

INTERCESSIONS THIS WEEK

THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH: we pray for...

those who teach and guard the faith in this diocese:

- ✠ Hugh our Bishop
- ✠ Sarah our Archbishop
- ✠ Martin of Dudley

our sisters and brothers in other places:

Anglicans throughout the British Isles
Dio Exeter (Canterbury) – Bp, ✠ Mike Harrison
Dio Nord-Hålogaland (Norway) – Bp, ✠ Stig Laegdene

our fellow Christians in Stourbridge:

The congregation at S Andrew's, Wollescote
with their priest, Mtr Claire Cox

SOCIETY AND THE WORLD: we pray for...

- The victims of genocide and war crime
- Peace throughout the Middle East, Asia, Ukraine, Yemen, and Sudan
- Newly elected Councillors, that they will work together
- Charles our King, and all who bear his authority, and for all world leaders
- Those seeking refuge in the UK
- All unduly affected by world events

OUR PARISH AND COMMUNITIES: we pray for...

- Our parishioners, especially those living in Grampian Road, Gratham Close, Hammond Way, Harlstones Close, Harrop Way, and Helmsley Close
- The lonely and friendless, that they might be comforted
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...

Graeme Perks	Laura Skirving
Reuben Forrest	Michael Buck
Beki Vernon	Gwen Yates
Hilary Atkins	Michael Devlin
Mavis Lily	Sharon McCaffer
Catherine Cocks	Jason Smith
Violet Ray and her family	Sarah
Dewi Phillips	Malcolm Wilson
Millar Dickens	Di

For all the elderly, frail and vulnerable, and all who have lost the health and strength that once were theirs

THOSE WHOSE EARTHLY LIFE IS COMPLETE:

The recently departed:

Winifred Harper (19 April)	Ann Westwood (13 May)
Jean Latham (19 May)	

We commend to you those whose anniversaries of death occur:

19 Eileen Davies (2004)	Iris Childs (2010)
24 Thomas Sidaway (2003)	John Clements (2012)
John Taylor (2024)	John Hall
25 Ivor Clarke (2012)	David Boundy, pr (2024)
26 Brenda Hubble (2014)	
27 Tracey Owens (2020)	John Mees (2020)
28 Joyce Baker (2007)	Catherine Igelem (2016)
29 Florence Ralph (2001)	John Kendrick (2021)
30 Alex Darlington (2006)	Ruby Webster (2014)

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...

Our Lady, S Mary, Mother of our Lord and God,
Augustine, Lanfranc, Josephine Butler,
and all the holy Apostles, Martyrs, and Saints...

THE PARISH OF AMBLECOTE HOLY TRINITY

24 May 2026

DAY OF PENTECOST



COLLECT OF THE DAY

God, who as at this time
taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit
to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

or

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

SERVICES TODAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)	
1000	FAMILY MASS	Zoom also
1200	Holy Baptism: Alfie Perks	
1800	Evening Service	Zoom only

READINGS FOR 8 and 10

First Reading	Acts 2.1-21
Responsorial Psalm	104.26-36,37b
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 12.3b-13
The Holy Gospel	John 20.19-23

HYMNS at 10

Int 269	<i>I will sing, I will sing a song unto the Lord</i>
Grad 206	<i>He is Lord</i>
Off 14	<i>Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks</i>
Comm 680	<i>Broken for me</i>
Conc 547	<i>The Spirit lives to set us free</i>

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PSALM RESPONSE

Bless the Lord, O my soul.

READINGS FOR VESPERS at 6

Psalm 67, 133 / Joel 2.21-32 / Acts 2.14-38

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, AMBLECOTE

RCL – Yr A : Pentecost (Whitsun) / DEL – Yr2 : Wk 8

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY – 24 May 2026

THE DAY OF PENTECOST

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)	
1000	FAMILY MASS	Zoom also
1200	Holy Baptism: Alfie Perks	
1800	Evening Service	Zoom only

THIS WEEK:

MON 25 *The Venerable Bede – Priest, Monk, Scholar, Historian, 735*
BANK HOLIDAY

TUE 26 *S Augustine – First Archbishop of Canterbury, 605*
0900 Morning Prayer
1030 Bible Study Vestry
1400 Knit and Natter, Craft and Chatter
1700 Evening Prayer

WED 27 *Feria*
0900 Morning Prayer
0930 **Low Mass**
1220 Funeral: Winfred Harper Crematorium
1500 Service of the Word at Hollybush House
1700 Evening Prayer
2000 Men's Group Robin Hood Inn

THU 28 *S Lanfranc – Prior of Le Bec. Archbishop, Scholar, 1089*
0900 Morning Prayer
1100 **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH
1630 Evening Prayer

FRI 29 *Feria*

SAT 30 *Josephine Butler – Social Reformer, 1906*
0900 Morning Prayer

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY – 31 May 2026

TRINITY SUNDAY

0800	Low Mass (traditional language)	
1000	PARISH MASS	Zoom also
1800	Evening Service	Zoom only

MASS READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading	Isaiah 40.12-17,27-31
Responsorial Psalm	8
Second Reading	2 Corinthians 13.11-13
The Holy Gospel	Matthew 28.16-20

NOTICE BOARD

TRINITY SUNDAY NEXT WEEK

We will keep this as our Feast of Title. Our Patronal Festival will be kept on **Sunday 6 September**.

LENTEN APPEAL

The proceeds from our Lenten Appeal will go to the Disasters Emergency Committee, earmarked to help the casualties of the war in Gaza. Please bring your gifts next week in an envelope marked Lent Appeal. Thank you.

BIBLE STUDY

The next Bible Study is this **TUESDAY 26 May at 10.30am** and every other Tuesday in church. This is organised by Kally O'Connor, from whom more information can be sought.

MEN'S GROUP

The Group will next meet at the Robin Hood Inn this coming **Wednesday 27 May at 8.00pm**.

THE ARK

The next gathering of families and children will be at **3.30pm on Sunday 21 June**. This is open to all young people whether baptised or not. The Ark will happen each month on the Third Sunday

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

The next meeting of this year's PCC will be **Wednesday 15 July: 7.00pm** for Mass followed by business at 7.30. The Standing Committee will meet on **Wednesday 17 June**.

KNIT & NATTER – CRAFT & CHATTER

Usually every Tuesday, 2pm to 3.30, you are invited to call into church with or without your knitting, or possibly with some other craft, for tea and a chat. Invite your neighbours, if they would appreciate some company.

THE FLOWERS

Thank you to all those who donate towards the flowers which beautify our church each week. If you are able to do so, there are some weeks that are blank on the rota. Do fill them if possible.

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DIARY 2026

MAY

SU 31 TRINITY SUNDAY I
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

JUNE

Mo 1 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 2 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 3 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 4 **CORPUS CHRISTI** II
 11.00am **SUNG MASS of Corpus Christi**

SU 7 TRINITY I II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **FAMILY MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 8 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 9 10.30am Bible Study *in church*
 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 10 9.30am **Low Mass**

Fr 12 **DIVINE COMPASSION OF CHRIST** II
 9.30am **Low Mass of the Divine Compassion**

SU 14 TRINITY II II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 4.00pm Sung Evensong

Mo 15 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 16 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 17 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm Standing Committee

Th 18 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 21 TRINITY III II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 3.30pm The Ark – Family Gathering
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 22 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 23 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
 10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 24 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

Th 25 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH

SU 28 TRINITY IV II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 29 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 30 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

JULY

We 1 9.30am **Low Mass**
 8.00pm Men's Group Robin Hood Inn

SU 5 TRINITY V II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **FAMILY MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 6 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 7 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
 10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 8 9.30am **Low Mass**

Sa 11 7.00pm Beetle Drive

SU 12 TRINITY VI II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 4.00pm Wholeness and Healing

Mo 13 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
 2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 14 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 15 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
 7.00pm PCC Meeting

Th 16 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 19 TRINITY VII II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 3.30pm The Ark – Family Gathering
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 20 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 21 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
 10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 22 9.30am **Low Mass**

SU 26 TRINITY VIII II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **PARISH MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 27 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 28 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 29 9.30am **Low Mass**
 2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

Th 30 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH

AUGUST

SU 2 TRINITY IX II
 8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
 10.00am **FAMILY MASS**
 6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 3 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 4 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
 10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 5 9.30am **Low Mass**

Th 6 **TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD** I
 11.00pm **MASS OF THE TRANSFIGURATION**

Sa 8	Mary Sumner Day			2.00pm	Kneeler Group	
	11.00am	Thanksgiving Eucharist				
SU 9	S CLARE OF ASSISI	I				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	4.00pm	High Mass – 1549 BCP				
Mo 10	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
	2.00pm	Kneeler Group				
Tu 11	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 12	9.30am	Low Mass				
	8.00pm	Men's Group	Robin Hood Inn			
SU 16	TRINITY XI	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	3.30pm	The Ark – Family Gathering				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 17	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
	2.00pm	Kneeler Group				
Tu 18	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
	10.30am	Bible Study <i>in church</i>				
We 19	9.30am	Low Mass				
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Comberton CH				
Th 20	2.00pm	Mothers' Union				
SU 23	TRINITY XII	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 24	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 25	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 26	9.30am	Low Mass				
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Hollybush House				
	7.00pm	Standing Committee				
Th 27	11.00am	Holy Communion at The Brambles CH				
SU 30	TRINITY XIII	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 31		BH No Low Mass				
SEPTEMBER						
Tu 1	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
	10.30am	Bible Study <i>in church</i>				
We 2	9.30am	Low Mass				
SU 6	THE BIRTH OF THE BVM – PATRONAL FESTIVAL	I				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 7	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 8	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 9	9.30am	Low Mass				
SU 13	TRINITY XV	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	FAMILY MASS				
	4.00pm	Taize Service				
Mo 14	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 15	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
	10.30am	Bible Study <i>in church</i>				
We 16	9.30am	Low Mass				
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Comberton CH				
	7.00pm	PCC Meeting				
Th 17	2.00pm	Mothers' Union				
Sa 18	7.00pm	Harvest Supper				
SU 20	TRINITY XVI	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	3.30pm	The Ark – Family Gathering				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 21	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 22	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 23	9.30am	Low Mass				
	8.00pm	Men's Group	Robin Hood Inn			
Th 24	11.00am	Holy Communion at The Brambles CH				
SU 27	TRINITY XVII	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 28	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 29	Ss MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS					
	10.30am	Bible Study <i>in church</i>				
	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 30	9.30am	Low Mass				
	2.00pm	Service of the Word at Hollybush House				
OCTOBER						
SU 4	S FRANCIS OF ASSISI	I				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	FAMILY MASS				
	4.00pm	Pets' Memorial Service				
Mo 5	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 6	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
We 7	9.30am	Low Mass				
SU 11	TRINITY XIX	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 12	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
	2.00pm	Kneeler Group				
Tu 13	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				
	10.30am	Bible Study <i>in church</i>				
We 14	9.30am	Low Mass				
Th 15	2.00pm	Mothers' Union				
SU 18	TRINITY XX	II				
	8.00am	Low Mass (<i>traditional language</i>)				
	10.00am	PARISH MASS				
	3.30pm	The Ark – Family Gathering				
	6.00pm	Evening Service				
Mo 19	11.00am	Low Mass with hymns and Devotions				
Tu 20	2.00pm	Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter				

We 21 9.30am **Low Mass**
2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
7.00pm Standing Committee

SU 25 TRINITY LAST II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 26 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 27 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 28 9.30am **Low Mass**
2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

Th 29 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH

Sa 31 7.00pm Bingo and Chips

NOVEMBER

SU 1 ALL SAINTS SUNDAY II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
4.00pm All Souls' Memorial Service

Mo 2 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 3 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 4 9.30am **Low Mass**
8.00pm Men's Group Robin Hood Inn

SU 8 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
9.45am **FAMILY MASS**
10.50am Act of Remembrance
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 9 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 10 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 11 9.30am **Low Mass**

SU 15 SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
3.30pm The Ark – Family Gathering
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 16 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 17 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 18 9.30am **Low Mass**
2.00pm Service of the Word at Comberton CH
7.00pm PCC Meeting

Th 19 2.00pm Mothers' Union

SU 22 FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING I
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 23 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 24 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 25 9.30am **Low Mass**
2.00pm Service of the Word at Hollybush House

Th 26 11.00am **Holy Communion** at The Brambles CH

SU 29 ADVENT SUNDAY II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 30 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

DECEMBER

Tu 1 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter

We 2 9.30am **Low Mass**

SU 6 ADVENT II II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am FAMILY MASS
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 7 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 8 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 9 9.30am **Low Mass**

Sa 12 7.00pm Quiz Night

SU 13 ADVENT III II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
4.00pm Christingle Service

Mo 14 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**
2.00pm Kneeler Group

Tu 15 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
6.00pm Carols at Sainsbury's

We 16 9.30am **Low Mass**
2.00pm Carols at Comberton CH
7.00pm Standing Committee

Th 17 11.00am **Carols and Communion** at The Brambles
2.00pm Carols at Hollybush House

SU 20 ADVENT IV II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am PARISH MASS
3.30pm The Ark – Family Gathering
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 21 11.00am **Low Mass with hymns and Devotions**

Tu 22 2.00pm Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter
10.30am Bible Study *in church*

We 23 9.30am **Low Mass**

TH 24 EVE AND VIGIL OF CHRISTMAS II
2.00pm **Quiet Carols – Take a Breath**
4.30pm **Carols by Candlelight I**
6.00pm **Carols by Candlelight II**
11.30pm MIDNIGHT MASS I
and First Communion of Christmas

FR 25 CHRISTMAS DAY I
8.00am **Low Mass of the Incarnation**
9.30am **SUNG MASS of the Incarnation**

SU 27 CHRISTMAS SUNDAY II
8.00am **Low Mass** (*traditional language*)
10.00am FAMILY MASS
6.00pm Evening Service

Mo 28 **BH No Low Mass**

Tu 29 **No** Knit & Natter - Craft & Chatter