

# THE PRIORY CHURCH OF ST. MARY, TUTBURY

part of the  
**ART BENEFICE**



of

**Anslow, Rolleston and Tutbury**

Liturgical Colour  
**GREEN**

**SUNDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2026**

**FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY  
THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST**

## NEWS IN THE PEWS

### Welcome to our Worship

Today's Reading: Isaiah 60 vs. 1 - 6    Pew Bible OT Page 217  
Matthew 2 vs. 1-12    Pew Bible NT Page 1

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion  
a warm welcome back Reverend Ian

Reading : Ken - Intercessions : Joycelyn

*Everyone is welcome to join us for refreshment after the service.*

*Toilet and Baby Changing Facilities at the back of the church, on the right.*

### Collect for the Baptism of Christ

Eternal Father,  
who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son,  
anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again  
by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as  
your adopted children; 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

Please remember in your prayers

Our Communities in:

Nankirk Lane, Anslow, Field Drive, Rolleston, Portway Drive, Tutbury

**Those in need of our prayers:**

O Lord, comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind or spirit.

We pray for those who have asked for prayer:

Don Chapman, Roy Borton, John Farrall, Kev Lycett

and all who are being cared for in the parishes of the ART Benefice.

Give them courage and hope in their troubles; and bring them the joy of  
Your salvation.

We pray for those who are mourning the loss of a loved one recently  
or at this time or year.

**Year's Mind:**

George Dyke, Winifred Petchell, John Welsh, Reginald Livermore, Harry  
Owen, Florence Compson, Charles Lucas, Joan Kidd. John Davies,  
Edith Williams, Mildred Astle

**SUNDAY, 18<sup>h</sup> January** – Second Sunday after Epiphany

10.00 am Holy Communion – Reverend Dave

Reader : Paul - Intercessions : Jackie

High Altar Flowers : Tutbury WI

**SUNDAY, 25<sup>th</sup> January** – Third Sunday after Epiphany

10.00 am Holy Communion – Reverend Liz

Reader : Janice - Intercessions : Phil

High Altar Flowers: Vacant

**SUNDAY, 1<sup>st</sup> February** – Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

10.00 am – Family Service with Holy Communion\_

Reverend Dave presiding

Reader and Intercessions – The Cobb Family

High Altar Flowers - Margaret

**Priory Church Opening Times**

Thursday 10.00 am - 12.00 noon

Saturday 10.00 am - 12.00 noon

Sunday 9.30 am - 12.00 noon – with service commencing 10.00am

**PRIORY PANTRY** is open every Saturday morning from 10.00 am till 12.00 noon  
Delicious cakes and savouries on offer, with the addition of Bacon Baps on some Saturdays

### **PRIORY CRAFTERS**

Every Thursday from 9.30 am.  
A variety of crafts help readily given and received.  
Or just call for a cuppa and chat!!  
All welcome.



### **PRIORY PANTRY** – is open again! A

huge thank you to those who come along to support us on a Saturday morning. We are so grateful to those who serve, bake and generally help out week by week. However, at the moment the diary for the Pantry is a bit thin, so now that the festivities are over, please sign up to help on your chosen Saturdays. Thank you.

### **CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

The Carol Service and Midnight Mass were extremely well attended this year.

Thanks to Roger, the choir and all those who read the Christmas Story to us. Midnight Mass was a joy to see so many people there. Thanks to Venerable John Hall for travelling so far to lead a wonderful service.

We continue to be very thankful for the support of Reverend Dave. He is a willing ear and helps us tremendously.

### **PCC MEETING – MONDAY, 12<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 7.15 FOR 7.30 pm**

If any member of the PCC has business to raise, please email Phil, as soon as possible.

### **SOCIAL AND FUND-RAISING GROUP MEETING**

**THURSDAY, 15<sup>th</sup> January 7.15 pm for 7.30 pm** at Margaret's home.  
Thank you for the use of your Sitting room.

**CHURCH CLEANING** As the church was in use for so much in December it is ready for a spruce up. So, if you are available on Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> January from 10.00 am to 12.00 noon, you would be very welcome to join us.

### **BURNS NIGHT CEILIDH – Hosted by Schuggie**

On **SATURDAY, 31<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY** Schuggie will make a return visit to Tutbury, following the success of the barn dance which was enjoyed by all age groups. Our Social and Events Committee are starting the New Year with a Ceilidh. Tickets will shortly be on sale online at [www.stmarystutbury.org](http://www.stmarystutbury.org) but fear not, if you do not have access to the internet, please see Liz or Linda who will purchase tickets for you.

## FLOWER ROTA and MAGAZINE DISTRIBUTION

Following Rosemary's sudden death, we have lost a valued member of the organisation team. Rosemary dealt with Magazine Distribution and organised the Flower Rota.

- i) Flower Rota: Rosemary had completed the Flower Rota for 2026, so it is just a matter of someone taking it over, making sure that the rota is covered and be a contact should someone be unable to do their week, etc. etc. and of course prepare the Rota (which is usually the same) for 2027.
- ii) Magazine Distribution: Entails the collection/delivery of the two magazines, The ART BENEFICE and The FOREST GROUP OF CHURCHES.

If anyone feels able to fill either of these vacancies, please speak to one of the church wardens.

PRIORY DIARY *if you wish to add anything, please let Joycelyn know*

JANUARY 2026				
Mon	12 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting	Priory S
Thur	15 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Social and Fundraising Committee	Margaret's
Sun	18 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion – Reverend Dave	Church
Mon	19 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Cleaning Morning	Church
Sun	25 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion – Reverend Liz	Church
Sat	31 <sup>st</sup>		Burns night themed Ceilidh with Schuggie	Village Hall
FEBRUARY				
Sun	1 <sup>st</sup>	10.00am	Family Holy Communion – Rev.Dave	Church
Sun	8 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion tbc	Church
Mon	9 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	PCC Meeting	Priory S
Sun	15 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion – Reverend Dave	Church
Mon	16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Cleaning Morning	Church
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup>	10.00am	Holy Communion tbc	Church
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup>	4.00pm	Café Style Worship for all ages. All welcome to join us in this new venture. Light refreshments will be served.	Back of the Church



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