### The Churches of Holy Trinity Belbroughton, St Mark's Fairfield, St James the Great Churchill, St James the Great Blakedown, St Peter Broome, St Cassian's Chaddesley Corbett **PEWSHEET Sunday January 28<sup>th</sup> Presentation of Christ in the Temple (White) A warm welcome to all our Parishioners!**

### **Readings this week (Candlemas)**

Malachi 3.1-5 \* Hebrews 2.14-18 \* Luke 2.22-40 \* Psalm 21.(1-6)7-10

### This week please pray for

- Pupils and staff of our First Schools
- Relations between all faiths

**The homes and families of** Galtons Lane, Belbroughton; Mill Lane, Fairfield. CBB: Egg Lane, Broome; Iverley Lane, Blakedown & Churchill

We pray for those suffering in body, mind, or spirit; may they know your presence alongside them in their time of need, including Carol Brogan, Mary Chapman, Val Evans, Pam Gumbley, Joe Weston, Tim & Linda Walker, Andrew Partridge, Nina Moyes, Jamie Moyes, Annick Harvey.

**We pray, for those mourning** the death of loved ones especially for the family and friends of John Smith, Ann Blackwell, Graham Luscott, and (CC) Janet Mundell, Derek Williams, Kath Walker

#### **Collect:**

Almighty and ever-living God, clothed in majesty, whose beloved Son was this day presented in the Temple, in substance of our flesh: grant that we may be presented to you with pure and clean hearts, by your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

### **CHURCH NEWS AND SERVICES**

### Sunday January 28th

Candlemas

9.30am 10.00am 10.00am 10.30am 11.15am Morning Worship Service for the Presentation Informal Praise Morning Praise Holy Communion

### (Gold/White)

Chaddesley

Blakedown Belbroughton Fairfield

#### Monday January 29th

iSongPop in Belbroughton Church, starring pupils from Belbroughton 1<sup>st</sup> School (contact churchwarden for details)

Sunday February 4 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Lent Candlemas/The Presentation	(Green) of Christ
9.30am	Holy Communion	Chaddesley
10.30am	Holy Communion	Belbroughton
10.00am	Holy Communion	Blakedown
11.15am	Family service with HC	Churchill
Sunday February 11 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday next before Lent	(Green)
Sunday February 11 <sup>th</sup> 8.30am	<b>Sunday next before Lent</b> Breakfast	<b>(Green)</b> Chaddesley
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8.30am	Breakfast	Chaddesley
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### Tuesday February 13th

7.15pm for 7.30pm	Contemplative Prayer	Church office
(weekly for 7 weeks)		

### Wednesday February 14<sup>th</sup> Ash Wednesday

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10.00am			Holy Communion w. ashing	Chaddesley

#### Funerals:

The funeral and burial of John Smith will be held at St James the Great, Blakedown on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 2.30pm

### **OFFICE OPENING TIMES**:

The office opening hours – Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9-12am only, until 1<sup>st</sup> April. **(All Wednesdays the office will normally be closed)** 

### Advance notice: From 1<sup>st</sup> March, Thursdays will be the office closure day (instead of Wednesday)

# GODLY QUIETNESS Learning Silent Prayer

Sometime life is too busy to stop... ...but maybe we could slow down

- and these 7 weeks through Lent are a chance to take up the gift of spending time with God without all the words, noise, activity and demands that fill our lives.

### Tuesdays 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> February 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> March Belbroughton Church Office Church Road Belbroughton DY9 9TE 7.30pm - 8.15pm Coffee etc from 7.15pm

No previous experience necessary, in fact this is for anyone whether they're a "fully paid up" Christian or someone who just wants to explore their spirituality

> Just turn up... or for more info wynbeynon@gmail.com



### Not Drowning but Swimming: Keepingafloat in the storm

An evening of reflection and sharing facilitated by Rev'd CanonWyn Beynon



### Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2024 7.15pm for 7.30pm to 9.15pm online on ZOOM

Pleasebook a place by contacting the RevdCanonNickWright (revnmwright@btinternet.com or 07871163140). We will be in contact beforehand with further details and the link you will need to join the session.

There is no charge for participating, but we will be inviting donations towards the expenses of the session.

This online Gathering is for anyone who is seeking to explore their own spiritual awarenessand deepentheir faithfulness or experiencein the life of prayer. It is also likely to be helpful for those who are – formally or informally – involved in the ministry of accompanying and listening to others on their spiritual journeys.





# Prayer Pilgrimage led by

# the Archbishop of Canterbury

### Saturday 3 February 2024

All welcome - join us as we pray for our diocese as well as peace and justice throughout the world in 2024 and beyond.

### 10am: Top Church, Dudley

An interview with the Archbishop followed by worship and prayer.

### 12.30pm: Pershore Abbey

Prayer lunch - bring your own picnic lunch

### 2.15pm: Worcester Cathedral

An interview with the Archbishop followed by worship and prayer in various prayer stations.



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### **GIVING TO YOUR CHURCHES**

#### Sunday Collections – Belbroughton & Fairfield

We continue to face many of our usual expenses such as insurance, utilities bills and churchyard maintenance. The PCC is very concerned about what the effect of this reduction in income may be on our church finances. Many people give regularly to the church through Standing Orders. Others give through cash collection on the plate and/or an additional donation by cheque.

You might like to give by a Standing Order or a donation. We can accept either electronic bank transfer by computer or a cheque. Please send any cheques to the Church Office, put them in the collection bag or give them to John at Belbroughton Church. If you can make an electronic bank transfer, the bank account for St Marks and Holy Trinity is HSBC in Stourbridge with a sort code of 40-43-17 and the account number is 91594095. As you may be aware, any amount that you give can be Gift Aided. There is no cost to you and the church receives at 25% rebate from the Government. For every £100 pound we collect, we can claim another £25 from HMRC. Please contact John Penlington for a simple form which you can sign saying you wish to apply Gift Aid to your donation for the past few years and the future. All financial transactions are, of course, completely confidential and the Gift Aid donation is at no cost to you.

A new option is through Parish Giving. Simply phone 0333 002 1271 and ask to setup a donation to Belbroughton and Fairfield using Parish Code 420642243. You could also go direct to their website at <u>www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-</u><u>parish/belbroughton-and-fairfield-belbroughton</u> and do this yourself.

### WAYS YOU CAN DONATE to Blakedown, Churchill & Broome

# It is possible to donate to the work of your churches online and via your mobile phone

It is important that everyone continues to give as usual, as the high costs of running the church buildings still must be paid - Covid 19 may have affected most things but not those continuing costs unfortunately.

### Donate to Blakedown church at give.net

Simply click on the link below to be taken to Blakedown church's give net donations page <u>https://www.give.net/20179617</u>

### Donate to Blakedown church by standing order

Bank Account number: 00033852 Sort Code: 30-98-21

You can donate to Churchill church by standing order

#### Bank account number: 30232351

### Sort Code: 40-43-17

Free will offering envelopes: You can continue to donate to both Churchill and Blakedown churches using your Free Will Offering envelopes - please post them through the letterbox of number 69 Belbroughton Road while you're out for your daily exercise.

If you would like to have a set of Free Will Offering envelopes, then please call (01562) 700543.

You can donate to BROOME church



by scanning this QR code with your mobile phone, or you can donate at the following page on AChurchNearYou:

https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/18794/

or if you prefer to give by standing order, please email the office at <u>bfcoffice@btconnect.com</u> and we will give you the bank details to use.

## BUY A ROOF TILE FOR BLAKEDOWN CHURCH



### UPDATE

Hi Everyone!

#### Firstly we'd like to say a very big THANK YOU! to everyone who's very generously bought new roof tiles for Blakedown church.

#### THANK YOU ALL!

And so here's an update on where we are with the re roofing project:

Our church architect - Wayne Jones - is overseeing the project from start to finish and will, during the next few months, produce an order that all the works will take place in, tender the work to various specialist contractors to quote etc - there's lots for him to do.

In addition to the continuing opportunity for you all to buy a roof tile we will be applying to various grant making organisations.

We will keep you all up to date, so please watch this space and our church website.

Thank you.

Jan, Paul, and Andrew.



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