



This prayer is the prayer that was agreed to be said at the start of each service at Trinity and St James.

Almighty and All-loving God,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
we pray to you through Christ the Healer  
for those who suffer from the Coronavirus Covid-19  
in England and across the world.  
We pray too for all who reach out to those who mourn the loss  
of each and every person who has died as a result of contracting the disease.  
Give wisdom to policymakers,  
skill to healthcare professionals and researchers,  
comfort to everyone in distress  
and a sense of calm to us all in these days of uncertainty and distress.  
This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord  
who showed compassion to the outcast,  
acceptance to the rejected  
and love to those to whom no love was shown.  
Amen.

## HOLY TRINITY BULLETIN – 12<sup>th</sup> April 2020 Easter Day

### Our worship this week

#### Easter Sunday Worship

What we are doing this Easter Sunday is **NOT** a Holy Communion, which can only be celebrated together when a priest Consecrates the bread and wine and it is distributed directly to the people (or someone authorised takes it out to those at home in Extended Communion ).

But we **ARE** going to celebrate a spiritual communion together, a fellowship meal consisting of bread and wine or juice (or water if preferred). If you would like to join in, please set a small table with some bread (a slice or a small bun) and a glass of wine, water or juice (just a small glass!). If you have a white cloth you can cover it until we come to that part of the worship and if you have a candle then light it. But you know how to dress the table for our worship! I leave it to you.

I am going to use a Prayer of Thanksgiving which was written for the Uniting Church of New Zealand which will be both familiar and unfamiliar to you, to remind us all that we are not actually doing what we normally would on Easter Sunday morning.

At the time when we would come to the Altar for our Communion, please break the bread and eat a small piece, drink the wine, water, juice. There will be a short silence for prayer and then we will join together with the prayer which follows.

Hopefully this will be a sign for us of our fellowship together and our living in Christ and He in us, without flouting the Canons of the Church of England.

Hopefully you will have in your heads an Easter hymn or two to sing before and after eg 'Jesus Christ is risen today' or 'Jesus Lives! Thy terrors now can, O death, no more appall us', and definitely "Thine be the Glory"

Sylvia

Service	Leader	Access instructions
Friday 10th April 2pm Good Friday	Reverend Canon Clare Griffiths	Using a TELEPHONE (landline or mobile) dial <b>0330 336 0036</b> – Landline Or mobile Enter PIN 805921 This will enter you to the call
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 10.30am Easter Sunday	Reverend Sylvia Coke-Woods	
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 10.30am Sunday Worship	Reverend Canon Clare Griffiths	
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 6.30pm Compline	Eileen Tomlin	

### Our Prayers - Prayer Topics

Give thanks for technology and those who maintain it enabling us to keep in touch with friends and family and to share in worship.

Pray for Churches across the Diocese facing an Easter Sunday without being able to meet together.

Give thanks for the lives of all those whose names appear on our Easter Memorial Scroll.

Give thanks for all who are maintaining postal collections and deliveries and ask that they may be kept safe and well.

Pray for our CMS Mission Partner, Lynn Treneary, currently staying in Aberdeen, unable to continue her visits to UK supporting Churches and missing friends and family in Maridi.

Pray for the people of South Sudan where the first case of Covid-19 has been confirmed; pray that they will have strength to cope with yet another devastating situation.

### Those who are in need

Paul Burston, Neville Rogers, Janet & Bob McCormick ,Maura ,John Michael, David, Jean Palmer, Helen Kennaway Priscilla White, William Waite, Debbie White, David Powell, Tessa, Richard Anselm, Paula Smith, Brenda Sharples, Nancy starting work on a Coronavirus ward

**Those who mourn the passing of a loved one** especially the family and friends of Iain Farrimond and Kath Smith

### Keeping in Touch

It is really important that we all keep in touch and if you or someone you know is in need of help either spiritually or practically please email [info@holyltrinitymalvern.org.uk](mailto:info@holyltrinitymalvern.org.uk) and we will make contact within 24hours of the email being received. If you don't have access to email then please phone Richard Garth (01684 567385) or David Burley (01684 567004) and they will make the necessary arrangements.

Happy Birthday to Frank Chester who will be 103 on Good Friday – He is a friend of Jan Pearce and is hoping to join our worship on Sunday . Also a very Happy Birthday to Christine Littlewood on Easter day who I hasten to add is not 103 and Amy Crisp who will celebrate her 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday on 16<sup>th</sup>

### Easter Memorial Scroll

Thank you to Rex Thomas for compiling the Easter Memorial Scroll. This has been laminated and attached to the West and South Gates and an electronic copy is attached

## **Foodbank**

Please continue to support the foodbank with as much food as you feel able but please consider using the collection points at the supermarkets so that it reaches the foodbank quickly

## **Parish Magazine**

The Parish Magazine has been in existence since 1903 and has survived two World Wars and several editors. Jane Millwood, its current editor, is determined to keep it going through the current crisis. Because it can neither be printed nor delivered personally, the May edition will be sent electronically to all for whom we have an email address. Jane is hoping that some of you will send articles for inclusion in the May magazine, either by email to [htmlalvern@gmail.com](mailto:htmlalvern@gmail.com) or by post to 4 Britten Drive Malvern WR14 3LG. The (extended) deadline is Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> April. Thank you! Jane

## **Easy Fundraising**

If you are buying anything on line please use Easy fundraising as this is way of raising funds for church. Easy fundraising have given Church nearly £1000 from peoples on line shopping , changing utilities, arranging car insurance and booking holidays.

It is really easy – Register with easy fundraising and nominate Holy Trinity Malvern as your cause. When you want to shop go to Easy Fundraising and find your retailer and shop in the normal way . You will then receive an email as to how much you've raised . Most retailers ,Amazon, Tesco, Sainsbury, Waitrose are all there. Any difficulty please ask, Richard Garth or Sally Colbourne

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/holytrinitymalvern>

## **Lent Boxes for CMS and the work of our mission partner Lynn Treneary**

Lent Boxes are normally collected in church at Eastertime and the money raised is for the work that Lynn does in South Sudan. As we will be unable to bring them to church this year please keep them at home until the church is open again. It would be fantastic if you could keep on filling the box . Lynn has also sent us the following prayer to use.

Our Father in Heaven.

We thank you for Holy week, the week when we remember, as if it were today, what you did for us when Jesus walked uncomplainingly to the cross.

We are sorry for our inability to walk with you 24/7, enable us Lord.

We thank you for walking with us 24/7.

Remember us Lord when you come again. Amen.

## **Notes for Easter day.**

### **Easter Sunday**

Having got you all thinking creatively, perhaps you could also make an Easter garden at home using whatever is at hand. Maybe you could even do it on Good Friday before or after listening to Rev. Clare as she leads us in a half hour at the foot of the cross. As you make it, think about the events you are representing in your garden and be thankful for the great love Jesus has for us.

Again, I am sure that Richard will be delighted to receive pictures of your gardens (whatsapp 07795065541 or email [info@holytrinitymalvern.org.uk](mailto:info@holytrinitymalvern.org.uk)) and he will put some of them in the next Bulletin after Easter!

## **Palm Sunday Selfies**

Thank you to Sylvia, Christine, George, Ruth, Vicky, Jane, Rosemary, Chris and Jackie for the photos.

