At a glance

Sunday 5th October – Trinity 16

Harvest

8:00am St Luke's: Holy Communion

Book of Common Prayer Led by: Steve Daughtery Preacher: Ian Vallance

10:30am Holy Trinity: Morning Worship

Eco Bees Sunday

Led by: Steve Daughtery
Preacher: Ian Vallance

Readings: 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

John 8:1-11

**Tuesday 7th** 

10.00am Coffee Morning in Cloisters

Wednesday 8th

9.30am Trinity Church Mice in Cloisters

**Thursday 9th** 

10.30am Triangle Bereavement Group

meet in the Cloisters

3.00pm Alpha Coffee Break Course

in the Cloisters

Friday 10th

10.30am Good Book Club in Cloisters

2.00pm Meditation in Church

2.00pm Mahjong Group in the Cloisters5.15pm Worship Band rehearsal in

Church

6.00pm Choir Practice in Church

Saturday 11th

10.30am Flourish Cape Making Workshop

in Cloisters

Sunday 12th – Trinity 17

8.00am St Luke's

Holy Communion (Prayer Book)

Led by: Steve Daughtery

10.30am Holy Trinity Holy Communion

Led by: Clare King

Preacher: Steve Daughtery

## Information

Please note If you would like a visit from any of our Clergy or Pastoral Team please do contact Steve on 01983 872436, or vicar@bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk

Monday is Steve's day-off, and so he is not available on that day except for emergencies.

Closing deadline for all notice sheet entries is 6.00pm Thursday evening.

#### **Church Office hours**

Our secretary, Margaret Jones, is available in the Church Office from 10:00am – 5.00pm on Friday. office@bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk

**Greatly Appreciated Donations** 

Parish Giving Scheme is a great way to support the work of Holy Trinity and it saves our Treasurer a lot of time. You can amend your giving by calling the Parish Giving Scheme 03330021271 with the Parish Code 290629124 or <a href="mailto:info@parishgiving.org.uk">info@parishgiving.org.uk</a>.

A Retiring Collection is taken every Sunday at the back of Church on the brass plate

### Other Ways of Giving

You can also make donations by Standing

Order or by bank transfer:

The PCC of Holy Trinity Church Bembridge

Account number: 00516510

Sort code: 30 97 21

**Safeguarding**. You may contact our Safeguarding Officer, Christine Behan on 07724 148188, <u>safeguarding@bembridgeholy</u> trinity.org.uk

**Our Website Address** 

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Our purpose: to be disciples of Jesus who whole-heartedly love God, our world and each other

THIS WEEK
AT HOLY TRINITY
5th October 2025

## **Pew News & Events**

Welcome to Holy Trinity Church. If this is your first visit to us please do introduce yourself to us as we would love to meet you. If you would like to join one of the many groups we run or if you would like to chat to Steve, our Vicar, please do contact him (see overleaf).

## **Message from the Churchwardens**

As we celebrate the goodness of God's bounty in this week's Harvest services, we are so grateful for our wonderful team of flower ladies, led by Marion, who always make our church a true celebration of the season with their stunning arrays of autumn fruits thank you ladies. Our collection of non-perishable gifts will go to Needs and Seeds as a tangible expression of our gratitude for God's many blessings and a way to share with those most in need. October is also turning out to be month of journeys... Whether you are starting or continuing your faith journey by attending ALPHA, going along to a new Home Group or, like Andrew, undertaking a physical and spiritual challenge, our prayers are with you. As you know, Andrew is now on his 70 mile Camino walk for Cure Parkinsons and we pray for his steps to be blessed and that his efforts bring hope and healing. Wishing you all a week filled with blessings, growth, and grace, from Andrew & Toni

## Alpha Coffee Break Alpha Course

Thursday 9th October . 3.00pm-4.30pm in the Cloisters small room and then weekly till Christmas. Have a coffee, Meet friends, Watch a short video, see what you think. There are some invitations at the back so please ask friends. Contact Jackie (07594 448285) or Margaret (07506 566523) to confirm if you are intending to come.

#### Meditation in Church - Fridays 2pm

This short time of mediation and reflection on Fridays weekly at 2pm. Everyone welcome. Contact George 875204.

### **Mahjong Group**

We are meeting again every Friday at 2pm in The Cloisters. All welcome – seasoned players and newcomers! See Anne Larpent for further information.

# Diary update

#### **News from the Mousehole.**

Apples were the theme of our harvest celebrations this week in the mouse hole, and we wondered if you knew that you are the apple of God's eye. As well as printing with little apples and weighing big apples, the mice stirred up delicious apple mixture and having listened to a story called Apple Cake, they went home clutching delicious hot cakes! Next week will have an autumnal feel and we will be meeting Joseph in his colourful coat. Love Sally, Caroline, and the team.

#### **Good Book Club**

The Good Book Club gather on a Friday morning to talk about the readings from The Bible in One Year. 10.30am every Friday morning, in the Cloisters.

#### **Triangle Bereavement Group**

This welcoming group offers friendship and support to anyone who is bereaved either recently or long ago. We gather on a Thursday morning in The Cloisters and for more information please call Fran on 717436 or email fran.weil44@gmail.com

#### Coffee in the Cloisters Tuesday Mornings Coffee-in-the-Cloisters every Tuesday from 10am till Noon. Come along and enjoy coffee (or tea), cake and company. See old friends and meet new.

#### Save the date - 27th November

Friends of Holy Trinity Advent Parish Drinks in Church from 6pm–8pm. An opportunity to mark the beginning of Advent and hear about the projects funded by Friends. Pay bar and comp canapes!

#### Flourish News

On Friday 19th Sept. we had our first combined KS1 & KS2 Flourish Family Event at Bembridge Primary School, & we give thanks & all glory to God for how wonderfully it all went! Children & family members have returned to us & there is a warmth & a real sense of family developing, which is very promising! The children are thoroughly enjoying themselves & gaining confidence in participating and leading. Please pray for our next event on the 17th October. Special thanks to ALL who support at the Events themselves, & through essential prayer. Love Heather.

# Prayer and Thanks

#### **Our Dear Departed**

Please do pray for the family and friends of: -

Mark Young Tony Rust Mavis Crayton William Wakeford Iain Munroe Peter Lamb

#### **Buildings Update**

The boiler room roof has been replaced; the tower and west wall pointing is being finished; the clock face has been regilded, and the clock mechanism serviced and it is in a working order. The tower stone steps are felt to be unsafe and therefore we have not been able to access the winding mechanism. We have now received approval of our repair method, and so we hope to have everything safe, clean and working in the next 2-3 weeks. Work will soon begin on redecorating the front porch; and levelling the entrance floor to ease access; we are awaiting planning permission to install the glass door which is likely to take some time. Meanwhile at St Luke's the very uneven path has been beautifully paved and the drains are being repaired.

#### **The Prayer Circle**

If you would like the Prayer Circle to pray for you please contact us on the numbers below. Your prayer request will be treated in strict confidence and only passed to the members of the prayer circle who will be happy to pray for you. Please contact either Janet 873257, Jean 873507, Margaret 07508 566523 or the churchwardens.

#### Andrew's Camino Walk for Cure Parkinson's

October is "Walk to Cure Parkinson's Month". Your churchwarden Andrew is undertaking a sponsored walk for the charity along the 70 miles of the final stages of the Camino pilgrimage trail in Spain to Santiago de Compostella. If you feel able to support this important cause please visit his fundraising page at: <a href="https://www.justgiving.com/page/andrew-larpent-1">https://www.justgiving.com/page/andrew-larpent-1</a> or pick up a leaflet at the back of the church. Many thanks for any and all support. Andrew

#### **Mission Partners**

This month we pray for our Mission Partners A Rocha UK & Pop's Wood Nature Reserve.