

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, BIRCHFIELD

Vicar: Revd Alison Treasure

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Sunday 26th April 2026

The 4th Sunday of Easter

11am Sung Eucharist

WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY!

Welcome to our service this morning.

Please stay after the service to enjoy some refreshments.

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COLLECT

Almighty God,

whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life:

raise us, who trust in him,

from the death of sin to the life of righteousness,

that we may seek those things which are above,

where he reigns with you

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever.

Amen

TODAY'S READINGS	Readings for next week
Acts 2.42-47 p1094	Acts 7.55-60
Psalm 23 see overleaf	Psalm 31.1-5
1 Peter 2.19-25 p1218	1 Peter 2.2-10
John 10.1-10 p1076	John 14.1-14

How to contact Holy Trinity Church

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*If you have any items for this sheet, please give details to **Marcia West** or email newsletter@holytrinity-church.co.uk*

Church Safeguarding

If you have any safeguarding concerns, can you please speak to either the vicar, Wendy the church warden, or Michael the safeguarding coordinator. Pictures of them can be found at the back and entrance of Church. Alternatively, you can use the black book at the back of church to raise your concerns.

NEXT SUNDAY

Service at 11am

PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Klement

Anne James

Sydney Galbraith

John Underhill

The late Lillian Marshall and her family

The family of Christopher Reid Czeslaw

The family of Natasha Bartley-Stephens

Marie Tsado

The family of Ian Wilton Grimes

The Anderson family

Beata and her family

Andrea

The family of Diana Miles

Lawrence

Andy

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The Week Ahead

Wednesday morning service at 10am.

Anyone interested in being baptised and/or confirmed could you please speak to Rev'd Alison.

Psalm 23

¹ The LORD is my shepherd, I lack nothing.
² He makes me lie down in green pastures,
he leads me beside quiet waters,
³ he refreshes my soul.
He guides me along the right paths
for his name's sake.
⁴ Even though I walk
through the darkest valley,^(a)
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.
⁵ You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.
⁶ Surely your goodness and love will follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD
forever.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and shall be for evermore. Amen

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Post Communion Prayer

Merciful Father,
you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd,
and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again:
keep us always under his protection,
and give us grace to follow in his steps;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

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Holy Trinity Choir is looking for new members. If you are interested in singing in the choir and want to know more, please speak to our organist Ade Bamodu or Jill De Costa after services. Choir practices are on Sunday mornings from 10am until 10.45am, you are welcome to come along and find out more.

Giving to Holy Trinity Church

There are several ways in which you can financially support Holy Trinity Church.

- **By card** - we can take payments on SumUp machines, please see the warden, Wendy Walker or Theo Rutherford after services.
- **Secure online payments on the church website**
- **Standing Orders** to set up regular payments.
- **Envelope scheme** – please remember to bring your envelopes to church. If you are unable to visit church in person, please contact Revd Alison or the Warden or ring the church phone number 0121 274 4652 for advice.
- **For more information, please go to www.holytrinity-church.co.uk and click on the Giving tab.**

Thank you to all who prepared reports and assisted with our AGM last week especially Christine, Marie and Theo for completing the Treasurer's report and to Marcia for putting it all together. I would also like to thank everyone who attended. I would like to welcome Janet as our new Churchwarden and Michael as our Deputy Warden.

We will be looking to set up committees for:
Finance, Buildings and Fabrics, Mission, Fundraising, Social, School

So anyone with a skill or interest in any of the above please let me know. You don't have to be a member of the PCC to join.

I'm also looking for people to go on a rota who are able to count the collection after Church. If you are willing and able, please let us know.

Revd Alison

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Holy Trinity Church continues to support those who request food and toiletries. We are looking for donations of the following:

Tinned foods with ring pull tops
Bottled drinks and water
Quick cook noodle packs
Biscuits
Small packs of cereals
Toiletries
Please ensure that foods have a long BBE date
Thanks to all those who already donate items.
