

## Holy Week Services and Events

This year in addition to our usual pattern of services we are joining in with Spring Harvest at Home. Over the years many of us have benefitted from time away at Spring Harvest a large Christian conference for the whole family. This year via the live link you are able to gather at The Vicarage to enjoy the morning Bible Teaching and Evening Worship Celebration. Timings are rough at the moment, details to follow once Spring Harvest have issued them.



### Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April

10:30 – 12noon Messy Easter at Holy Trinity Lickey. Come and explore the Easter story interactively with all ages. Volunteers are needed. Speak to Sheri

6pm – 10pm Dinner at the Vicarage followed by Spring Harvest at Home Evening Worship Celebration. Book in for dinner with Sheri

### Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> April

10am – 1pm Spring Harvest at Home Bible Teaching at the Vicarage.

6pm – 10pm Dinner at the Vicarage followed by Spring Harvest at Home Evening Worship Celebration. Book in for dinner with Sheri

### Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> April

10am Midweek Communion Holy Trinity

10am – 1pm Spring Harvest at Home Bible Teaching at the Vicarage.

6pm – 10pm B45 Churches Together Fellowship Meal. A team of 10 needed to support this event (set out tables, tech team, washing up etc) and an additional 10 places for our parish. Fish and Chip Supper followed by followed by Spring Harvest at Home Evening Worship Celebration at the Trinity Centre. To volunteer or sign up see Sheri



### Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April

10am – 1pm Spring Harvest at Home Bible Teaching at the Vicarage.

2pm Start Course Holy Trinity

6pm – 10pm Dinner at the Vicarage followed by Spring Harvest at Home Evening Worship Celebration. Book in for dinner with Sheri

### Good Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April

10am – 1pm Spring Harvest at Home Bible Teaching at the Vicarage.

10:30am – 12noon B45 Churches Together Walk of Witness in Rubery – sign up with Sheri

2pm Service of Reflection for Good Friday St Catherine

## **Easter Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April**

5:45am Easter Sunrise Service with B45 Churches Together Beacon Hill

10am Easter Communion St Catherine Blackwell

10:30am Easter Praise Holy Trinity Lickey

## **Blackwell Fringe Festival 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

Blackwell is holding its very first Fringe Festival. Throughout the weekend five venues across the village will play host to a variety of creative events and activities. St Catherine and The Wheel are one of the five locations and we need your help to host the events taking place with us. We are looking for volunteers to bake cake for Friday morning, sell wine Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and Sunday afternoon, serve coffee Friday, Saturday and Sunday mornings, grow plants for the sale, sell plants on the Christian Aid stall, host our guests at the various events. Could you sign up for one of the slots?

### **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May**

**10:30am – 12noon** Coffee, Cake and Chat in the Wheel.

**Flower Festival in Church** - Church open 10:30 - 4pm for flower drop off Judging 6:30pm  
- Theme - 'Wonders of Blackwell'

**Art Exhibition in The Wheel** - The Wheel open for set up from 12:30 - 4pm. Artist will need to bring own easels etc

### **Christian Aid Plant Sale**

It's also Christian Aid Weekend so we will have a huge plant sale in a gazebo outside (if the weather holds) or in the Wheel passageway if not.

**7pm Talk from our Exhibiting Artists with a glass of wine**

### **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May**

Church and the Wheel to be open and staffed with church volunteers from 10am - 5pm

**Blackwell First School Choir 11am**, cuppa /squash on sale afterwards.

**3 Choirs Festival** - alcohol on sale in the interval / after the performance

Flower Festival, Art Exhibition and Christian Aid Plant Sale

### **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May**

Church and the Wheel to be open and staffed with church volunteers from 10am - 5pm

**10am Morning Service** all welcome

**4pm Blackwell's Songs of Praise** - send your favourite hymn and reason why to Rev Sheri Gidney [shergidney@gmail.com](mailto:shergidney@gmail.com) and the most popular will be chosen, then come and sing with us. Glass of wine on sale afterwards.