

Parish Church of Barbourne St. Stephen

Visit our website www.st-stephens-church-worcester.org.uk for information about services and forthcoming events

Welcome to our church, especially if you are a visitor or a newcomer

Sunday 7th June 2026

Trinity 1

8.00am – Holy Communion

Readings: Hosea 5.15-6.6 Diana Fulbrook

Romans 4.13-25 Diana Fulbrook

Gospel: Matthew 9.9-13, 18-26

Intercessions: Diana Fulbrook

10.00am - Connect Service

227 Go tell everyone

118 Colours of Day

633 Seek ye First the Kingdom of God

275 Lord of the Dance



Next Sunday – Trinity 2

8.00am – Holy Communion

Readings: Exodus 19.2-8a

Romans 5.1-8

Gospel: Matthew 9.35-10.8

Intercessions: Clergy

10.00am – Family Service

Readings: Exodus 19.2-8a

Romans 5.1-8

Gospel: Matthew 9.35-10.8

Intercessions: Philippa Boulter

Rachel Kevern

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Philippa Boulter

Bev Cox

AFTER SERVICE REFRESHMENTS – 10.00AM

Tea, coffee, squash and biscuits are served in church following the 10.00am service. Why not stay for a drink, biscuit and a chat. It's a chance to get to know everyone. A warm and friendly welcome to all.



CRAFT & CHATTER (Every 4th Saturday of the Month)

10.30-12.30. We run alongside Open Church. If you knit, crochet, sew, or craft, do come along. Open to all

GOOD COMPANIONS Meet in church at 2.30pm

15th June - Mandy Harding, Musician Saxophonist.

6 July Miniature Golf at Ravenmeadow Golf Centre (Come and play or watch your friends in the sun).



JUNIOR STARS New Sunday School on the 4th Sunday of each month during the 10am service. Ages 4-11.

- Bible Stories • Craft • Music • Prayer • Prayer



A Better Way to Give Regularly to Church

The Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) is administered by a charity run by various Dioceses.

The scheme should be better for givers, and better for the church. There are a selection of booklets at the back of Church. If you want to know more, please speak to Richard Hemmings or you can go to the PGS website:

www.parishgivingscheme.org.uk



Church Services this coming week.

Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion

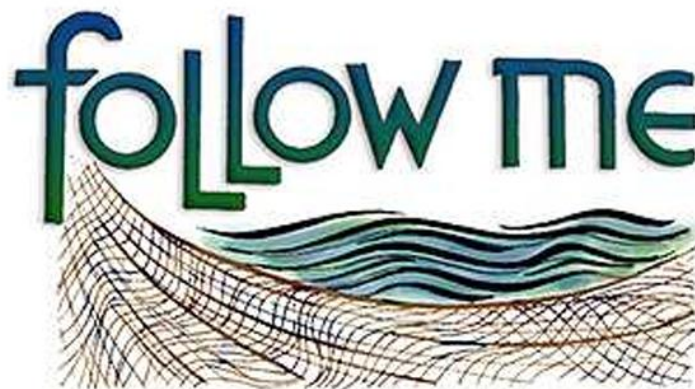
Zoom only services

Monday & Wednesday 8.20am Morning Prayer

Tuesday & Thursday 5.30pm Evening Prayer

Prayers for Those in Continued Need:

Barbara Hellicar, Joyce Pringle, Rosie Goddard and Adrina and Alan Price.



Matthew 9.9-13, 18-26

Praying Together in Word & Silence

Regular prayer meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month. 9.30am-10.10am in the Hartley Brown room (entrance back door).



Open Church

Thursdays 10.30am - 12.30pm

Saturdays 10.30am - 12.30pm



LITTLE STARS ★ For babies to pre-schoolers and their parents/carers meets in church every Thursday ★ afternoon in term time from 1.30pm to 3.00pm. Further details from Michelle Walsh (details below) ★

If you have any items for the notice sheet please e-mail them to: mwalsh.ststephens@outlook.com Please send by **Thursday 10.00am** if you wish it to be included in the following Sunday's notice sheet.

For church hall bookings contact Michelle Walsh at mwalsh.ststephens@outlook.com

THIS WEEK'S NOTICES

Geoff Kington Funeral Arrangements

Monday 8th June St Stephens – 11.00am

The funeral service will take place at St Stephen's on Monday 8th June at 11.00am. The service will be followed by refreshments at **The Crown and Sandys**, Ombersley and all are very welcome to join the family afterwards.

Poetry Readings – During Open Church

Speaking Allowed! The next date and time will be: **Saturday 13th June 10.45am – 12.15pm.**

For more information, please contact:
t.charman1@btinternet.com

PCC Treasurer. We are in need of a new Church Treasurer. If you have accountancy skills that are currently hidden under a bushel and feel this is something you could offer – please do speak to Michelle, Will, Ruth or Kevin.

Our current Shopping list:

TINNED MEAT, TINNED FISH, TINNED FRUIT, LONG-LIFE, FRUIT JUICE, LONG-LIFE MILK, PASTA SAUCE, RICE, CEREAL, SAUCE PACKETS, INSTANT MASH, MIXED, HERBS, POWDERED MILK, COOKING OIL, COFFEE, TEA BAGS, SOAP, TOOTHPASTE, SHOWER GEL, MENDES DEODORANT, TAMPONS, NAPPIES.



The Foodbank are particularly short of:

CUSTARD, TINNED FRUIT & RICE PUDDING

For Full List visit: www.worcester.foodbank.org.uk

Foodbank – GIVE TODAY WEBSITE

Order the items we urgently need - these will then be delivered straight to our door 😊

<https://www.givetoday.co.uk/worcesterfoodbank/>

Your incredible support helped us feed 15,201 people last year - with around 1 in 3 of these being children (5,172).

Thank you to everyone who has donated food, money or their time to combat hunger in our city

Children, Youth & Families Minister - Vacancy

Three vibrant church communities, one incredible opportunity!

Are you passionate about seeing the next generation flourish in faith?

We're looking for someone special to join us in an exciting adventure of growing God's kingdom across three wonderful church communities in Worcester to lead our Unity Programme.

If you're a natural connector, a team-builder, and someone who gets excited about empowering others to shine, we want to hear from you!

For more information or to apply, please go to:

<https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/xdb/jobvacancies/show/children-youth-and-families-minister>

Or:

<https://www.christianjobs.co.uk/jobs/claines-st-stephens-st-georges-churches-worcester/8690>

SAVE THE DATE!

Rob Holdsworth's Ordination as Priest

Saturday 27th June at 2.00pm at Worcester Cathedral. Do come along to support Rob if you can. All are very welcome.

Prayer diaries

Prayer diaries for March – July are now available at the back of Church.

Are you looking to join a day-time Home Group?

We meet every Friday from 2-4pm (term time only) in the Northwick area and would love you to join us for fellowship and study of scripture. Please speak to Colin Magee or Rob Holdsworth if you're interested.