

INTERCESSIONS FOR THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for...

those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

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

our sisters and brothers in other places...

- The Anglican Church of Burundi – Archbishop, ✠ Sixbert Macumi
- Dio Guildford (Canterbury) – Bishop, ✠ Andrew Watson
- Dio Viborg (Denmark) – Bishop, ✠ Henrik Stubkjær

our fellow Christians in Stourbridge...

- The congregation at S Mary's, Old Swinford
- and for Fr John Flitcroft, their priest

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- **AN END TO THE WAR BETWEEN UKRAINE AND RUSSIA, FOR PRESIDENTS ZELENSKIY AND PUTIN**
- An end to conflict in Sudan, Yemen, and in Palestine
- Charles our King, and those who hold his authority
- All seeking refuge here from persecution and hunger
- Greater care of the earth and her resources

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Churchill Drive, Churchward Close, Clee Road, Clent Road, Clockfields Drive, and Coalbourn Lane
- Owners of businesses and places of employment
that God will bless 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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| Eileen Potter | Catherine Gould |
| Aaron Wilson | Joyce Matthews |
| Jason | Malcolm Smith |

Those who are sick of body, mind or Spirit.

All who are estranged from loved ones

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

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

We commend to you the recently departed:

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| Fr Fred Willcox | Stuart Young (2 May) |
| Tony Bourgoing (6 May) | |

and those in our year's mind;

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| 16 | Nicci Cutler (2010) | Marjorie Meese (2014) |
| 19 | Eileen Davies (2004) | Iris Childs (2010) |
| 20 | Norah Richards (2009) | Eric Williams (2012) |
| | Betty Griffin (2020) | |

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,
- S Matthias, Caroline Chisholm, S Dunstan, S Alcuin,
- and all the Saints ...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY

14 May 2023

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



COLLECT OF THE DAY

God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us
he may raise us to eternal joy;
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

Risen Christ,
by the lakeside
you renewed your call to your disciples:
help your Church to obey your command
and draw the nations to the fire of your love,
to the glory of God the Father.

SERVICES TODAY

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| 8.00am | Low Mass (Traditional Language) | |
| 10.00am | PARISH MASS | Zoom |
| 6.30pm | Christian Aid Week service | S Thomas |

READINGS FOR THE MASS

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| First Reading | Acts 17.22-31 |
| Responsorial Psalm | 66.7-end |
| Second Reading | 1 Peter 3.13-end |
| The Holy Gospel | John 14.15-21 |

HYMNS FOR THE MASS

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| Int | 198 | Christ is made a sure foundation |
| Grad | 227 | God of Mercy, God of Grace |
| Off | 267 | Beauty for brokenness |
| Comm | 195 | Soul of my Saviour |
| Rec | 262 | Ye Holy Angels Bright |

PSALM RESPONSE

**Bless our God, O you peoples;
make the voice of his praise to be heard.**

READINGS FOR THIS EVENING

Psalm 147 / Isaiah 22.15-22 / Philippians 3.13b – 4.1

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A : Easter 6 / DEL – Yr 1 : 6th wk of Easter

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 14 May 2023

THE SITH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00am **Low Mass** (Traditional Language)
10.00am **PARISH MASS** Zoom
6.30pm Christian Aid Week service S Thomas

THIS WEEK:

MON S Matthias the Apostle (trans)

15 0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **Low Mass**
1230 Meeting with Nigel Tween
1700 Evening Prayer

TUE Caroline Chisholm – Social Reformer, 1877

16 0900 Morning Prayer
1700 Evening Prayer

WED Rogation Day

17 0900 Morning Prayer
0930 **Low Mass**
1700 Evening Prayer
1900 Churches Together in Stourbridge Quakers

THU ASCENSION DAY

18 0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **SUNG MASS OF THE ASCENSION**
1400 Mothers' Union
1630 Evening Prayer
1800 Scout Group meetings

FRI S Dunstan of Canterbury - Archbishop etc, 988

19 Daily Office said privately

SAT S Alcuin of York – Deacon, Abbot of Tours, 804

20 0900 Morning Prayer
1900 Christian Aid Quiz Night Church Hall

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 21 May 2023

THE SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

8.00am **Low Mass** (Traditional Language)
10.00am **PARISH MASS** Zoom
6.00pm Memorial Service

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading Acts 1.6-14
Responsorial Psalm 68.1-10
Second Reading 1 Peter 4.12-14; 5.6-11
The Holy Gospel John 17.1-11

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NOTICE BOARD

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

MID WEEK SERVICES

This week these will be on Tuesday and Thursday. Reverting to Monday and Wednesday the following week.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

This begins TODAY 14 May, and to mark this there will be a service at S Thomas Church at 6.30pm.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN STOURBRIDGE

The forum meets THIS COMING Wednesday 17 May, 7 for 7.30 at the Quaker Meeting House.

ASCENSION DAY SERVICE

We will have a sung mass THIS COMING Thursday 18 May at 11am. Please do support this if you can.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

There will be a Memorial Service NEXT Sunday 21 May at 6pm. Do please join us to remember loved ones no longer with us.

PCC MEETING

Originally intended for this coming Wednesday, the first meeting of the new PCC will take place at 7pm on Wednesday 24 May (Mass first, business at 7.30)

MISSION ACCOMPANIER CORE GROUP

The MA Core Group will meet on Wednesday 31 May at 7pm

MEN'S GROUP

The next meeting of the Men's Group will be at the Robin Hood Inn in Collis Street on Wednesday 7 June at 8pm (Note date change). All men are warmly welcome to join us for a drink and chat.

QUIZ NIGHT FOR CHRISTIAN AID

SATURDAY 20 MAY

Please sign up on the list on the back table. Teams of four invited! This will help us show our support for CA in these financially troubled times.

In June there is to a Quiz Night for the RNLI.

THE FOOD BANK and WOMEN'S REFUGE

The boxes are out at the back for donations for the Food Bank and the Women's Refuge. Please bring your donations any week. Thank you.

FLOWERS AND THE RÔTA

Thank you for all your contributions towards the flowers this year, and for Sheila for organising their arrangement. Please can you sign up for a Sunday or two.