

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, BIRCHFIELD

Vicar: Revd Alison Treasure

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Sunday 5th April 2026

Easter Day

11am Sung Eucharist

WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY!

Welcome to our service this morning.

Please stay after the service to enjoy some refreshments.

COLLECT

Lord of all life and power,
who through the mighty resurrection of your Son
overcame the old order of sin and death
to make all things new in him:
grant that we, being dead to sin
and alive to you in Jesus Christ,
may reign with him in glory;
to whom with you and the Holy Spirit
be praise and honour, glory and might,
now and in all eternity.

Amen

TODAY'S READINGS	Readings for next week
JEREMIAH 31:1-6 p792	Acts 2:14a, 22-32
PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24 see overleaf	Psalm 16
ACTS 10:34-43 p 1104	1 Peter 1:3-9
MATTHEW 28:1-10 p1000	John 20:19-31

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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*

NEXT SUNDAY

Service at 11am

PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

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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 Week Ahead

On Wednesday at 10am there will be Morning Prayers instead of our usual Eucharist Service.

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

Church AGM 2026

Our AGM will be held on the 19th April after Church. **Can all groups and individuals who write annual reports please finish them by 12th April.**

Holy Trinity's Easter Programme

Thank you to everyone who supported and conducted the Services throughout Holy Week. Thank you also to everyone who helped to get our Church ready for Easter, with clearing away cleaning and putting back, designing and making the Easter garden, and for arranging our beautiful flowers amongst other things.

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

¹ Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.
² Let Israel say:
"His love endures forever."
¹⁴ The Lord is my strength and my defense
he has become my salvation.
¹⁵ Shouts of joy and victory
resound in the tents of the righteous:
"The Lord's right hand has done mighty things!"
¹⁶ The Lord's right hand is lifted high;
the Lord's right hand has done mighty things!"
¹⁷ I will not die but live,
and will proclaim what the Lord has done.
¹⁸ The Lord has chastened me severely,
but he has not given me over to death.
¹⁹ Open for me the gates of the righteous;
I will enter and give thanks to the Lord.
²⁰ This is the gate of the Lord
through which the righteous may enter.
²¹ I will give you thanks, for you answered me;
you have become my salvation.
²² The stone the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone;
²³ the Lord has done this,
and it is marvellous in our eyes.
²⁴ The Lord has done it this very day;
let us rejoice today and be glad.

We are looking for anyone who might be interested and feel called to be Churchwarden or deputy Churchwarden. Please speak to Wendy to find out more about the role, and to Rev'd Alison if you would like to be considered for either position.

Loving God, we lift up all children and young people during this Easter holiday. We pray for their safety, their joy, and their wellbeing. May they be protected in all they do, surrounded by care, and filled with peace and happiness.

We remember families who find this season difficult—those facing financial strain or emotional burdens. Bring them comfort, provision, and support. May they know they are not alone, and may kindness and help reach them in their time of need.

We also pray for students, teachers, and all who work in education. After seasons of effort and responsibility, grant them true rest and restoration. Renew their strength, calm their minds, and prepare them for what lies ahead.

May this time be one of healing, renewal, and quiet transformation for all. Amen.

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

God of Life,
who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son
to the death of the cross,
and by his glorious resurrection
have delivered us from the power of our enemy:
grant us so to die daily to sin,
that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

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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.

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### **Food donations**

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.