

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

for our sisters and brothers in other places...

The Anglican Church of Canada,
with their Archbishop, ✠ Linda Nicholls
The Diocese of Guildford (Canterbury),
with their Bishop, ✠ Andrew Watson
The Diocese of Viborg (Denmark),
with their Bishop, ✠ Henrik Stubkjær

for our fellow Christians in Stourbridge...

The endeavours or Churches Together in Stourbridge
in our common Christian witness

for vocations to faithful discipleship, the intentional religious life, and to the sacred ministry.

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: *we pray for...*

- Elizabeth our Queen and those who hold authority in her name
- The leaders of all nations, for wisdom and kindness
- The healing of all affected by the COVID-19 virus
- An end to the harassment of women by men
- Repentance of our racism
- All affected by war and tyranny
- Peace in Palestine and Israel, an end to bombing
- All people to care for the earth on which we depend
- Respect for the Belfast Agreement

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

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Suffolk Drive, Sunderland Drive, Tamar Rise, The Holloway, The Houx, and Thirlmere Walk
- Those without shelter

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...

Eileen Potter	Winnie Tombs
Trevor & Jan Morris	Joyce Matthews
Rose Hill	Pat Jones
Hannah Williams	Jason
Jacquie Devlin	Lillian Pearson
Brian Farley	Ray Shakespeare
Simon	Lyndon Viney

and those who (normally would) receive the Blessed Sacrament at home

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

for the repose of the soul of the recently departed:

and those in our year's mind:

16 Nicci Cutler (2010)	Marjorie Meese (2014)
19 Eileen Davies (2004)	Iris Childs (2010)
20 Norah Richards (2009)	Eric Williams (2012)
Betty Griffin (2020)	
21 Joseph Baker (2011)	
22 Carl Bonnett (2013)	

THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS:

joining our prayers with those of...

The Blessed Virgin Mary, S Dunstan, S Alcuin,
S Helena, and all God's Servants and Saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY

16 May 2021



THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

COLLECT

O God the King of glory,
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
and exalt us to the place
where our Saviour Christ is gone before,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Or

Risen, ascended Lord,
as we rejoice at your triumph,
fill your Church on earth with power and compassion,
that all who are estranged by sin
may find forgiveness and know your peace,
to the glory of God the Father.

SERVICES TODAY

1000	PARISH MASS	C Z F
1100	Annual Parochial Church Meeting	C Z
1800	Sung Vespers	Z

READINGS FOR THE MASS

First Reading	Acts 1.15-17, 21-end
Responsorial Psalm	1
Second Reading	1 John 5.9-13
The Holy Gospel	John 17.6-19

HYMNS FOR THE MASS ORGAN ONLY!

Int
Grad
Off
PostC

RESPONSE TO THE PSALM

**The Lord knows the way,
the way of the righteous.**

READINGS FOR VESPERS AT 6pm

Psalm 147.1-12 / Isaiah 61 / Luke 4.14-21

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr B : 7 of Easter / DEL – Yr 1 : 7th wk of Easter

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1100	Annual Parochial Church Meeting	C Z
1800	Sung Vespers	Z

THIS WEEK:

MON Ascensiontide

17 Vicar's day off

TUE Ascensiontide

18 0900 Morning Prayer Z

1100 Coffee Morning Z

1700 Evening Prayer Z

WED S Dunstan – Archbishop, monastic reformer, 988

19 0900 Morning Prayer Z

0930 **Said Mass**

1700 Evening Prayer Z

THU S Alcuin – Deacon, abbot, 804

20 0900 Morning Prayer Z

1100 **Said Mass**

1400 Mothers Union *In church*

1700 Evening Prayer Z

FRI S Helena – Protector of the Holy Places, 330

21 0900 Morning Prayer Z

1700 Evening Prayer Z

SAT Ascensiontide

22 0900 Morning Prayer Z

Evening Prayer said privately

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 23 May 2021

THE DAY OF PENTECOST

1000 **PARISH MASS** C Z F

1800 Sung Vespers Z

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading Acts 2.1-21

Responsorial Psalm 104.26-end

Second Reading Romans 8.22-27

The Holy Gospel John 15.26-27; 16.4b-15

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INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHURCH

Facebook Amblecote Parish Church (Group and Page)

Website www.holytrinityamblecote.org.uk

NOTICE BOARD

ZOOM AND FACEBOOK

Zoom: 733 781 9366 (passcode from Fr Alan)

FB: Amblecote Parish Church group page
(FB is Sunday 10am Mass only)

RETURN TO WORSHIP IN CHURCH

Please remember the rules:

- Wear face coverings unless exempt
- Use anti-bac in, out, and during
- Maintain physical distance
- **DO NOT SING!**
- When dismissed do not linger

CHRISTIAN AID ENVELOPES

Please can you leave your envelope in the basket on your way out. If you have not brought it this week, the basket will also be out next week. Thank you.

MOTHERS' UNION

Mothers' Union are meeting on **Thursday at 2pm** in church. New members are always welcome. Just turn up!

APCM and NOMINATIONS

The APCM 2021 will be held at no earlier than 11.00am **TODAY Sunday 16 May**. Nominations for the roles of **Churchwarden** (2 needed), and **3 members of the PCC** may be made at the meeting.

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

There will be a meeting of the PCC at 7pm on **Wednesday 26 May**.

FLOWER, READING, AND INTERCESSION RÔTAS

Now that we are back to having worship in church, would you please consider signing up to the flower rôta on the noticeboard, and to be a lesson reader and/or intercessor on the lists on the table.

CHI RHO MOVEMENT

Chi Rho is a movement for lay people who believe in a church whose membership and ministry should be open to women and men, and inclusive of those who are black, white, gay or straight. There is more information on the Noticeboard. Please tell Fr Alan if you are interested in forming a Group at Holy Trinity.

COFFEE MORNING

If you want to meet up for a chat, please join us on **Tuesday anytime between 11am and 12noon on Zoom**. Everyone is most welcome.

THE STOURBRIDGE FOODBANK

LOCAL WOMEN'S REFUGE

The foodbank is really struggling at present with the demands upon it caused by prevailing events. Please be as generous as you can. *[The box will be at the back of church]*

The Refuge is similarly in great need of toiletries and similar things. They also rely on the generosity of strangers.