



TRINITY NEWS

22nd March 2020

Welcome! Please join us after the 10:30am on-line service for virtual coffee, which is served in the comfort of your own home!

**AN OFFERING IS NOT TAKEN DURING THE SERVICE.
PLEASE MAKE ANY GIFTS VIA BAGS ONLY AT THE MOMENT TO :-**

ACCOUNT NAME: Holy Trinity Springfield PCC

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OUR SERVICES TODAY

10:30am: Morning Service – ‘Lent 4’ (Mothering Sunday)

Reading: Revelation 3:1-6

Church diary for this week



**The Church building will be open for personal prayer
from 10am-11am Monday to Friday.**

A prayer of confession to be used during our on-line Sunday service :-

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against you,
through our own fault, in thought, and word, and deed,
and in what we have left undone.

We are heartily sorry and repent of all our sins.

For your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your name.

Amen.

OUR CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Trinity Church Springfield is the Anglican Parish Church serving Springfield Park and Parklands Drive Communities in Chelmsford. We aim to be a biblically based Church with a faithful witness to Jesus Christ in the 21st century, and active in our partnership with the world church. We endeavour to make our welcome warm, our worship meaningful and our fellowship a beacon of hope in the community.

NOTICE BOARD

Mission Focus. This month's board focuses on Ruth Webster (currently working with UMN) :-



Ruth Webster. At our wave offering last week for Ruth a total of £263.40 was given. If you were unable to make your donation to Ruth last week then 'Ruth Webster' envelopes are still available at the back of the Church if you still wish to do so over the next few weeks.

Church Work Party. Will take place on Saturday 18th April 2020 from 9am until 12noon (currently this is still happening!). Please put this date in your diary and join us if you can.

Electoral Roll. If you are not already on our roll and would like to join it then please fill in an 'Electoral Roll Form' (found at the back of church) and leave it on the desk in the Church Office.

APCM. Was due to take place on Sunday 26th April after the 10:30am service, however, this will now be postponed as we await further advice.

National Day Of Prayer & Action. Takes place on Sunday 22nd 2020 (This Sunday!). The idea is to light a candle at 7pm and put it in the window of your home as a visible symbol of Jesus, the light of the world. Please take this opportunity to pray for our community as well as the state of the nation in these difficult times.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Easter at Holy Trinity Springfield

5th April – Palm Sunday – Service On-Line at 10:30am

10th April – Good Friday – Quiet Time from 9am in Church

Time At The Cross On-Line from 12pm

12th April – Easter Day – Easter Celebration On-Line at 10:30am

2020 Church Prayer Meetings. Church Prayer Meetings will take place at 8pm at the Vicarage on Tuesdays 28th April, 23rd June, 25th August and 27th October. Currently suspended!

2020 Church Prayer Breakfasts. Take place from 8:30am-10am in the Church Centre on Saturdays **16th May**, 18th July, 19th September and 21st November. Currently suspended!



PRAYERS FOR THIS WEEK

Placing our thanks and concerns in the Fathers hands

Prayer Link. Non-crisis prayer requests should be sent to holy.trinitys@btinternet.com (or by phone to the church office) for distribution.

Prayer Chain. Crisis prayer requests should be telephoned to a member of this chain for distribution. Members of this chain are Keith Roddy, David Suttling, Martin Charlesworth, Simon Leach, Anne Ball, John Dawson, Ian Fuller & Daph Smith.

Mon: We thank you, loving God, for giving us one another to enjoy, to laugh and cry with, to learn to live with. May even our conflicts and arguments be used in helping us to grow in your love. Pray that the Gospel will always remain at the heart of everything we do here at Holy Trinity and that there will be a revival in our parish. Please pray for those in need; Bethany Whiddon, Peggy Clark (Lynn Whiddon's Mum), Joe and Daph Smith, Rodney Doran, Clive, Rachel, Brian Emmett (Julie Wilson's Dad), John Franklin, Dave Keyes, Jo Roddy, David Suttling and Eileen Wady (Jan Willis' Sister). Pray for the residents of Balmoral Court. Pray for blessings upon the Breward family.

Tue: Thank you, loving God, for showing us the way to love and giving us opportunities to give, to take second place, to accept people as they are, to forgive them when they annoy us, and look for their needs before our own Pray for Harrison Mungai (Crosslinks/iServe Africa). Pray that iServe would be able to train and equip holistic transformation in Africa

and beyond as a result of the already existing training programmes provided as well as new ones to be developed. Pray for the residents of Coates Quay. Pray for blessings upon the Brown family.

Wed: ***Thank you, loving God, for the world we live in, for the colours and shapes, the sounds and textures in it. Thank you for giving us minds and emotions and help us to reverence the whole of creation. Pray for Juan Carlos & Penny Marces (South American Mission). Pray for the young people in Jesus el Nazareno. Pray that the group would be strengthened and that there would emerge leaders to accept responsibility in its continued running. Pray for the residents of Lockside Marina. Pray for blessings upon the Buckingham family.***

Thu: ***Thank you, loving God, for comfort and sympathy, reassurance and practical caring when we are ill or sad. Make us all more aware of the needs of those around us and let our loving show in action. Pray for Nick and Helen Russell in Kidbrooke (Church Army). Pray for a family at risk from domestic violence where the perpetrator is a drug dealer reported by Nick to the police for owning a shotgun and ammunition. Pray too against any resulting retaliation related to the safety of Superkidz staff following a police briefing as well as for his three young children who often attend 'Play & Pray' church. Pray for the residents of Springfield Basin and Tyrell Lodge. Pray for blessings upon the Charlesworth family.***

Fri: ***Thank you, loving God, for your promise to be with us always, and not just until we die. Gather up into your loving arms the dying and comfort all whose memories make them aware of loss today. Pray for Bibles in China (Bible Society). Praise God for the continuing work of the scripture literacy classes. May they equip and encourage believers bringing others into the kingdom too. Pray for the residents of St. Anne's Court. Pray for blessings upon the Cook family.***

Sat: ***Thank you, loving God, for giving us space and support, guidance and forgiveness, challenge and reassurance. Pray for the United Mission to Nepal (Ruth Webster). Pray that UMN will bring long lasting transformation to communities which can be replicated. Pray for those leading our services tomorrow and for those who can no longer join with us on a Sunday; Connie Turner. Pray for blessings upon the Cottle family.***

OUR SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

10:30am: On-Line Service – 'Lent 5'

Reading: Revelation 3:7-13

***Vicar:* Rev. Keith Roddy 359299**

- Day off, Friday

***Curate:* Rev. Ian Fuller 465777**

- Day off, Friday

***Wardens:* David Suttling 283815**

Martin Charlesworth 355494

***Administrator:* Amanda D-H 284663 OR holy.trinitys@btinternet.com**

Church Office Hours: Monday to Friday 10am-1pm

You can find us on our web site: www.holytrinityspringfield.org.uk