the parish, and are prayed for.

STUDY COURSE “Streams”

There will be a weekly, four-part, study course starting soon looking at the impact of Jesus Christ on the lives of those around him and on ours. More information will be on the Parish Facebook Page. Materials will be available for those not able to access the technology on request. Audio introduction can be found on Wednesday on SoundCloud. **Meeting on Zoom, Thursday at 7.**

LENTEN APPEAL

It has been suggested that we make the local Replenish Foodbank the focus of our Lent appeal. If you would like to give a monetary donation to assist them in their caring and vital work (more so in light of the present situation) please contact Fr Alan.

**Keep us, good Lord,
under the shadow of your mercy
in this time of uncertainty and distress.
Sustain and support the anxious and fearful,
and lift up all who are brought low;
that we may rejoice in your comfort
knowing that nothing can separate us
from your love in Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Amen

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

THE FOLLOWING IS WHAT WE WOULD HAVE BEEN DOING, BUT ARE NOT FOR THE FORESEEABLE: Please pray for all those affected by the shutdown.

MAY

SU 10	EASTER 5
Mo 11	2.00pm Kneeler Group
We 13	7.30pm Steps in Faith 2 <i>Three in one – Exploring the Trinity</i>
Th 14	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 17	EASTER 6
	6.00pm Memorial Service
We 20	7.00pm Parochial Church Council
TH 21	THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD
	11.00am Said Mass of the Ascension
	2.00pm Mothers' Union
SU 24	ASCENSION SUNDAY
	6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction
We 27	7.30pm Steps in Faith 3 <i>Three in one – Exploring the Trinity</i>
Th 28	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 31	DAY OF PENTECOST
	6.00pm Wholeness and Healing

JUNE

We 4	7.30pm Steps in Faith 4 <i>Three in one – Exploring the Trinity</i>
SU 7	TRINITY SUNDAY
Mo 8	2.00pm Kneeler Group
Th 11	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 14	TRINITY 1
	3.30pm Family @ 3.30
Th 18	2.00pm Mothers' Union
SU 21	TRINITY 2
Th 25	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 28	PETERTIDE
	6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

JULY

Th 2	7.30pm Standing Committee
SU 5	TRINITY 4
Th 9	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 12	TRINITY 5
Mo 13	2.00pm Kneeler Group
We 15	7.00pm Parochial Church Council
Th 16	2.00pm Mothers' Union
SU 19	TRINITY 6
Th 23	1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 26	TRINITY 7
	6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

AUGUST

SU 2	TRINITY 8
SU 9	S CLARE OF ASSISI
Mo 10	2.00pm Kneeler Group
Th 13	1.00pm Trinity Tots
Sa 15	THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
	11.00am Mary Sumner Day Service
SU 16	TRINITY 10
	6.00pm Memorial Service
Th 20	2.00pm Mothers' Union
SU 23	TRINITY 11
	6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction
Th 27	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 30	TRINITY 12
	6.00pm Wholeness and Healing

SEPTEMBER

Th 3	7.30pm Standing Committee
SU 6	TRINITY 13
Th 10	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 13	TRINITY 14
	3.30pm Family @ 3.30
Mo 14	2.00pm Kneeler Group
We 16	7.00pm Parochial Church Council
Th 17	2.00pm Mothers' Union
SU 20	HARVEST THANKSGIVING
Mo 21	Pilgrimage to Walsingham (<i>till Thursday</i>)
Tu 22	7.30pm Steps in Faith 1 <i>Pilgrims' Progress – The Stuff of Life</i>
Th 24	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 27	TRINITY 16
	6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction
Tu 29	7.30pm Steps in Faith 2 <i>Pilgrims' Progress – The Stuff of Life</i>

OCTOBER

SU 4	S FRANCIS OF ASSISI
Tu 6	7.30pm Steps in Faith 3 <i>Pilgrims' Progress – The Stuff of Life</i>
Th 8	1.00pm Trinity Tots
SU 11	TRINITY 18
Mo 12	2.00pm Kneeler Group
Tu 13	7.30pm Steps in Faith 4 <i>Pilgrims' Progress – The Stuff of Life</i>
Th 15	2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 18 TRINITY 19
6.00pm Wholeness and Healing

Th 22 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 25 TRINITY 20
6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

NOVEMBER

SU 1 ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY / ALL SOULS'
6.00pm All Souls' Memorial

Th 5 7.30pm Standing Committee

SU 8 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Mo 9 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Th 12 1.00pm Trinity Tots

SU 15 2 BEFORE ADVENT

We 18 7.00pm Parochial Church Council
Th 19 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 22 CHRIST THE KING
6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

Th 26 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Sa 28 11.00am Eucharistic Ministers'
Renewal Service

SU 29 ADVENT SUNDAY
6.00pm Lessons and Carols for Advent

DECEMBER

SU 6 ADVENT 2
6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

Th 10 1.00pm Trinity Tots

Fr 11 9.30am Amblecote School Rehearsal

SU 13 ADVENT 3
4.30pm Christingle Service

Mo 14 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 15 1.30pm Amblecote Christmas Service 1

We 16 9.30am Amblecote Christmas Service 2
11.00am Said Mass (rather than 9.30)

Th 17 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 20 ADVENT 4
4.30pm Taizé Service for Advent 4

Th 24 Eve and Vigil of Christmas
11.00am **Said Mass**
4.30pm Carols by Candlelight 1
6.00pm Carols by Candlelight 2
11.30pm **MIDNIGHT MASS**

FR 25 CHRISTMAS DAY
8.00am **Said Mass of the Nativity**
9.30am **SUNG MASS OF THE NATIVITY**

Sa 26 S STEPHEN THE FIRST MARTYR
11.00am **Said Mass of St Stephen**

SU 27 FIRST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS
8.00am **Said Mass (traditional language)**
10.00am **PARISH MASS**
6.00pm Christmass Praise

JANUARY 2021

FR 1 THE NAMING OF JESUS
11.00am **SUNG MASS OF THE NAMING**

REGULAR SERVICES

ALL THE FOLLOWING WILL RECOMMENCE AS SOON AS THE COVID-19 SITUATION HAS BEEN MADE SAFE.

SUNDAYS

8.00am **Said Mass (traditional language)**
10.00am **PARISH MASS**
12noon Baptisms 1st or 3rd Sundays of the month

Evening Services:

1st, 2nd, 3rd Sundays of the month

6.00pm Said Evening Prayer

4th Sunday

6.00pm Solemn Vespers with Benediction

Also:

Wholeness and Healing at 6pm

31 May

30 August

18 October

Memorial Service at 6pm

17 May

16 August

1 November

WEDNESDAYS

9.30am **Said Mass**

THURSDAYS

11.00am **Said Mass**

TUESDAY TO SATURDAY

9.00am Morning Prayer

5.00pm Evening Prayer – Not Friday or Saturday

REGULAR MEETINGS

Second Monday at 2.00pm
KNEELER GROUP

Second and Fourth Thursdays at 1.00pm
TRINITY TOTS

Third Thursday at 2.00pm
MOTHERS' UNION

Occasional Fridays at 7.30pm
CHOIR PRACTICE

Please check notice sheet for variations in the above.