



**The ART Benefice
Anslow, Rolleston and Tutbury**

**News in the Pews
Sunday 19th December 2021**

FOURTH SUNDAY of ADVENT

Welcome to our worship

TODAY'S READING: **Luke 1 : 39 - 45**
 Hebrews 10 : 5 - 10

Liturgical
Colour – **Purple**

Today's Services in the ART Benefice:

Holy Trinity, Anslow

11.15am Nativity Carol Service

St. Mary's Church, Rolleston on Dove

9.15am CW Morning Prayer

6.30pm Lessons and Carols

Priory Church of St. Mary, Tutbury

10.00 am Holy Communion from Common Worship 2000

Reader : Judith - Intercessions : Joycelyn

4.00 pm Lessons and Carols

Collect for Advent 4 (year C)

Eternal God, as Mary waited for the birth of your son,
so we wait for his coming in glory.

Bring us through the birth pangs of this present age to see with her,
our great salvation in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

Please remember in your prayers:

Our Communities :

Anslow Lane, Anslow, The Lawns, Rolleston, Holts Lane, Tutbury.

Those in need of our Prayers:

O Lord, comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit.
We pray for all those being cared for in the parishes of the ART Benefice
and those known to us.

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

We pray for all those who mourn the loss of a loved one,
particularly the family of : Rosemary Bell whose funeral took place last Friday,
also Pamela Gregson

May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Years Mind:

Tony Guest, Charlotte Farrell, Leslie Millard, Robert Hutchinson,
Maud Oliver, Dorothy Clarke, Joseph Paul, William Priestley, Marjorie Ball,
Amy Jackson, Vera McAllister, Leslie Brunton, Robert Fleeman,
Raymond Drake, Doris Welsh, Evelyn Sowter, John Jones,

CHRISTMAS EVE, FRIDAY 24th December

11.00 pm Holy Communion – Common Worship
We welcome Bishop Matthew who will lead the service

CHRISTMAS MORNING, 25th December

10.00 am Holy Communion – Common Worship
with the blessing of new toys and gifts

SUNDAY, 26th December 2021

10.00 am - Benefice Holy Communion at Rolleston on Dove
No Service at Tutbury this morning

Priory Church Opening Times

Wednesday	10.00 am – 12.00 noon – 1 st Wednesday in the month
Thursday	10.00 am – 12.00 noon
Saturday	11.00 am – 12.00 noon
Sunday	9.30 am – 12.00 noon – with the Service commencing at 10.00 am

In the light of the Omicron variant now present in the UK, and masks now being mandatory in shops & on public transport, the leaders of our 3 churches request, please wear a mask when attending services and events in our Church buildings, and in line with Government guidance, please do consider taking a free NHS Lateral Flow Test (LFT) before attending.
Thank you Phyllis.

In light of the on going situation regarding Omicron, we are sorry to say that the seasonal refreshments WILL NOT be served after the Lessons and Carols later today, nor will there be refreshments after this service.

East Staffordshire Borough Council is pleased to announce the award of the Tutbury Grant Scheme. A total of £250,000.00 will be awarded to support ten community-based projects in the village. We are very pleased to say that the Priory Church of St. Mary has been awarded £10,000.00 for our Easy Access Project.

ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS CAROL 2021

Below are the words we will be using for our Services during the Advent and Christmas Season.

1. Love came down at Christmas,
Love all lovely, love divine;
love was born at Christmas
star and angels gave the sign.
2. Worship we the Godhead,
love incarnate, love divine;
worship we Christ Jesus
what shall be our sacred sign?
3. Love shall be our token,
love be yours and love be mine;
love to God and neighbour,
love for prayer and gift and sign.

TODAY'S READINGS

Hebrews 10: 5 - 10

Therefore, when Christ came into the world, he said: "Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me; with burnt offerings and sin offerings
you were not pleased.

Then I said, 'Here I am, it is written about me in the scroll; I have come to do your will, O God.'"

First, he said, "Sacrifices and offerings, burnt offerings and sin offerings you did not desire, nor were you pleased with them" (although the law required them to be made).

Then he said, "Here I am, I have come to do your will." He sets aside the first to establish the second. And by that will, we have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

Luke 1:39 - 45

At that time Mary got ready and hurried to a town in the hill country of Judea, where she entered Zechariah's home and greeted Elizabeth.

When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. In a loud voice she exclaimed: "Blessed are you among women and blessed is the child you will bear!

But why am I so favoured, that the mother of my Lord should come to me? As soon as the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the baby in my womb leaped for joy.

Blessed is she who has believed that what the Lord has said to her will be accomplished!"



Wishing you all a very
happy, healthy and peaceful
Christmas
and all the best
in 2022

Margaret, Jackie, Roger
and the members of the PCC

PRIORY DIARY If you have anything to add, please let Joycelyn know.

JANUARY 2022				
Sun	02	10.00	Worship for All - Communion in the round A child friendly service.	T
Sun	09	10.00	Holy Communion	T
Sun	16	10.00	Holy Communion	T
Sun	23	10.00	Holy Communion	T
Sun	30	10.00	Benefice Service – Holy Communion	T
Sun	30		Benefice Songs of Praise	R
Sun	30		followed by Rioja at the Rectory	R

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FEBRUARY

Sun	06	10.00	Worship for All - Communion in the round A child friendly service	T
Sun	13	10.00	Holy Communion	T
Sun	13	12.30	St. Valentines Lunch after the Service in	T Church

MARCH

Tue	01		Shrove Tuesday	
Wed	02		Ash Wednesday	
Sun	27		Mothering Sunday	

APRIL

Sun	10		Palm Sunday	
Fri	15		Good Friday	
Sun	17		Easter Sunday	
Mon	18	12.30	The Organists Entertain + Soup and Roll	T Church
Fri	22	7.30	Lesley brings us Nell Gwynne	T Church

MAY

Mon	02	12.30	The Organists Entertain + Soup and Roll	T Church
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JUNE

Thur	02	Fri 03	Queens Jubilee Celebrations	Tutbury
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Sat	19	tbc	Planning in progress for a Church Fund Raiser – details to follow	At Castle
Sat	25		Tutbury Open Gardens	
Sun	26		Tutbury Open Gardens	
JULY				
Sat	02	tbc	Heath Chorus and Uttoxeter Band Concert	T Church
AUGUST				
Sat	13		Sun 14 th Tutbury Day Week-end	T
Mon	15		Tutbury Day	

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