

SUNDAY 12 JANUARY 2020
BAPTISM OF CHRIST

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: Isaiah 42.1-9 *pg 610*
Gospel: Matthew 3.13-end *pg 3*

Holy Communion8.00am

Deacon: James Sorel-Cameron
President: Revd Kay Dyer

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

Parish Eucharist10.00am

Motet: *Aston I give you a new commandment*
Voluntary: *Vierne Carillon de Westminster*
Deacon: James Sorel-Cameron
Intercessor: James Sorel-Cameron
Reader: David Southeard
President: Revd Patrick Taylor
Preacher: The Ven Brian Russell
Prayer ministry available in St Peter's Chapel during Communion.

Followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre

TrinityCentre@1010.00am

Leader: Phil Harper

Evensong with Healing Ministry6.00pm

Hymns: 431, 385, 383
Psalm: 47
Introit: *Aston I give you a new commandment*
Anthems: *Hurford Litany to the Holy Spirit*
Durufle Ubi Caritas
Tallis If ye love me
Reader: Pam Cheshire
Readings: Joshua 3.1-8, 14-end *pg 182-183*
Hebrews 1.1-12 *pg 202*
Officiant: Revd Patrick Taylor

Lives changed through God's love

St Helen's, Clifford Chambers

Holy Communion 9.30 am

Hymns: 216, 290 (A&M), 376, 520 (SofF)
Reading: Isaiah 42.1-9
Gospel: Matthew 3.13-end
President & Preacher: Revd Jenny Rowland

All Saints', Luddington

Holy Communion 9.30am

Hymns: 52, 138, 272, 55
Reader: Chris Last
Reading: Isaiah 42.1-9
Gospel: Matthew 3.13-end
President & Preacher: Revd Steve Jarvis

PRAYERS

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

WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Anne Rainsberry	Joan Rogers	Andrew Rainsberry
Luca Martucci	Muriel George	Lawrence Salmon
Manolo		

OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

Sheila Ross	Janet Anslow	Barbara Bartos
David Kimber		Dan Pfadenhauer

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

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Joyce Schindler	Kenneth Sellers
	Brian Vowles

YEARS MIND

Rose Hamilton 18th

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

COLLECT Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; 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. Lord of all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

THIS WEEK

Church Open 10am – 4pm Monday – Saturday

Monday 13

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
11.00 am	Funeral of Brian Vowles
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm	Evening Prayer

Tuesday 14

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
10.00 am	Holy Communion
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm	Evening Prayer
7.30 pm	Bell-ringing Practice

Wednesday 15

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
10.00 am	Holy Communion at the Guild Chapel
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
4.15 pm	Evening Prayer

Thursday 16

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm	King James Bible reading
4.15 pm	Evening Prayer

Friday 17

9.15 am	Morning Prayer
10.00-12.00 pm	Lay Chaplain available
2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading

Saturday 18

2.30 pm	King James Bible Reading
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SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY
SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY
19 JANUARY 2020

Holy Communion	8.00 am
Joint Service at The Methodist Church ...	10.30 am
TrinityCentre@10	10.00 am
HolyTrinity@Rosebird	10.00 am
Choral Evensong	6.00 pm
Open to God (Methodist Church)	6.00 pm
Morning Worship 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

TRAIDCRAFT STALL at coffee after the 10am service TODAY.

NEXT SUNDAY MORNING JOINT SERVICE AT THE METHODIST CHURCH AT 10:30AM Everyone welcome.

SOUL SPACE begins again on 13th January. If you know someone who would like to explore the Christian faith, do invite them to come. Cards are available in church with more details or see the parish website.

THE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP The next meeting of the support group will be on Monday 13th January. If you have lost a loved one recently or some time ago and would like to be able to talk to others in a similar position to yourself please come and join us from 2.30 p.m. until about 4 p.m. You will be very welcome.

TRINITY LADIES Our first meeting of the New Year is on Wednesday 15th January when we look forward to hearing Dallin Chapman speak to us on "Exploring faith through novel writing". If you have ever thought of writing a novel come and join us, you might be encouraged to have a go. Our annual fees are also due they are £5 for the year. We look forward to seeing all who would like to join us next Wednesday. Gina Lodge

TRINITY COFFEE STOP Our next Coffee Morning will be on Saturday 18th January in the Parish Centre Lounge 10am - 12noon. Come along and enjoy a home-made cake, coffee and a chat. All ages welcome.

OPEN TO GOD Next Sunday 19th January 6pm at the Methodist Hall. Everyone welcome.

PCC MEETING TUESDAY 21ST JANUARY The agenda is displayed on the noticeboard at the back of church.

A VIENNESE TRAGEDY – a Father & Daughter Story Saturday 25 January, 2pm, Methodist Church, New Room. Geoff Bridgewater is giving his poignant illustrated talk, the story of his Austrian Jewish family's involvement in the Holocaust and the Kindertransport. Contact Heather Bridgewater for more details 298 059.

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8TH CURRY NIGHT 5-8PM
Another chance for all ages within our church family to share a meal together. An ideal opportunity to invite your friends to join in a church event! Tickets costing £6 (adult) £4 (under 12) will be available after the 10am service today and on Sundays until Feb 2nd. Bring your own choice of drink. More details from Chris Cottrell 01789 204273 or email cottrellfamilysoa@hotmail.com

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH CLUB Stratford-upon-Avon college are launching a lunch club at their Brazz Restaurant every Thursday during term time. Two courses for £5.50. Everyone is welcome whether you are on your own or part of a group. For bookings call 01789 266 245.

STRATFORD UPON AVON FOODBANK would like to thank parishioners for the generous donations of Christmas goods. Items needed at present are: tinned veg, potatoes, meat, UHT juice, savoury snacks, pasta sauces, coffee, laundry products, deodorant, toothpaste & toothbrushes.

POPPY APPEAL £202.43 was raised thanks to your generous donations.

SIDESPERSION SUPPER If you haven't already done so, please could you let one of the Wardens know if you are attending the supper, by Friday 17th January.

TRINITY TIMES SUBSCRIPTION A reminder to all Trinity Times subscribers that the annual subscription of £8 is due this month. Full details of how to pay the subscription are contained in the December issue of the magazine. Any queries, please contact Paul Lageu (01789 298302).

POSTAGE STAMPS We are still collecting postage stamps to support the Leprosy Mission. Please hand in any used stamps to the church shop or the Parish Office.

PARISH OFFICE VACANCY Following Sue's departure from her role as Parish Administrator we are now advertising for her replacement. The post is for 20 hours a week (4hrs a day, principally 09.00 – 13.00 Monday to Friday). The salary is £19,442 pro rata. Whilst continuing to be a role that is central to the overall delivery of the parish's administration there is also a digital communications element (e.g. social media).

Our Internal Recruitment policy provides for the post to be advertised to all existing staff and regular volunteers for a period of 7 days before applications are accepted from others more widely. Applications made under these arrangements should be returned to Andy Winter before 09.00 on Thursday 16th January. If you haven't already received the link for the job description and application form, then please email andy@stratford-upon-avon.org