

What's on week commencing 1 October 2017

Day	Time	Details	Location
Tues 3	11.00am	Holy Communion	Mill House, Kington
Tues 3	7.30pm	St Nicholas' FFF Meeting	Fair Oak, Dormston
Wed 4	10.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's, Inkberrow
	7.00pm	Defibrillator Training	Kington & Dormston Hall
Thurs 5	1.00pm	Funeral of Peter Casati	St Peter's, Inkberrow
Sat 7	9.30am	Churchyard working party	St Peter's, Inkberrow
	1.00pm	Harvest Lunch	St Paul's, Cookhill
	7.00pm	Quiz Night & Harvest Supper	St Peter's, Inkberrow
Sun 8	11.00am	Ignyte/Junior Church	St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow



ST PAUL'S CHURCH HARVEST LUNCH, SATURDAY

7th OCTOBER, 1pm, Price £8, children £4, All Welcome.



QUIZ NIGHT HARVEST SUPPER, Saturday 7th October, 7pm
St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow. Teams of 6, £5 per person, Food included, Bar & Raffle. Tickets from Andy Gutteridge 01386 247840 or on the door.

Saturday 7th October Alcester Refugee Fund. Tarantara concert **7.30pm**
St Nicholas Church Alcester. Film of work of Open Doors.
Tickets £12 including refreshments



Organ recital by Dr. Roy Massey MBE
(Organist emeritus, Hereford cathedral)
7:30 pm, October 14th, St Peter's Church
Retiring collection in aid of St Peter's roof fund.

Carols by Candlelight Choir. It's the time of year when my thoughts turn to several 'c' words, carols, candlelight and choir are just a few. If you enjoy singing why not join the CbC choir. All voices are welcome and the ability to read music is not essential. Rehearsals start on **Tuesday 31st October at 7:45 in St. Peter's church**. For more information contact Brian Telford, 01386 870858 btelford26@gmail.com

Defibrillator Training 7.00pm, Wednesday 4th October 2017

Kington & Dormston Village Hall. This session is open to everyone from all the local villages and there is no charge so please do attend if you can, it could save someone's life.



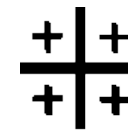
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The BENEFICE of INKBERROW
with COOKHILL and KINGTON
with DORMSTON



TRINITY 16
1st October 2017

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Mission Statement Our aim is to: Share God's love; Follow the example of Jesus by our words and actions; Reach out into the world believing all are God's children.



Today's Services:

SERVICES for Sunday 1st October 2017, TRINITY 16

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
9.30am	Family Communion <i>With Healing Prayers & Anointing</i>	St Paul's Church, Cookhill
9.30am	Traditional Holy Communion	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
11.00am	Morning Praise	St James's Church, Kington
11.00am	Informal Holy Communion	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow

Collect for Trinity 16:

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; 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.**

Post Communion for Trinity 16:

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Today's Readings

Philippians 2.1-13

¹If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, ²make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. ³Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves.

⁴Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. ⁵Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death? even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

¹²Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; ¹³for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Matthew 21.23-32

²³When Jesus entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, 'By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?' ²⁴Jesus said to them, 'I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. ²⁵Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?' And they argued with one another, 'If we say, "From heaven," he will say to us, "Why then did you not believe him?"' ²⁶But if we say, "Of human origin," we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet.' ²⁷So they answered Jesus, 'We do not know.' And he said to them, 'Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.

²⁸What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, "Son, go and work in the vineyard today." ²⁹He answered, "I will not"; but later he changed his mind and went. ³⁰The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, "I go, sir"; but he did not go. ³¹Which of the two did the will of his father?' They said, 'The first.' Jesus said to them, 'Truly I tell you, the tax-collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. ³²For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax-collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.'

Prayer Focus

We pray for the Rohingya people as they flee persecution in their home country of Myanmar. We also pray for Bangladesh as they receive upwards of 400,000 refugees. Though Bangladesh may not have a choice in receiving these people they also cannot afford the cost. What would our response be to 400,000 refugees heading in our direction?

We pray for all our political parties, for the major parties as well as the minor ones. May they represent their constituencies honestly and fairly. In presenting their policies we pray that they be presented and received as views with the good of the nation in mind.

With talk of interest rate rises, we pray for our economy and for personal spending habits. We pray for those who are in debt, that they will be able to find a way out and that they can find the advice they need.

We pray for our benefice as we continue finding solutions to our worship schedule and that we provide meaningful worship to all.

Those bereaved of: Peter Casati;

Those who are in special need: Frank Allen, Sandy Carruthers; David; Maureen Dew; Eileen; Kathleen Hollis; Jamie; Sheila Nicholson; Ann; Graham; Anne; Bréda; Nick; Bob McCarthy; Jean; Angela Gerrard; Margaret & Neville; Jenny; The Gazzard family; Reuben Bell; Jean Reeves;

Cycles of Prayer for the Wider Church:

- Droitwich Deanery – Rural Dean: Sheila Banyard; Lay Chair: Janet Bryan;
- Diocese of Southern Philippines: Bishop Danilo Labacanacruz Bustamante;
- Diocese of Swansea & Brecon (Wales): Bishop John Davies;
- Diocese of Leicester: Bishop Martyn Snow;

Local Churches, Community and Daily Lives:

- North & Middle Littleton, St Nicholas (Rev'd Philip Morton)
- Those who live and work in Ross Crescent, Harris Grove, Stockwood Lane, Little Inkberrow;

Daily Bible Readings W/C 1st October 2017

Date	Psalm	1st Reading	2nd Reading
Sun 1 Oct Trinity 16	124	Ezekiel 37.15-end	1 John 2.22-end
Mon 2 Oct	44	2 Chronicles 2.1-16	Mark 12.28-34
Tues 3 Oct	48	2 Chronicles 3	Mark 12.35-end
Wed 4 Oct, Francis of Assisi, friar, deacon	119.57-80	2 Chronicles 5	Mark 13.1-13
Thurs 5 Oct	57	2 Chronicles 6.1-21	Mark 13.14-23
Fri 6 Oct, William Tyndale, translator, martyr	51	2 Chronicles 6.22-end	Mark 13.24-31
Sat 7 Oct	68	2 Chronicles 7	Mark 13.32-end

Banns of Marriage: Martin Allen and Diane Smith of Inkberrow to be married on Saturday 23rd December at St Peter's Church, Inkberrow. (Published for the 1st time 1/10/2017)



St Paul's will be taking part in the **Shoebox appeal** this year. It's part of the life changing help offered by T4U in Romania, Uganda, Belarus and to many schoolgirls in Africa. Leaflets available in church.

SERVICES for Sunday 8th October 2017, TRINITY 17

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
9.30am	Morning Praise	St Paul's Church, Cookhill
9.30am	Traditional Harvest Thanksgiving	St Peter's Church, Inkberrow
11.00am	Holy Communion	St Nicholas' Church, Dormston
11.00am	Ignyte	St Peter's Hall, Inkberrow