

SUNDAY 3 MARCH 2019
SUNDAY NEXT 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: 2 Corinthians 2. 12-4.2 *pg 166-167*
Gospel: Luke 9. 28-36 *pg 64-65*

Holy Communion8.00am

Deacon: James Sorel-Cameron
President: Revd Steve Jarvis

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

Parish Eucharist10.00am

Deacon: Carolyn Merry
Intercessor: Paul Lageu
Reader: Pam Cheshire
Motet: Tallis *O nata lux*
President & 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
Talk: Phil Harper

Choral Evensong6.00pm

Hymns: 436, 57, 376
Psalm: 89
Reader: Maxine Horsman
Readings: Exodus 3. 1-6 *pg 46-47*
John 12. 27-36a *pg 99*
Introit: Tallis *O nata lux*
Responses: Sumsion
Canticles: Murrill *in E*; Stanford *in B flat*
Anthem: Durufle *Requiem Aeternam*
Officiant: Revd Patrick Taylor

St Helen's, Clifford Chambers

Family Worship9.30am

Hymns: 418, 79, 329 (twice), 519 (All SofF)
Reading: 2 Corinthians 2. 12-4.2
Gospel: Luke 9. 28-36
Officiant: Revd Kay Dyer

All Saints', Luddington

Holy Communion (BCP).....9.30am

Reader: Tim Smallman
Reading: 2 Corinthians 2. 12-4.2
Gospel: Luke 9. 28-36
President & Preacher: Revd Jenny Rowland

PRAYERS

INTERNET & VOTIVE CANDLE STAND PRAYER

REQUESTS are offered at Morning Prayer each day.

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

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

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

John White

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

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Ella Offord	Audrey Winter
Tom Evans	John Hansen

YEARS MIND

Philip Martin-Crimp 6th

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

COLLECT Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

POST COMMUNION Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

THIS WEEK

Church Open 10am – 4pm Monday – Saturday

Monday 4

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 5

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 Practise
7.30 pm	Contemplative Prayer Group

Wednesday 6

9.15 am	Ash Wednesday Morning Prayer
10.00 am	Holy Communion at the Guild Chapel with Imposition of Ashes
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
1.00 pm	Soundbites – Musicians from KES
1.30 pm-3.30 pm	Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm	Evening Prayer
7.30 pm	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes

Thursday 7

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
7.00 pm	Leading Worship Course

Friday 8

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
3.30 pm	Evening Prayer
6.00 pm	Choir Practise
8.40 pm	Compline

Saturday 9

2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
7.30 pm	Concert – Young Minds Matter

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY
10 MARCH 2019
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Holy Communion	8.00 am
Parish Eucharist	10.00 am
TrinityCentre@10	10.00 am
Evensong	6.00 pm
Holy Communion 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

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.

LABEL SUNDAY TODAY Labels will be provided for everyone at the 10am Services.

LENT BOOKSTALL TODAY we are holding a bookstall in the Parish Centre with a selection of books you might like to use during Lent. There will be books for children, adults and families. These books will be available in the shop after today.

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUP Next meeting is on Tuesday 5th March. We meet in the lounge at the Parish Centre at 7.30pm. All welcome.

SOUNDBITES Wednesday 6th March at Holy Trinity. Featuring Musicians from KES. Recital at 1pm, refreshments from 12.30pm. Admission free.

SAFEGUARDING MEETINGS Available sessions are:
Friday 8th March at 6.15pm or 8pm, Saturday 23 Mar at 10am.

A PRAYER BREAKFAST will be held on Saturday 9th March, 8-9.30am at 48 St Mary's Road, CV37 6XG. A simple breakfast followed by a time of prayer for Holy Trinity churches and parishes. Parking is available at no. 48 or adjoining roads, but not in St Mary's Road. Pat Jackson, Pauline Tate, Gillian Nunn. For more information phone Gillian on 01789 415830.

ELECTORAL ROLL 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. All forms must be completed and paper ones returned to the Parish Office by 10th March.

STRATFORD AMNESTY local group are holding an open meeting following their AGM on Wednesday March 13th, starting with refreshments at 7.30 pm at the Friends Meeting House, Maidenhead Road. Please come if you are interested. The Speakers are Debra Gordon and Georgia Jaji, Psychological Therapists and Trainers.

LENT LUNCHESES This year each home group will take a turn in providing a lunch of soup, bread and cheese on 5 Fridays in Lent, March 15th-April 12th. The lunch, open to all ages, will take place in the Parish Centre from 12-2 pm and will include a 5 minute "Thought for the Day ." A sign-up list will be available in church on the preceding Sunday to help with catering. Invitations will be available to give to friends and neighbours. As last year, we hope to provide an opportunity to share fellowship over a simple meal together and, by asking for a donation, to raise money for a church-related charity.

TRAI DCRAFT STALL at coffee in the Parish Centre after the 10 am service on Sunday March 24th. Bring your money and stock up with biscuits, coffee and cards!

PCC MEETING TUE 12 MARCH agenda on usual board.

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. Book online <https://coventrydtp.typeform.com/to/EvNAOJ>

MOTHERING SUNDAY POSIES Volunteers are needed (any age) to make the posies. Parish Centre, Saturday March 30, 2.00 p.m. Please bring scissors / secateurs and thorn-free greenery. It would help if you could sign the list at the back of church. Contact Sarah Gretton through the Parish Office.

TRINITY PLAYERS invite you to *The Message of the Cross* in the church on Saturday 30 March at 2.30 and 7.00 pm. Actors, Readers and Singers will tell the Easter Story from Palm Sunday to the Resurrection. Admission Free; Retiring Collection for a Refugee Charity. Refreshments available.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PARISHIONERS & ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING These meetings will take place on Sunday 7 April at approximately 11.30 am in the Parish Centre. We need to elect four churchwardens and three 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).

STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES for next year beginning April 7th are now available for collection at the back of church. If you are not a donor through our scheme and would like to have weekly donation envelopes please see Chris Kennedy, our Stewardship Officer: 299, 785.

WELCOME HERE, STRATFORD, the local organisation which supports Syrian Refugee families in Stratford, is seeking for more people to help with offering lifts and other occasional jobs. Financial donations & fundraising support also needed. If you can help, or would like to receive news of their activities, contact roger.matthews@phonecoop.coop or 298 503.

SRI LANKA MISSION PROJECT If you missed the talk by Carol Linfield from USPG, it is on the Holy Trinity website, under Worship and Sermons, with an introduction from Patrick. It is also not too late to make a donation to this worthy cause and Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of church.

SHAKESPEARE'S BAPTISM & BURIAL REGISTERS Once again I'm looking for volunteers to supervise the Parish Registers, containing Shakespeare's Baptism and Burial, which will be on display in church on Fri 22nd March, between 10am-3pm as part of Warwickshire Schools Shakespeare Open Day. Those who did it last year enjoyed the opportunity to engage with the children and visitors. There is a list at the back of church to sign up to a time slot. Your help is much appreciated. Phil Harper.