



## HOLY TRINITY and ST JAMES BULLETIN

### 16<sup>th</sup> May 2021 – The Seventh Sunday of Easter - The Sunday after Ascension day

#### The Coronavirus prayer

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  
 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.

#### Church Opening

**Church is now open for Public worship at 10.30am on a Sunday and private prayer each Wednesday between 9.30am and 2.30pm.** In church we will be subject to the current Covid guidelines which means that we will need to respect social distancing at all times, leave Church as soon as the service ends and avoid mingling in the carpark area. Thank you for complying with these guidelines

#### Hymn of the week – Anthem of the week

<https://www.holytrinitychoirsmalvern.wordpress.com/anthem-for-the-week-1>  
[www.holytrinitymalvern.org.uk/worship/hymn-for-the-week/](http://www.holytrinitymalvern.org.uk/worship/hymn-for-the-week/)

### Our worship this week

Service	Where	Leader	Access
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> 8am Holy Communion	Church	Rev Becky Elliott	
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> 10.30am Morning Worship	Church Phone Line Live streaming	Team 3 Leader Heather Catton	<b>Utube link below</b> <b>Phone 01684600782</b>
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Compline	Phone Line	Rev Becky Elliott	Phone 0330336 0036 PIN 805921
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 9.30am Morning Prayer	Church	Rev Becky Elliott	
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> 10.30am Morning Worship	Church Phone Line Live streaming	Rev Becky Elliott	<b>Utube link below</b> <b>Phone 01684600782</b>
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> 6.30pm Compline	Phone Line	David Burley	Phone 0330336 0036 PIN 805921

#### Access instructions – Sunday Services

The link for Utube live streaming is <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqkCNckPMVAIPKovtISHrEQ>  
 To access the listen only telephone line for **morning services** please dial 01684600782. This is charged at local rates if dialling from a landline but please check the cost with your mobile provider if you use a mobile phone For Sunday evening compline we will use the old method for the time being so please dial **0330 336 0036** PIN 805921.

### **Our Prayers - Prayer Topics**

Give thanks for the dedication and care given by our Churchwardens Richard and David, Deputy Wardens Elaine and Jill and our Treasurer Sally

As our Annual Parochial Church Meeting draws closer (27th May) pray for the preparations being made and pray that people will consider putting themselves forward to serve on the PCC or as members of other groups.

Give thanks that more restrictions will be lifted on Monday and pray for a sensible and thoughtful approach to the new ways we can meet and share.

Pray for those in local and national education as they work to sustain safe, secure and stimulating learning environments in which both children and adults can flourish.

Give thanks that Malvern Hills Food Bank, Malvern Welcomes and CAP (Christians Against Poverty) continue to work tirelessly in our area.

Upper Welland Methodist Church - a Community working together in Mission; the Revd Nigel Coke-Woods and Ann Rich (Lay Pastoral Support Worker)

### **Those who are in need**

David, Paula Smith, Paul Burston, Richard Anselm, Mary Bowron, Baby Erin, Lynn Treneary, Joan Billing, Tessa and The Allard family.

**Those who mourn the passing of a loved one** especially the family and friends of Lionel Bartlett.

### **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 24 hours of the email being received. If you don't have access to email then please phone Reverend Becky Elliott (01684 573559) Richard Garth (01684 567385) or David Burley (01684 567004) and they will make the necessary arrangements.

**June Magazine** – Have you got an article of Interest? Perhaps it made you laugh or even cry – How about an interesting fact. It would be lovely for Jane to have your contribution for the June magazine by the cut off time of Saturday May 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Thursday morning Coffee** – Great News that the relaxing of COVID restrictions means that Thursday morning coffee can reopen its doors on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> May. The event will need to be COVID safe so there will be a few operational changes but you will be able to come along and have coffee served at the table, buy wrapped cakes and some select items for gifts etc. I know Linde and the team will welcome you between 10am and 11.30am.

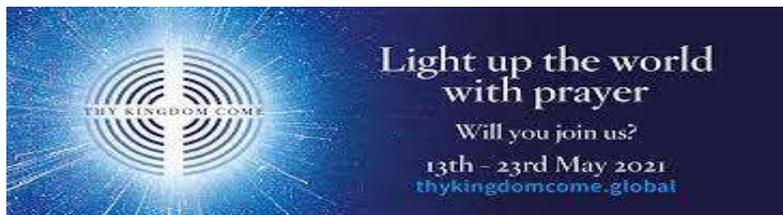
### **Annual Parochial Church Meeting APCM – Notice of meeting 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 7-30pm**

We wanted to run the APCM face to face rather than have a virtual meeting and so comply with the COVID regulations the meeting is being moved to 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 7.30pm in the Lower Parish Hall. Wine and nibbles will be served after the meeting (provided that COVID guidelines have been lifted in line with the current plan) Please do mark this in your diaries to come along.



**Happy Birthday  
to Ron Owen on 19<sup>th</sup> May**

# THY KINGDOM COME 2021



**13<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> May Evening prayer** for 15 to 20 mins will be held on Zoom each evening at 6pm led by various Malvern church leaders. The principal aim for Thy Kingdom Come is for Christians to pray that others come to know Jesus Christ. It is an initiative of the Archbishops of Canterbury

and York, supported by all major christian denominations including the Methodist Church.

To join evening prayers at 6pm on Zoom please use this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89303824924?pwd=ZHA0aEV6STJEREpHN1JmeVpTaVFkQT09>

Meeting ID: 893 0382 4924 Passcode: tkc2021

## **An opportunity to spend more time with God by joining *The Week of guided prayer June 6<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> 2021***

The focus for our week of guided prayer is to journey to Horeb, the mountain of God, gleaning insights from Elijah's journey in 1 Kings 19



***When Elijah heard the gentle whisper, he wrapped his face in his scarf and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave.***

***And a voice said, "Why are you here, Elijah?"***

A week of guided prayer provides a special opportunity to come aside for a while from your daily routine, to focus on your individual walk with God. You will be given an experienced prayer guide who you will meet on line for approximately 45 minutes each day at an agreed time to listen and accompany you on your spiritual journey. You may be offered a scripture, image or poem to aid you in your reflection and prayer during the day.

The week will start with a meeting on Sunday June 6<sup>th</sup> at 4pm, when all who are participating will have the opportunity to meet on Zoom\*. There will be an introduction to the week followed by a short reflection. We will then break out into small groups when you can meet your Spiritual Director/ prayer guide, and ask any questions you might have.

We have four Spiritual Directors available all of whom are part of the Worcestershire Diocesan Network, namely Rev Sylvia Coke- Woods, Jane Long, Anne King, and Janice Swan.

There are limited places so if you are interested and would like to reserve a place or would like to find out more about the week please contact Revd. Sylvia Coke-Woods by email [sylvia.cokewoods@gmail.com](mailto:sylvia.cokewoods@gmail.com) or by phone 07533917150



Your prayer guide will contact you once you have reserved a place and will arrange with you the form of social media you would prefer to use ie Zoom, Skype, Face Time, etc. and also a suitable time for your first meeting.

Please prayerfully consider if this week could be for you. There is no set charge, however if you wish to make a donation, that will be gratefully received. Our most important consideration is that this special week when you can focus on your relationship with God will be accessible to all. \*If you have difficulty with Zoom, please let us know

## Malvern Foodbank

Thank you for your continued support of the foodbank. The foodbank remains busy and since the start of April we have already fulfilled 101 vouchers providing 261 food parcels (this includes 103 children) to those in need in the Malvern Hills area.

The supermarket collection points at Waitrose, Morrisons, Lidl Malvern Link, Co-op Malvern Link, Co-op Upton, Sainsbury's Malvern Vale and Just So Barnards Green are regularly emptied and any donations of food can be left in one of these. Donations can also be left at the warehouse in Spring Lane (Monday and Thursday 10.15 -12.30 and Tuesday 1-3) or the Lyttelton Well (Monday – Friday 10-4).

<b>Current shortages are:</b> Sugar (1kg and 500g) Tomato ketchup UHT milk Instant coffee Tea Cereal Rice Washing up liquid Anti bac surface cleaner Men's shower gel Children's toothbrushes	<b>And please keep donating from our shopping list</b> Tinned Meat, Fish, Vegetables, Tomatoes, Soup, Rice Pudding, Custard, Potatoes Biscuits Jam Instant mash Sauces for pasta and rice Treats – Chocolate, sweets, crisps Toilet Rolls Personal hygiene items – shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shaving gel, razors, soap	<b>We currently have plenty of:</b> Tins of Beans Pasta Porridge Sanitary wear Size 6 Nappies
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Thank you for your continued support.

### Compline supplementary information - Psalm 147 v 1- 12

#### *Laudate Dominum*

1. O PRAISE the Lord, for it is a good thing to sing praises unto our God: yea, a joyful and pleasant thing it is to be thankful.
2. The Lord doth build up Jerusalem: and gather together the out-casts of Israel.
3. He healeth those that are broken in heart: and giveth medicine to heal their sickness.
4. He telleth the number of the stars: and calleth them all by their names.
5. Great is our Lord, and great is his power: yea, and his wisdom is infinite.
6. The Lord setteth up the meek: and bringeth the ungodly down to the ground.
7. O sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving: sing praises upon the harp unto our God;
8. Who covereth the heaven with clouds, and prepareth rain for the earth: and maketh the grass to grow upon the mountains, and herb for the use of men;
9. Who giveth fodder unto the cattle: and feedeth the young ravens that call upon him.
10. He hath no pleasure in the strength of an horse: neither delighteth he in any man's legs.
11. But the Lord's delight is in them that fear him: and put their trust in his mercy.
12. Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem: praise thy God, O Sion.

### Prayer of General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men; We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we shew forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives; by giving up ourselves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. **Amen.**