



**SUNDAY 8 APRIL 2018
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Welcome to everyone

If you are new to Holy Trinity, please introduce yourself to a member of the Welcome Team at the back of the Church.

Today's readings:

Reading: Acts 4. 32-35 pg 113
Gospel: John 20. 19-end pg 107

Holy Communion8.00am

Reader: Jacqui Salmon
President & Preacher: Revd Kay Dyer

Breakfast in the Parish Centre9.30am

Parish Eucharist10.00am

Please see separate sheet for hymns.

Reader: Chris Cottrell
President: Revd Steve Jarvis
Preacher: Revd Kay Dyer

Prayer ministry available in St Peter's Chapel during Communion.

F.A.B. (Faith At Breakfast)10.00am

Leader: Clare Bentall

Refreshments served in the Parish Centre.

Christenings12.00pm

Officiant: Revd Steve Jarvis

We welcome Charlotte Sarah Hartley, Bill Clovis Kennedy and Isabella Grace Leach into the family of the church.

Congregational Evensong6.00pm

Hymns: 112, 459, 114
Readings: Genesis 1. 1-5, 26-31 pg 1
John 1. 1-18 pg 85

Reader: Maxine Horsman
Psalm: 85
Officiant: Revd Steve Jarvis
Preacher: James Sorel-Cameron

Lives changed through God's love

THIS WEEK

Monday 9 Feast of the Annunciation of Our Lord to the Blessed Virgin Mary

9.15 am Holy Communion
1.30 pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

Tuesday 10

9.15 am Morning Prayer
10.00 am Holy Communion
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm Evening Prayer
7.30 pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 11

9.15 am Morning Prayer
10.00 am Holy Communion at the Guild Chapel
10 am-12 pm Lay Chaplain available
1.00 pm Soundbites – The Sunnysiders, Ukulele Group
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading
1.30pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available
4.15 pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 12

9.15 am Morning Prayer
1.30 pm-3.30 pm Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm Evening Prayer

Friday 13

9.15 am Morning Prayer
2.30 pm King James Bible Reading
3.30 pm Evening Prayer

Saturday 14

2.30 pm King James Bible Reading

**SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
15 APRIL 2018**

Holy Communion8.00 am
Parish Eucharist.....10.00 am
F.A.B.10.00 am
Choral Evensong6.00 pm
Morning Worship, Clifford Chambers9.30 am
Holy Communion, Luddington9.30 am



St Helen's, Clifford Chambers

Family Worship 9.30am

Hymns: 335 (A+M), 29 (SSL), 182 (A+M),
153 (SofF)

Reading: Acts 4. 32-35
Gospel: John 20. 19-end
Officiant: Revd Diane Patterson

All Saints', Luddington

Holy Communion 9.30am

Reading: Acts 4. 32-35
Reader: Roger Dopson
Gospel: John 20. 19-end
President & Preacher: Revd Brian Russell

PRAYERS

**INTERNET & VOTIVE CANDLE STAND PRAYER
REQUESTS are offered at Morning Prayer each day.**

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Andrea Blood	Clare Taylor Reeves	John Taylor
Dorothy Lovett	Andrew Rainsberry	Gary Evans
Pat Sutton	Fiona Southall	Robbie Daly
Laura Reynolds	Lawrence Salmon	

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Ken Roome
Neil Whittey

Names will be kept on the prayer list for three weeks.
Please inform the Parish Office of a long term illness.

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Pamela Gardner	William Barker	Sylvia Spraggett
Henry Morrison	Doreen Talliss	Peggy Tearne
	Algy Smith	

THE PARISH PRAYER DIARY Please use this in your private prayers. Copies are available at the back of church.

COLLECT Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him: grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, may reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might, now and in all eternity. Amen

POST COMMUNION God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

DURING THE SERVICE

RECEIVING COMMUNION Baptised, communicant members of any Church are welcome to receive the bread and wine. Otherwise please come forward for a blessing, bringing the service leaflet with you.

YOUR OFFERING A collection for the work of the church is usually taken during one of the hymns. If you are a UK taxpayer, please use the Gift Aid envelopes available in the boxes in the pews and chairs. Please complete in full with title, first and last name, etc. If you wish to join our regular giving scheme with either weekly envelopes or a standing order, please contact Chris Kennedy direct on 01789 299785 or through the Parish Office.

DURING THE PARISH EUCHARIST:

- Prayer Ministry is offered during Communion in St Peter's Chapel.
- A play space is available at the back of church for pre-school children accompanied by their parents.

HEARING LOOP SYSTEM & LARGE PRINT SERVICE BOOKS are available. Please ask one of the sidespeople.

OUR PARISH VISION PRAYER Ever living God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we pray for your blessing on this church and parish. Guide and inspire us to play our part in worshipping you, making disciples of Jesus Christ and transforming communities, so that we may see lives changed through your love. Amen

MINISTRY TEAM

Patrick Taylor, Vicar
Steve Jarvis, Associate Vicar,
Kay Dyer, Curate,
Phil Harper, Children and Families Minister,
Assistant Ministers (Honorary): Neville Beamer,
Andrew Dow, John Graty,
John Hall-Matthews, Diane Patterson,
Jenny Rowland, Brian Russell,
Graham Wilcox.

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NOTICES

ANNUAL MEETING OF PARISHIONERS & ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING These will take place on Sunday 15 April at approximately 11.30 am in the Parish Centre. We need to elect four churchwardens, as well as four members to serve on the PCC. Those wishing to stand need a proposer and seconder. All need to be on the Church Electoral Roll. For more information, please speak to Miriam Dow, PCC Secretary (01789 417852).

ANNUAL REPORT Copies of the Annual Report are available at the back of church.

GDPR Workshops – In May churches and all other organisations will have to respond to the new General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). We are planning two workshops for all those who hold and use data to attend. Tim Raistrick will be in touch with you. Also, anyone in the congregation who would like to be better informed about the new GDPR may attend. If you would like a place please let Tim or Andy Winter know – the workshops will be on 11 April at either 14.30 or 19.45 in the Parish Centre.

TRINITY PLAYERS invite you to 'Coffee, Cake and Shakespeare' – our annual celebration of Shakespeare's birthday. A short programme of readings will be followed by birthday cake and coffee on Friday April 20 at 11am in Holy Trinity Church. Admission free.

STRATFORD STREET PASTORS need a new **Treasurer**. The retiring one will give the recruit any training he/she needs. Not a time-consuming job, but essential. Please ring Maureen Green, 565180, for further details.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK, May 13 - 19. Door-to-door collectors needed. Christian Aid doesn't do food, it does livelihoods. Collecting is going to be extra tough this year, after the food-for-sex scandals of other charities, but we still ought to do it - not just for the money but to show our practical love for our world-wide neighbour. If you miss me in the porch please phone me on 205820. Sarah Gretton.

TRINITY TIMES - URGENT CALL FOR HELP: we now have a team of people ready to take on writing for and administering **Trinity Times**, but we **urgently** need someone willing to design the layout and edit the magazine ready for printing. Without this person, it may not be possible to continue to publish. Experience of Microsoft Publisher would be ideal, but Steve is happy to offer guidance. Please contact either Patrick or Steve (stevenewman.newman@gmail.com).

SOUNDBITES Wednesday 11 April in Holy Trinity Church from 1p.m. - 1.30 p.m. This week The Sunnysiders, a ukulele group, will be performing. Refreshments from 12.30 p.m. Free admission with any proceeds going to The Friends

of the Music.

LENT TALKS ON REVELATION If you missed Revd Canon Andrew Dow's recent talks on Revelation, you can access them on: <https://roydoyer2.wixsite.com/andrews-lent-talks>

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE are organising a **Cheese and Wine event** on Saturday 12 May 7, 7.30pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets will be on sale starting this Sunday after the morning service - cost £7 per person. This will be a social get together with a selection of wines to taste and cheeses. Also a quiz.

PREPARATION FOR FIRST COMMUNION We will soon be holding classes for children who would like to receive Communion before Confirmation. Usually for children aged about 7 upwards. For more details pick up a form or speak to Phil. Email: phil@stratford-upon-avon.org

CRÈCHE VOLUNTEER I'm looking for someone to put out and help clear away the crèche toys, at the back of church, on the 2nd Sunday of each month. If you'd be able to do this, please speak to Phil Harper or email: phil@stratford-upon-avon.org

VOLUNTEERS are required to help in the shop to cover lunchtimes on Saturdays. This would only require you to work one Saturday a month. If you are interested in helping out please contact Heather White in the shop. Thank you.

'O TASTE AND SEE' The choir has compiled a recipe book to raise funds for their singing trip to Holland in the summer. A delicious mixture of tried and tested delights from members of the choir, the congregation, local chefs and cooking wizards. Do please buy a copy (£10) from the church shop or the office, and experiment with some delectable goodies, while helping to send the choristers to perform in Amsterdam.

NAPLES capital of the musical world is celebrated in a concert by The Cabinet of Curiosities, directed by Clive Letchford, in the Guild Chapel on Saturday 14 April, 7.30pm. The music includes works by Handel and Vivaldi. Free admission, retiring collection in aid of The Friends of the Guild Chapel.

TRINITY LADIES Many thanks to everyone who helped make the Charity Tea Party such a success. We were delighted to have 41 people to tea and to welcome 2 speakers from SPRINGFIELD MIND. The afternoon raised £130.50 for them – a great result. Diane

STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES for the year 2017-18 are available for collection from the back of church.