

**The Churches of Holy Trinity Belbroughton,  
St Mark Fairfield,  
St James the Great Churchill, St James the Great Blakedown,  
St Peter Broome**  
**PEWSHEET 28<sup>th</sup> November 2021 First Sunday of Advent**

**A warm welcome to all our Parishioners**

**At the heart  
of Christmas**



**Readings this week**

\*Jeremiah 33.14-16 \* 1 Thessalonians 3.9-13 \* Psalm 9 \* Luke 21.25-36

**This week please pray for:**

- Businesses and Shops in our Villages
- For gravediggers and all who care for our churchyards, helping to make them as beautiful and peaceful as possible for those who are bereaved.
- The homes and families of Church Hill, Belbroughton; Brook Road, Fairfield. Hackmans Gate Lane, Broome; Iverley Lane , Blakedown & Churchill

**Prayer for the week**

Almighty God,  
give us grace to cast away the works of darkness  
and to put on the armour of light,  
now in the time of this mortal life,  
in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility;  
that on the last day,  
when he shall come again in his glorious majesty  
to judge the living and the dead,  
we may rise to the life immortal;  
through him who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen

**We pray for those suffering** in body, mind or spirit; may they know your presence alongside them in their time of need, including Ken Fairbairn, Linda Walker, Roy Keys, John and Hazel Smith, Paul Shotton, Andrew Partridge, Michael Partridge, Judy Moyes and Nina Moyes, Alan Hall.

**We pray, for those mourning** the death of loved ones especially for the family and friends of David Peers, Amy Hodgetts, Michael Morgan, Neil Kidner, Olga Glaze Howard Barker, Derek Jackson, Jackie Hawkeswood and Diane Narbett.

# CHURCH NEWS AND SERVICES

## Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> November      1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent      (Purple)

10.00am	Advent Sunday Service	Blakedown
10.00am	Holy Communion	Broome
10.30am	Morning Praise	Holy Trinity
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Mark's

## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December      Advent 2      (Purple)

10.00am	Worship 4 All	Blakedown
10.30am	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity
4.00pm	Service of Lights	Churchill

## Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December

11.30am	Funeral: Diane Narbett	Belbroughton
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## Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December      Advent 3      (Purple)

10.00am	Informal Praise	Blakedown
10.30am	Morning Praise	Holy Trinity
11.15am	Worship4All	St Mark's



Belbroughton Church Hall

**Posh Jumble Sale**

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November

11am

Belbroughton Church Hall

**CRAFT FAIR**

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> November

10am – 3pm

# ONLINE SERVICES



 **WELCOME TO ONLINE CHURCH**

OUR SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES ARE  
NOW AVAILABLE TO LISTEN TO ONLINE;  
ANY TIME, ANY PLACE  
SIMPLY GO TO THIS LINK:

<https://cbbchurches.weebly.com/online-service-for-this-sunday.html>

YOU CAN ALSO LISTEN TO OUR CHURCH SERVICES ON YOUR SMART PHONE  
VIA THE SOUNDCLOUD APP,  
SIMPLY SEARCH "BLAKEDOWN CHURCH" IN THE APP

 **CBB  
CHURCHES**

 AVAILABLE ON  
**SOUNDCLOUD**

 **ENCOUNTER  
CHRIST**

**Our Online Services are now available as audio podcasts, which you can now listen to, and subscribe to,**

**on your mobile phone using the Soundcloud app.**

**Search "Blakedown Church" in the app.**

**For all churches (Belbroughton, Fairfield, Clent, Churchill, Blakedown & Broome)**

The link to the "Online Service for This Sunday", is <https://cbbchurches.weebly.com/online-service-for-this-sunday.html> and <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCToVq6Co2UxmbzgrvYbzfUg>

We will also worship together with others from Hagley and Clent on Zoom. You are invited to "attend" **Sunday Worship** on Zoom – at **9 am** every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday.

Join Zoom Meeting

Please contact Revd Richard Newton for details

This week's Sermon podcast from the Diocese of Worcester can be found here: <https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/your-faith/prayer-worship/sermon-podcasts/>

This Weekly pews sheet is available by email; please contact the church office at [bfcoffice@btconnect.com](mailto:bfcoffice@btconnect.com) to be sent one, or visit our website for the latest news at [www.bfc-worcs.co.uk](http://www.bfc-worcs.co.uk)

The CBB church website now has a page carrying all the latest government and Church of England COVID 19 guidelines for the safe use and attendance of church buildings, plus the latest daily COVID 19 infection figures

The link to the page is: <https://cbbchurches.weebly.com/government--church-of-england-covid-19-guidance-for-all-attending-services.html>

# GIVING TO YOUR CHURCHES

## Sunday Collections – Belbroughton & Fairfield

During the ongoing pandemic, we continue to face many of our usual expenses such as insurance, utilities bills and churchyard maintenance. We have suffered greatly with no collections from April to July and can only put out the collection plate by the entrance and exits now rather than pass them round as before. The PCC is genuinely 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 or Wendy at Belbroughton. 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 or Wendy 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.

## ST JAMES THE GREAT, BLAKEDOWN

**It is possible to donate to the work of Blakedown church 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 have to be paid - Covid 19 may have stopped most things but not those continuing costs unfortunately.



**You can donate to Blakedown church by scanning the above QR code with your mobile phone, or you can simply click on this link to be taken directly to the donation page:**

**<https://thy.ng/CUR008645>**

**[Donate to Blakedown church at give.net](#)**

**Simply click on the link below to be taken to Blakedown church's Give Net donations page**

**<https://www.give.net/20179617>**

**[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

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

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See noticeboards for The Parish Safeguarding Policy

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# NOVEMBER READINGS

## **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November (Red/Green)**

First Reading  
Second Reading  
Psalm  
Gospel

## **Third Sunday before Advent**

Jonah 3.1-5,10  
Hebrews 9.24-28  
62.5-12  
Mark 1.14-20

## **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November (Red/Green)**

First Reading  
Second Reading  
Psalm  
Gospel

## **Second Sunday before Advent**

Daniel 12.1-3  
Hebrews 10.11-14(15-18)19-25  
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Mark 13.1-8

## **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November (Red/White)**

First Reading  
Second Reading  
Psalm  
Gospel

## **Christ the King**

Daniel 7.9-10,13-14  
Revelation 1.4b-8  
72  
John 18.33-37

## **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> November (Purple)**

First Reading  
Second Reading  
Psalm  
Gospel

## **1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent**

Jeremiah 33.14-16  
1 Thessalonians 3.9-13  
9  
Luke 21.25-36

## **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December (Purple)**

First Reading  
Second Reading  
Psalm  
Gospel

## **Second Sunday of Advent**

Baruch 5.1-9 or Malachi 3.1-4  
Philippians 1.3-11  
Benedictus  
Luke 3.1-6