



THE ART BENEFICE

Anslow, Rolleston and Tutbury

Liturgical Colour
GOLD / WHITE

SUNDAY, 26th NOVEMBER 2023

CHRIST THE KING – THE LAST SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

Welcome to our Worship

Today's Reading: Ephesians 1 : 15 - 23 - Pew Bible Pg. NT 205
Matthew 25 : 31 - 46 - Pew Bible Pg. NT 30

Today's Services in the Art Benefice

Holy Trinity, Anslow

11.15 – W4A / MP

St. Mary's Church, Rolleston on Dove

9.15 am - W4A / MP

6.30 pm – Evensong

Priory Church of St. Mary, Tutbury

10.00 am – Holy Communion – Common Worship

Reader : Margaret – Intercessions : Terry

*We hope you will join us for refreshment after the service.
Toilet and Baby Changing Facilities at the back of the church, on the right.*

Collect for this Sunday – Christ the King

God the Father,
help us to hear the call of Christ the King
and follow in his service,
whose kingdom has no end;
for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, one glory.

Amen.

Please remember in your prayers

Our Communities

Anslow Lane, Anslow, Cross Lane, Rolleston, Cromwell Close, 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:

John Farrell, Anni Sedaway, Francey and
all who are being cared for in 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,
especially the family of Ian Baxter from Holts Lane, His funeral will
take place on Friday 8th December at 10am.

May he rest in peace and rise in glory.

Year's Mind:

Jesse Bradbeer, Lewis Gibbs (Infant) Ethel Wolfenden, Richard Hewitt,
Phyllis Edwards, Frederick Walford, Anthony Walford.

SUNDAY, 3rd December 2023 – ADVENT SUNDAY



10.00 am – Worship for All – Family Holy Communion

Led by the W4A Team
Reverend Dave to preside

SUNDAY, 10th December 2023

10.00 am – Holy Communion
4.00 pm - Christingle



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 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 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 PANTRY - in Aid of Children in Need We are very pleased to say we were able to send £184.69 to Children in Need. We are very grateful for those who donated cakes etc. and for the Fund Raising/Catering Team for the organisation. As well as the delicious cakes Bacon Baps were on offer and well received.

HEATING PROJECT

As we all know, the gas boiler which is about 35 years old has been nursed along for the last couple of winters. We are pleased to say that we now have a new boiler and pipework which runs under the floor on the north side of the church. The old pipes had rusted away and there were many leaks which resulted in that circuit being capped off for the last two winters.

The new boiler is situated in the store cupboard in the vestry and there are lots of copper pipes both in the vestry and down below in the boiler house. The new system will be much more efficient and, we hope, cheaper to run. We are very grateful to Phil Norris who has liaised with the heating engineers over the past weeks to ensure the work was completed as quickly as possible. We should now all be much warmer when in church for services and social occasions.

The estimated cost is in the region of £38,400 including VAT but the VAT of around £6400 should be recoverable. We have been very lucky to obtain grants amounting to £12,000 from Burton Consolidated Charities, the John Bamford Trust and Staffordshire Historic Churches Trust. There is one application still outstanding. Part of the cost has been met from church reserves, generous personal donations and proceeds from the Priory Craft group but there is still a shortfall and work is ongoing to try and source additional funds.

If you would like to make a donation, however small, please have a word with Joycelyn who can give you details of the church bank account.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES

Letter from Hilton Methodist Church,

17.11.2023

Dear Friends, On behalf of Hilton Methodist Church we would like to thank all our friends at Tutbury for your generous donation of Shoe Boxes for the T4U Christmas Shoe Box Appeal. We were able to send Fifty-Two

Boxes which were collected on the 16th November and will shortly be on their way to Ukraine, Moldova, Georgia, Bosnia and Romania. We have heard of many people in those countries who are without gas, electricity and water, so we can all imagine the joy brought through these gifts. For us it may seem a small gesture, but the joy they bring is immeasurable. So, thank you again for your wonderful support.

Every Blessing, John and Pat Cumpstone.

ADVENT COURSE – VENUE THE RECTORY, ROLLESTON

Reverend Phyllis invites you to a 2-session Advent course where we will be watching the BBC “The Nativity”.

	Afternoon group	Evening group	Morning group
Session 1	Tuesday 5 Dec. 2pm – 3.45pm	Tues 5 Dec 7pm – 8.45pm	Wed 6 Dec. 11 am – 12.45pm
Session 2	Tues 12 Dec, 2pm	Tues 12 Dec. 7pm	Wed 13 Dec. 11am

We are planning to run courses in Lent 2024. Probably starting on **Tuesday 13 February ie Shrove Tuesday**. Dates to be confirmed in January. Easter is early next year Sunday 31 March 2024

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

NOVEMBER				
Sun	26 th	10.00am	Christ the King – Holy Communion	Church
Thur	30 th	9.00 am	Or 5.00 pm Set Up Christmas Trees	Rolleston
DECEMBER				
Sun	3 rd	10.00am	Worship of All Family Holy Communion – Advent Sunday	Church
Advent	Week	End	Christmas Tree Festival	Rolleston
Mon/Tue	4 th 5 th	5.00pm 9.00am	Take down Christmas Trees	Rolleston
Sun	10 th	4.00pm	Christingle	Church
Fri	15 th	7.45pm	Friday Voices Christmas Concert	Church

Sun	17 th	4.00pm	Lessons and Carols	Church
Sun	24 th	11.00pm	Midnight Mass – Bishop Matthew leading the service	Church
Sun	31 st	10.00am	Benefice Holy Communion	Priory Ch.
JANURY 2024				
Sun	7 th	10.00am	Worship for All Family Holy Communion	Church

CHURCHYARD MATTERS

If you would like information about the churchyard, there is usually someone who can help at the Saturday Morning Priory Pantry, in church 10.00 am – 12.00 noon.



No Cash ?

Scan the QR Code with your phone camera to donate online with a GiftAid option via "Give a Little" to Our Church



You will no doubt be aware that the volunteers have been working very hard in the churchyard this summer as the whole place looks brilliant. Not only have they been maintaining the newer and easier to maintain parts of the churchyard, they have been tackling the overgrown areas. All of this has been achieved with an ever-growing team of volunteers who have formed a WhatsApp group, which is working well and the members are able to communicate more easily with one another. They would welcome more willing workers, thus helping to keep our lovely, peaceful green space for all to enjoy.

