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St Leonard's church is open daily, 8am-noon
Blakedown church is open daily
Churchill church is open every Friday
Churchill's porch is open daily
The porch of Broome church is open daily

Parish Safeguarding Officer

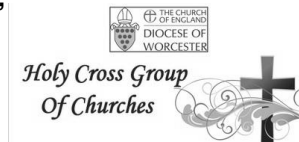
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The Parish Safeguarding Policy can be seen on the notice boards in all churches

The Weekly Newsletter for the churches of
Holy Trinity – Belbroughton;
St James the Great – Blakedown;
St Peter – Broome;
St James the Great – Churchill;
St Leonard – Clent;
St Mark – Fairfield



(in association with our sister churches in Hagley,
as the proposed 'Holy Cross' Group)

Welcome everyone worshipping with us today.

A special welcome to anyone visiting us for the first time.

THE FAMILY OF THE CHURCH HERE IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT YOU.

23rd February 2020

Coffee is usually available after the morning services. If you would like to find out more information about any of the activities associated with our churches, please speak to a warden or sides person.

SERVICES

Sunday 23rd February	Sunday before Lent	(Green/Red)
9.30am Holy Communion		St Leonard, Clent
10.00am Holy Communion		St Peter, Broome
11.15am Holy Communion		Holy Trinity, Belbroughton
4.00pm IONA Holy Communion**		St James, Blakedown
4.30pm Evening Praise		St Mark, Fairfield
Wednesday 26th February		Ash Wednesday
10.00am Group Ash Wednesday Service		St Peter, Broome
		Followed by Broome PCC meeting
11.15am Holy Communion		St Leonard, Clent
Sunday 1st March	Lent 1	(Purple)
9.00am Holy Communion		St Peter, Broome
10.00am Worship4All		St Leonard, Clent
10.00am Holy Communion		St James, Churchill
10.00am Informal Service		St James, Blakedown
11.15am Morning Praise		Holy Trinity, Belbroughton
11.15am Holy Communion		St Mark, Fairfield
Wednesday 4th March		
11.15am Holy Communion		St Leonard, Clent

**** Iona Services are led by Canon Sue.**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Bishop's Cert Course **Monday 24th February 7.30pm**
Belbroughton Church Office

Coffee Morning **Friday 13th March 10.00am-noon**
Belbroughton Church Hall
(Note: no April coffee morning due to Good Friday)

FUNERALS

David Waldron

Friday 21st February 3pm at St Leonard's, Clent

Elizabeth Bridge

Friday 28th February 3.30pm at Stourbridge Crem

Irene Luscott

Tuesday 3rd March 12noon at Holy Trinity, Belbroughton

Roland Lowe

Friday 6th March 11.30am at Rowley Regis Crem



HOLY CROSS GROUP

Do you enjoy crafts?
Or like eating cake?

Or want some company?

Join us for **Craft, Cake and Community**

At Belbroughton church hall

1pm-3pm on

10th March, 14th April, 12th May

Information from Pauline Jones 0121 453 7785

All Welcome

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Broome Coffee Morning Last Wednesday in the month
11-12.30pm (except in December)

Soup Lunch Thursday 20th February 12.30pm at 4 Roxall
Close

COFFEE MORNING
Belbroughton Church Hall

Friday 13th March

10am to noon
(normally second Friday of the month)

In aid of Holy Trinity Church,
Belbroughton

Women's World Day of Prayer

Friday 6th March
11am
Blakedown Church

Led by Canon Sue Oliver

Special refreshments afterwards

All Welcome!

COFFEE AT THE CHURCH

QR Code

Toasted Tea Cakes
With Butter
Cakes

Filter Coffee
Hot Chocolate Tea

FRIDAY 28th FEBRUARY 2020
9:30 'til 12:30 pm

ENCOUNTER CHRIST

BLAKEDOWN CHURCH
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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Palm Sunday

Sunday 5th April
10.30am

Palm Procession meet at Talbot Car Park

Agape Meal & Holy Communion

Tuesday 7th April
7 for 7.30pm
Holy Trinity church,
Belbroughton

BELBROUGHTON WITH FAIRFIELD PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

AGM Meeting

Sunday 19th April after service
at 4.30pm
at St Mark's, Fairfield

The Gospel Reading: Matthew 17.1-9

Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!' When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, 'Get up and do not be afraid.' And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, 'Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Parish Intercessions

Sunday 23rd February

Holy God,
you know the disorder of our sinful lives:
set straight our crooked hearts,
and bend our wills to love your goodness
and your glory
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

As a corporal act of mercy, please offer the following topics for prayer this week:

- Diocese of Northern Zambia (Central Africa) and all their Archbishops, Bishops and clergy.
- Justin our Archbishop, John the Bishop of Worcester, Martin the Bishop of Dudley, for Nikki our Archdeacon, Andrew our Rural Dean, our Parish Priest Canon Sue, Revd Richard Newton, for the Clergy, Readers and Lay-minsters of the Stourbridge Deanery, our ALM Team and visiting Clergy, the Church Wardens of our group of Churches; our Musical Directors, Organists and Choir, the Sidespersons.
- The homes and families of: Hackman's Gate Lane, Belbroughton; St Kenelm's Pass, Clent; Harbour Hill, Fairfield, South Road, Broome; Belbroughton Road, Blakedown & Churchill
- Offenders and criminals, prisoners and those on remand, prison visitors and voluntary workers

We pray for those suffering in body, mind or spirit; may they know your presence alongside them in their time of need, including: Rachel Shergold, Trevor Jones, Jack Pope, Tim Burns, Judy Moyes, John Westley, Mary Fairbairn, Ken Winfield, Drew Beaumont, Dorothy Tomkins, Susan Dennis, Robert Davies, Sheila Gordon, Nina Moyes, John and Hazel Smith, Jan Woolley

We pray, for those mourning the death of loved ones especially for the family and friends of Irene Luscott, Roland Lowe, David Waldron, Elizabeth Bridge, Trevor Grove, Doris Kendall, Hazel Cole, Christopher Rutter, Joan Peck, Michael Saunders, Brian Crook, Grace Stacy, Claude Hill, Marjory Rees

COLLECT FOR THE WEEK

Almighty Father,
whose Son was revealed in majesty
before he suffered death upon the cross:
give us grace to perceive his glory,
that we may be strengthened to suffer with him
and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

First Reading: Exodus 24.12-18

The LORD said to Moses, 'Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.' So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, 'Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.'

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the LORD settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Psalm: 2

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1.16-21

We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Readings for next Sunday:

First Reading	Genesis 2.15-17; 3.1-7
Second Reading	Romans 5.12-19
Psalm	32
Gospel	Matthew 4.1-11