

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, BIRCHFIELD

www.holytrinity-church.co.uk

Sunday 19th January 2025

The 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

11am Morning Praise

WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY!

Welcome to our service this morning. Tea/coffee and biscuits will be available after the service.

COLLECT

Almighty God,

in Christ you make all things new:

transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your

grace,

and in the renewal of our lives

make known your heavenly glory;

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever.

Amen

TODAY'S READINGS

ISAIAH 62:1-5 p 750

PSALM 36: 5-10 p 563

1 CORINTHIANS 12:1-11 p 1153

JOHN 2: 1-11 p 1064

How to contact Holy Trinity Church

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NEXT SUNDAY

Service at

11am

*If you have any items for this sheet, please give details to **Marcia West** or email*

newsletter@holytrinity-church.co.uk

PRAYER LIST

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Chase Bartlett

Gareth Howell

Jillian Ann Underhill

Dennis Christian

Anne James

George Bartley

Mrs Rhone

Albert Gray

Helen Cross

Mrs Forrest

Marcia Barnett

The Alexander, Thomas and Dawkins families

The Rutherford family

The Douglas family

The Spencer-James family

Mrs Christian

The Bartley family

Alan Perry

The Wednesday morning service takes place at 10am

Church cleaning will take place this Thursday at 10.30am

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 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.**

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### **Befriending Refugees Training**

**St John's Church, Harborne**

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 9.45am to 4pm**

Restore is a local organisation that works to support refugees and people seeking sanctuary in Birmingham.

Training is being offered by Restore to anyone who wants to volunteer as a befriender, to offer welcome and support. A training day will take place at St John's Church, Harborne on 8<sup>th</sup> February. The programme includes introductions to the global refugee situation, the UK asylum system and how Restore works.

Please book your place by emailing  
[jasmine@restore-uk.org](mailto:jasmine@restore-uk.org)

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### Warm Welcome spaces and hubs in Birmingham

To help residents with the cost-of-living crisis, a network of spaces is available across the city, where people can spend time in a heated environment during cold weather and enjoy refreshments, activities and company. People can also be signposted towards suitable advice and support.

Many of these facilities are organised by faith groups, charities and community organisations. Warm Welcome spaces can be found in places of worship, libraries, leisure facilities, and are free to use. Most people should be within a 15- minute walk from their nearest Warm Welcome space.

**For more information please visit:**

[https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/directory/73/warm\\_welcome\\_spaces\\_in\\_birmingham](https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/directory/73/warm_welcome_spaces_in_birmingham)

<https://thrivetogetherbham.org/initiatives/warm-welcome-spaces-in-birmingham>

### New look church website

Our church website has had a major redesign and update.

The web address remains the same: **[www.holytrinity-church.co.uk](http://www.holytrinity-church.co.uk)**. You will also find links to our live streamed services, sermon archive and uploaded notice sheets. Please visit the website to keep updated about the church. Thanks to Theo Rutherford for his skills and work on the update.

On Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January, the funeral service for Carl Rutherford, the late brother of lay reader Keith Rutherford, will take place at Holy Trinity at 1pm. The theme for the service is Navy Blue/Gold and White. Please remember Keith and his family in your thoughts and prayers this week.

### Pray24Bum

24 hours of prayer for Birmingham

**9am – 8pm on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> and 9am – 7pm Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January.**

Location: Trinity Birmingham

150 Coventry Road B10 0SE

You can attend for an hour or more, all are welcome.