

**SUNDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2019
THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

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: 1 Corinthians 15. 12-20
Gospel: Luke 6. 17-26

Holy Communion8.00am

Deacon: Chris Cornford
President: Revd Steve Jarvis

Breakfast in the Parish Centre.....9.30am

Parish Eucharist10.00am

Deacon: Kath Parrington
Intercessor: Kath Parrington
Reader: Ruth Copeman
President: Revd Kay Dyer
Preacher: Revd Steve Jarvis

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

Followed by refreshments in Church

TrinityCentre@10.....10.00am

President: Revd Patrick Taylor

HolyTrinity@Rosebird.....10.00am

Leader: Phil Harper

Congregational Evensong6.00pm

Hymns: 342, 459, 425
Psalm: 6
Reader: Philip Cheshire
Readings: Wisdom 11. 21 – 12.11
Galatians 4. 8-20
Officiant: Revd Kay Dyer

Open to God (Methodist Church)6.00pm

St Helen's, Clifford Chambers

Morning Worship9.30am

Hymns: 79 (SofF), 293, 250, 336 (A&M)
Reading: 1 Corinthians 15. 12-20
Gospel: Luke 6. 17-26
Officiant: Revd Graham Wilcox

All Saints', Luddington

Holy Communion9.30am

Hymns: 305, 137, 341, 333
Reader: Jane Smallman
Reading: 1 Corinthians 15. 12-20
Gospel: Luke 6. 17-26
President & Preacher: The Ven Brian Russell

PRAYERS

INTERNET & VOTIVE CANDLE STAND PRAYER

REQUESTS are offered at Morning Prayer each day.

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

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| Dorothy Lovett | Lawrence Salmon | Maurice Woodfield |
| Pat Sutton | Joan Rogers | Matt Collins |
| Anne Rainsberry | Luca Martucci | Andrew Rainsberry |

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Ella Offord Pam Howes

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

RECENTLY DEPARTED

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| Audrey Winter | Stephen Amos | Ronnie Mulryne |
| John Hansen | Pamela Wallis | |
| | Jo Morrison | |
| | Peter Savage | |

YEARS MIND Jillian Connolly 18th, Anne Grey 19th,
Brenda Byard 20th, Graham Roberts 22nd

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

COLLECT Almighty God, who alone can bring order to the unruly wills and passions of sinful humanity: give your people grace so to love what you command and to desire what you promise, that, among the many changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; 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. Amen

POST COMMUNION Merciful Father, who gave Jesus Christ to be for us the bread of life, that those who come to him should never hunger: draw us to the Lord in faith and love, that we may eat and drink with him at his table in the kingdom, where he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. Amen

THIS WEEK

Church Open 10am – 4pm Monday – Saturday

Monday 18

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| 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 |

Tuesday 19

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| 9.15 am | Morning Prayer |
| 10.00 am | Holy Communion |
| 11.30 am | Service of Thanksgiving for Peter Dingley |
| 2.30 pm | King James Bible Reading |
| 4.15 pm | Evening Prayer |
| 7.30 pm | Bell-ringing Practice |

Wednesday 20

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| 9.15 am | Morning Prayer |
| 10.00 am | Holy Communion at the Guild Chapel |
| 10.00-12.00 pm | Lay Chaplain available |
| 1.00 pm | Soundbites – Fumi Otsaki & Sarah Kershaw (RCM) Violin & Piano |
| 1.30 pm-3.30 pm | Lay Chaplain available |
| 2.30 pm | King James Bible Reading |
| 4.15 pm | Evening Prayer |

Thursday 21

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| 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 22

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

Saturday 23

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| 2.30 pm | King James Bible Reading |
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**SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY
24 FEBRUARY 2019
SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

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| Holy Communion | 8.00 am |
| Food4thought | 10.00 am |
| TrinityCentre@10 | 10.00 am |
| Holy Communion BCP | 6.00 pm |
| Holy Communion (Trad) at St Helen's..... | 9.30 am |
| Holy Communion at All Saints'..... | 9.30 am |

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, Associate Priest,

Phil Harper, Children and Families Minister,
Assistant Ministers (Honorary): Neville Beamer,

Andrew Dow,

John Hall-Matthews, Diane Patterson,

Jenny Rowland, Brian Russell,

Graham Wilcox.

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NOTICES

TICKETS FOR LUNCH ON 3 MARCH at 12 noon costing £5, on sale **today**. This will be a light, hot lunch and dessert interspersed with musical items, provided by some of our younger singers and members of our music groups. See Marion Mitchell after the service for tickets and a sign up list. For more details or offers of help, contact Chris Cottrell 01789 204273 or email cottrellfamilysoa@hotmail.com

OPEN TO GOD tonight 6pm at the Methodist Church. Everyone welcome.

PALM CROSSES There is a basket by the notice board in church as a collection point for returned palm crosses for burning ready for use on Ash Wednesday.

CONGREGATIONAL EVENSONG We are going to trial holding Congregational Evensongs in the Chancel instead of the Nave, the service and time will remain the same.

A SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING FOR PETER DINGLEY will be held at Holy Trinity on Tuesday 19th February at 11.30am.

SAFEGUARDING MEETINGS There will be a series of Safeguarding meetings for all those involved in work with children, young people, and/or vulnerable adults. The sessions will give an update to our existing Safeguarding Policy and will sign off your C0 training session. The session will not be more than 90mins. The sessions available are :
Tuesday 19th February at 19.30 Parish Centre Hall
Wednesday 27th February at 14.00 Parish Centre Hall
Saturday 23rd February at 10.00 Parish Centre Hall
Friday 8th March Parish Centre Hall for the Choir Group
Please let Jane Armitage know if you cannot make on of the sessions, otherwise just turn up to your chosen session.

SOUNDBITES Wednesday 20th February at Holy Trinity. Featuring Fumi Otsaki & Sarah Kershaw (RCM) on the violin and piano. Recital at 1.00pm, refreshments from 12.30pm. Admission free.

TRINITY LADIES On Wednesday 20th February we look forward to welcoming Mike Caldwell who is going to show us slides of Stratford from the past. Please come and join us at 2 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Gina Lodge

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER MARCH 1ST 12.15PM: NEW NAME, NEW TIME! On Friday March 1st at 12.15pm all are invited to join us at Holy Trinity Church for the worldwide service of prayer organised, this year, by the women of Slovenia. This will be followed by a soup lunch in the Parish Centre. We look forward to seeing you.

THE FUNERAL FOR RONNIE MULRYNE will be held at Holy Trinity on Monday 25th February at 12 noon.

QUIET DAY FOR BEGINNERS Saturday 2 March 10am-4pm @ Charlecote Quiet Garden. Suggested donation £20 including lunch. For more information: charlecotequietgarden.org/programme or contact Revd Rachel Saum on 07815 793625 or charlecotequietgarden@gmail.com

BISHOP'S CERTIFICATE IN DISCIPLESHIP AND MISSION CELEBRATION EVENT Sunday 24 March 3pm-5pm at St Nicholas, Kenilworth. Anyone who has ever participated in a BCDM module or would like to in the future is welcome at the event including a guest speaker from the London Institute of Contemporary Christianity and the Bishop of Coventry. Please book online here: <https://coventrydtp.typeform.com/to/EvNAOJ>

THREE NEW Bishop's Certificate in Discipleship and Mission MODULES begin in April. For further details please see flyer at the back of church or www.dioceseofcoventry.org/BCDM/modules

ELECTORAL ROLL This year we are obliged to renew our official church membership from scratch. Anyone over 16 who is a regular member of the congregation here is encouraged to sign up and only those who have are allowed to vote at the parish AGM. Even if you have been on the Roll previously, you have to reapply this year. The easiest way to do this is via a link on our church website – the address is shown on the pew leaflet. If you cannot do this, there are paper forms available at the back of church or you can call in at the Parish Office. All forms must be completed and paper ones returned to the Parish Office no later than 10th March. Tim Raistrick

NEW ROTAS In our continued work to reduce costs and be efficient we have emailed a link for the new rota to all of those who can be contacted this way. If you would like a printed copy then call in at the Parish Office (Mon – Fri 10.00 to 13.00) and the staff will print one for you. For those who do not yet have an email address, there is a printed copy in a named envelope at the back of church.

SEATING CONSULTATION Thank you to everyone who responded to the first phase. The results are now published in a leaflet and we have example seats to try! Please give us your feedback on the different options using the leaflets.

Tina and Keith Hillyard would like to thank everyone for the kind messages, cards and support they have received following Tina's fall at the beginning of the year. Progress is slow but moving forward! Your thoughts and prayers have been very much appreciated.