THE PRIORY CHURCH OF ST. MARY,



TUTBURY

part of the

ART BENEFICE

of

Anslow, Rolleston and Tutbury

Sunday, 22nd November 2026
The Sunday before Advent

Liturgical Colour
Red / White

NEWS IN THE PEWS

Welcome to our Worship

Today's Reading: **Ephesians 1 v. 15-end**
Matthew 25 v. 31-end:

Today's Service: 10.00 am - Holy Communion

A warm welcome back to Venerable John Hall, who is leading the service this morning.

Reading: George - Intercessions : Joycelyn

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 Christ the King Sunday

Eternal Father,
whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven
that he might rule over all things as Lord and King:
keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace,
and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet;
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
Bell House Lane, Anslow, Knowles Hill, Redhill 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 those who have asked for prayer:
Hannah Mace, Jackie Restall, Elaine Smart, Paul Nicholas, Stevie Wild,
Rhiannon Ashbourne, Ann Ward, John Farrall
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 of the year.

Year's Mind:
Ernest Parr, Hannah Abbett, Jessie Bradbeer, Peter Plowman

SUNDAY, 29th November – Advent Sunday - BENEFICE SERVICE

10.00 am – Holy Communion – Reverend Dave
Reader : Margaret - Intercessions – Jackie

SUNDAY, 6th December – Advent 2

10.00 am - Family Service with Christingle - Reverend Dave

Reading and Intercession prayers – The Hall Family

SUNDAY, 13th December – Advent 3

10.00 am – Holy Communion – Reverend Ian Cardinal
Reader : Liz - Intercessions: Phil

SUNDAY, 20th December – Advent 4

NO SERVICE THIS MORNING

4.00 pm Carol Service – followed by seasonal refreshments

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 or Sausage 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.

CHURCH CLEANING – Thank-you to all who came along on Monday morning to clean the church. As there is so much going on during December, we will have a well-earned rest. The next cleaning session is on Monday, 18th January 2027.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE – EXTENDED PRIORY PANTRY – NEXT Saturday 28th November – 10.00 am until 1.00 pm

There will be a raffle and as ever we would welcome prizes for this. Do come along as this event is usually very enjoyable – Christmas goodies on sale as well as seasonal cakes, produced by the excellent and generous Priory Bakers. The Crafters have been busy with some lovely things for Christmas presents. We do appreciate their support. If you have anything that you would like to contribute to the sale, i.e. Christmas Goodies etc. they will be very welcome.

REVEREND TIMOTHY GANZ – As you know that circumstances prevail that the request Timothy left in his will stating that his name should be added to the headstone of his parents, whose grave is in the Churchyard. Regrettably there is no family left to carry out this request and therefore the PCC put out a request for donations to complete. The cost of doing so amounts to £782.75. We received donations of £120.00 and the collection at Timothy's Memorial Service amounted to £149.82 but there is a shortfall of £512.93. If you would like to donate, please hand to Joycelyn or Judith.

CAFÉ STYLE SERVICE – WORSHIP FOR ALL AGES

This service which was held on the Fourth Sunday of the month in the afternoon was scheduled for this afternoon but unfortunately this has had to be cancelled. The service will be postponed for the time being and commence again in the New Year.

BENEFICE LUNCH – 29th NOVEMBER 2026

Unfortunately, the fifth Sunday falls on Advent Sunday and the start of Rolleston's Christmas Tree Festival. We will continue to hold the Benefice Service at Tutbury at 10.00 am and lunch at the Boar's Head Hotel, Sudbury

and hope that some of Rolleston's congregation will be able to join us at the Benefice Service and the lunch. Menus are available of the welcome table, please take one, complete and return to Terry by the 22nd November 2026. Thank you.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE – This is in the prayer area in the Lady Chapel. At this time of year, we try to bring the book up to date. If you have the name of someone you wish to remember in the Year's Mind in the Sunday morning service, prior to the Anniversary of their death, please write the name in the book on the appropriate date or give the details to Joycelyn.

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

NOVEMBER				
Sat	28th	10.00am	Christmas Fayre – extended Priory Pantry	Church
Sun	29th	10.00am	Benefice Service – Rev. Dave followed by Lunch	Tutbury
DECEMBER				
Sat	5th	10.00 am	Priory Pantry	Church
Sun	6th	10.00am	Family Service Holy Communion – Christingle Service - Reverend Dave	Church
Sat	12th	10.00 am	Priory Pantry	Church
Sat	12th	7.30 pm	Rolleston Choral Society - Concert	Church
Sun	13th	10.00 am	Holy Communion - Reverend Ian	Church
Fri	18th	7.30 pm	Friday Voices Christmas Concert	Church
Sun	20th		No morning service	
Sun	20th	4.00 pm	Carol Service – Reverend Dave	Church
Thu	24th	9.00 pm	Bethlehem Mass – Reverend Dave	Church
Fri	25th	10.00 am	Christmas Morning Present Service	Church
Sat	26th		Boxing Day – No Priory Pantry	
Sun	27th		No service this morning	

No Cash ?

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

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Programme for 2027 – more details will follow

Sunday, 7th February	February Fellowship Lunch (after morning service)
Saturday, 13th March	Uttoxeter Band/Heath Chorus – Me & Dee Charity Concert
Saturday, 27th March	Easter Saturday Priory Pantry
Monday, 29th March	Roger - Pipes in the Priory
Saturday, 24th April	Burton Concert Band – St. George's Day Concert
Monday, 3rd May	Roger - Pipes in the Priory – to confirm
Saturday, 22nd May	Priory Pantry with Plant Stalls