

## The Church Hall

The Church Hall is currently used by various groups such as the Brownies, Sunday School, and a craft group. We are keen to encourage greater use by the local community and for further information please phone Maureen West on 0115 932 0469. or email [p.west79@btinternet.com](mailto:p.west79@btinternet.com).

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### **Website / Facebook**

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### **Newsletter**

Please send material for each Sunday's Newsletter to Richard Pykett as soon as it is ready, and at the latest by 12 noon on the previous Wednesday. Email: [richard.pykett@techademic.net](mailto:richard.pykett@techademic.net), 07850428299

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## Holy Trinity Church Ilkeston

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March 10th 2019

### First Sunday of Lent(Year C)

#### *Jesus is Lord*

*Today we praise God for the marvellous things he did for our ancestors, when he heard their cry of distress and with his mighty hand and outstretched arm led them to freedom. What he did for them he still does for us, in Jesus the Lord who conquered sin and death.*

#### Mass

**First Reading:Deuteronomy: 26: 4-10**

**Responsorial Psalm 90: 1-2, 10-15**  
*Be with me, O Lord, in my distress.*

**Second Reading: Romans 10: 8-13**

**Gospel: Luke 4: 1-13**

**Hymns : 74, 67, 333, 70, 64**

**All NEH ( Green )**

#### **SERVICES THIS WEEK & NEXT SUNDAY**

<b>Tuesday 12th March</b>	9.00 am Morning Prayer	9.30 am Mass
<b>Thursday 14th March</b>	7.00 pm Stations / Mass	
<b>Sunday 17th March</b>	<b>Second Sunday of Lent</b>	11.00 am Sung Mass
	6.00 pm Joint Service of Evensong and Benediction	

## Notices

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### Funeral of Jak Robinson

Baby Jak's funeral will take place at Holy Trinity Church on Tuesday 12th March beginning at 10.30am. We were not able to have it later, so the usual Coffee time will need to be cancelled. **Fr Tom**

### Follow-up meeting to discuss the programme of events for the year

There will be a meeting on **Tuesday 12th March at 2.00pm** to carry on discussions for events later in the year. This is an open meeting so please feel free to come along with ideas. Tea and cakes. **Rosemary**

### Lent Course

The Bible Study Group will meet at the Vicarage at **2.00 pm on Wednesday 13th March** and subsequent Wednesdays in Lent . All welcome.

### Evensong and Benediction

Evensong and Benediction will resume next Sunday **17th March**. Paul Smith has kindly agreed to sing Evensong. **Fr Tom**

### Annual Parochial Church Meeting Tuesday 19th March 7.00 pm

Please note the date of our Annual Parochial Church Meeting which will take place in the Church Hall at Holy Trinity. All who regularly attend services at Holy Trinity are encouraged to attend.

### Quiet Day at Costock

Advance notice of our Quiet Day at Costock on **Saturday 23rd March**. Please add your name to the list if you are going. More details to follow. **Fr Tom**

### Very Important Notice for all PCC members

Please note that as part of the ongoing Vacancy process a meeting has been arranged for **Tuesday 26 March at 7.30 pm** in Holy Trinity Church Hall. This is the Preliminary Vacancy Meeting and is an informal meeting which will be attended by the Archdeacon of Derby, our Area Dean and the Bishop of Ebbsfleet (or his representative). All members of both Holy Trinity PCC and St Laurence's PCC should also be in attendance if possible. This is an important first stage in the process and it will be followed at some time in

the future by the formal Section 11 Meeting which PCC members will also be required to attend. **Geoff Raby**

### Second hand books

If you have any paperbacks that you've read and are cluttering up your shelves, then why not let others enjoy them by donating them to our second hand book collection - now easily accessible. Where else can you get a good read for 50p (£1 hardback) **Rosemary**

### Flower Fund - a Message from the Flower team

The Flower Fund is quite depleted following Christmas, and we are seeking donations to it as we should like to arrange our usual Easter displays. We should be very grateful for your generosity. Thank you in advance.

### Additional Curates Society

You will have received the March issue of Christian Life, a Lent Box and maybe a prayer card.. These are all ACS publications and it is hoped that we shall use them as part of our lenten prayer and study. Lent boxes are not just for spare coins but a determined effort to measure the cost of whatever we decide to give up for Lent by offering an appropriate amount for the work of ACS. The Christian life leaflet gives us the daily mass readings for the weekdays, which we are encouraged by the Bishop of Ebbsfleet to read. As a parish we are very fortunate in that ACS gives us a generous grant for clergy staffing at Holy Trinity so it is right that we should in our turn support their work in training and supporting priests. **Paul Smith**

### Please remember in your prayers :-

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Those who are sick, especially: Evelyn Newbery, Margaret Tyler, Vic Daniels, Kevin McGovern, Debbie Collins, Maria Perkins, Kath Howarth, David Channon, Fr Alan Cole, Maureen Benson, Lesley Mercer, Elsie Young, Daniel Martin, Joyce Seals, and Beryl.

Those who have recently died, especially Jak Robinson; and also those whose anniversary of death falls this week: Elsie Draper, Florence Mary Hooley, Ernest Wood, Edith Bradley, Albert Gormley, Frederick Foulds, and Ronald Parry.

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week in memory of the late Christine Maltby.

## **Father Tom writes :-**

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### **First Reading: *Deuteronomy 26: 4-10***

We have received so abundantly from God, so we must ask ourselves what we can give to him in return. The basket we set before God must represent the first fruits of our labours, and the priests, as God's receivers, must receive them with joy. A humble, reverent, thankful heart is what God looks at and requires. Without this, all we can put in the basket of offering will be of no concern or pleasure to God.

### **Second Reading: *Romans 10: 8-13***

When we speak of looking upon Christ, and receiving Christ, and feeding upon Christ, it is not Christ in heaven, nor Christ in the deep, that we mean. Christ in the promise he made to us, Christ exhibited to us, and offered in the word. Christ is close to us, for the word is nigh close to us; Christ comes down from heaven; to be with us so we do not need to go to fetch him. He has come up from the deep; we need not concern ourselves about how to bring him up. There is nothing now to be done, but allow with a humble heart, the Holy Spirit work in us. So our care and concern must be to look to our heart and mouth.

### **Gospel: *Luke 4: 1-13***

Luke's message speaks to us of the triumph of Jesus in the desert. Led by the Spirit in the wilderness, Our Lord Jesus resisted the three temptations that were placed before Him. Through Jesus and with Him, we are reminded that we too can be triumphant in our battle against evil. As Jesus resisted the temptations in the desert, we too are called to resist the daily temptations that cross our path and seek to destroy our communion with God.

### **Collect**

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness,  
and was tempted as we are, yet without sin:  
give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit;  
and, as you know our weakness,  
so may we know your power to save;  
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.