

**PRAYER
FOCUS**



***We pray for those who are ill - having treatment,
tests or in any need of God's love;***

Emma Brookman, Lorri Withers, Ruth and Jim Wood, Bernie,
Hamish Ireland, Maureen Dew, Andrea Stevens,
Chris Seymour, Daniel Cookman, Joyce Hurenkamp,
Caroline Watts, Joan and Jimmy Pratt, Bethan Kuriger, Casey Gilliver,
and all known to us.

***Please keep in your prayers the friends and
family of those who have recently died;***

Prayer focus for October

Loving God, as the beautiful leaves turn amazing colours and fall to the ground, let us be reminded of the seasons of our lives. Help us to love all of your creation and be mindful of how everything grows in its own time just as you planned.

Prayer for 19th October

God of Forgiveness, help us to forgive others as you tell us we should, thank you for your light on the world that shows your great forgiveness that leads to peace on earth. Amen

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Please note: Jane works Monday in the church office

Our **Sunday sermons** are now online do make the most of them

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SUNDAY 19th October

COLLECT

God our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Today's Readings

2 Timothy ch3 v 14 – ch4 v 5 (Pg 967)

Luke 18 v 1-8 (Pg 853)

Today's Services

10.00am

St. Catherine

Joint Holy Communion

4.00pm

Holy Trinity

Church at 4

NEXT WEEK

Monday 20th

10.30am

Coffee, Cake and Chat (Holy Trinity)

Wednesday 22nd

10.00am

Midweek Communion Service (Holy Trinity)

3.30pm

Timeless Dementia Church (St. Catherine)

Thursday 23rd

12.30pm

Buffet Lunch (The Vicarage)

7.30pm

PCC Meeting (The Trinity Centre)

Saturday 25th

7.00pm

IcFEM Annual Dinner (The Trinity Centre)

Sunday 26th

10.00am

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Financial Giving: We do not pass a collection plate around during our services, however if you are able to give, you will find a donation plate and a card reader at the back of our churches. Our buildings and ministries are generously funded by members of our congregation; venue hire and fees. Many church members are able to set up direct monthly giving towards the almost £3000 a week that it costs to keep our buildings running and ministries flourishing. Do be in touch if you would like to discuss how our finances work or if you would like to set up a regular donation.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2025

NOVEMBER

Saturday 1st November 4pm – Parish Memorial Service at Holy Trinity, Lickey – for anyone who has lost loved ones.

Monday 3rd, Churchyard Extension Tidy Up 9.30am-12.30pm – everyone is welcome to come along to help.

Sunday 9th November Remembrance Sunday,

9.30am a said communion service at St. Catherine.

10.30am Remembrance Service with parade.

10.50am Act of Remembrance at Lickey War Memorial with Guides

4pm Chuch at 4 at Holy Trinity.

Wednesday 19th November – Poppies Bereavement Support Group 2.230pm – 3.30pm at the Wheel.

Thursday 20th November a special service hosted by Bishop Michael to welcome Bishop Walter of Bolivia to the Diocese

Sunday 23rd November Bishop Walter of Bolivia is our guest preacher for St Catherine's Day and lunch

DECEMBER

Saturday 6th December Heather Johnstone CMS Tanzania will host a stall at the Christmas Fayre

Sunday 7th December Heather Johnstone CMS Tanzania is our preacher

Wednesday 17th December– Poppies Bereavement Support Group 2.230pm – 3.30pm at the Wheel.

The next collection for Hamlin Fistula will be in the week beginning Monday 20th October. Please leave knitted items at the back of Holy Trinity before this date. Many thanks Peter J

Shoeboxes are Back! - It's that time of year again when we ask you to generously fill a Shoebox with goodies that will delight an Orphan or other deprived Child in Eastern Europe at Christmas time! The boxes and accompanying leaflets are at the back of Church from today. Please take one and return it to Church by Sunday 2nd November. If you have any queries in connection with these boxes, please see Peter Davies.

Please be aware of the revised date for Deanery Confirmation - come and celebrate with our 6 candidates who will be confirmed. Sunday 25th January, 4pm at St Francis, Bournville.

We are excited to invite you to spend the day with us on 24th January 2026 at our CMM annual event at Cloverley Hall, Calverhall, Whitchurch, Shropshire, SY13 4PH. Our special guest is Keith Powell. Keith is a very exciting speaker and has lots of experience in the Power and Gifts in the Holy Spirit including healing and wholeness. I hope you can join us, please contact Jane at the office on office@cmm.org.uk for further details and to book your place.

Please be aware that due to uneven paving slabs we have cordoned off the central area of the Trinity Centre car park. You can still park safely there for church services or Trinity Centre Hire, but you cannot go across the paving slabs, you will need to turn around and go out via the same exit that you came in through