

# At a glance

## Sunday 18th January

### 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

8:00am St Luke's: Holy Communion  
Book of Common Prayer  
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*

10:30am Holy Trinity: Morning Worship  
Trinity Church Mice Sunday  
Led by: *Clare King*  
Preacher: *Steve Daughtery*  
Readings: Luke 9:22-26  
John 14:15-27

## Monday 19th

2.00pm Funeral Service for Richard Dove  
at St Luke's Chapel

## Tuesday 20th

10.00am Coffee Morning in the Cloisters

## Wednesday 21st

9.30am Trinity Church Mice in Cloisters

## Thursday 22nd

10.30am Bereavement Triangle Group  
meet in the Cloisters

6.30pm Hope Explored Course Cloisters

## Friday 23rd

10.30am Good Book Club in Cloisters

2.00pm Meditation in Church

2.00pm Mahjong in Cloisters

5.00pm Worship Band Rehearsal

6.00pm Choir Practice in Church

## Sunday 25th – 3rd Sunday of Epiphany

8.00am St Luke's  
Holy Communion (Prayer Book)  
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*

10.30am Holy Trinity – Morning Worship  
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*

4.00pm Contemporary Worship Service  
in Church

# 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](mailto: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](mailto: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 [info@parishgiving.org.uk](mailto:info@parishgiving.org.uk).

**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, [safeguarding@bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk)

## Our Website Address

[www.bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk](http://www.bembridgeholytrinity.org.uk)

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



**THIS WEEK  
AT HOLY TRINITY  
18th January 2026**

# 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 look out of our windows on a dismal January day (and we've had more than a few), or tune in to the news, it's easy to feel tired, discouraged, and as though there is very little we can do to make a difference. Our faith, however, gently reminds us otherwise. Small acts of kindness—a friendly word, a helping hand, or simply taking time to listen—really do matter. They can brighten someone's day and quietly pass on hope. And when we pray, we are never doing "nothing"; we are placing the world, and one another, into God's loving care. Our Holy Trinity family is so wonderful at living this out—please don't underestimate the difference you make. We may never fully know the impact of our prayers or the everyday ways we live out our faith, but through them, each of us helps to spread light and encouragement to those around us. Andrew & Toni.

Just a reminder to speak to one of us if you would like to sponsor the church illumination for a loved one. We're keeping the lights on until Lent.

## Illuminated with love at Christmas Time

The church is illuminated this week by Sylvia, in loving memory of Clive.

Though I sit in darkness, the Lord will be a light to me (Micah 7:8)

## Island wide churches celebration

An evening of praise, worship and teaching with Pete Greig founder of the 24/7 Prayer movement. Friday 30th January 7.30pm Cowes Enterprise college Crossfield Avenue PO31 8HB. For more details please speak to Andy or Virginia Hough.

# Diary update

## News from the Mousehole.

Hooray, we opened the Mouse hole this Wednesday and the mice came scampering in! We celebrated Epiphany by making fabulous gold crowns covered in jewels and followed in the footsteps of the wise men who followed the star to find Jesus. Next week Jesus is taking us with him on his visit to temple. I wonder who we will see? Love Sally, Caroline, and the Church Mice team.

## 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](mailto: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.

## Hope Explored Course

Running over three consecutive weeks on 15th, 22nd and 29th January 2026 inclusive.

The first session is titled Hope, the second Peace and the third Purpose.

Each session will be led by Dr Clare King in the Cloisters from 6.30pm – 8pm. Contact Clare for further info!

## Note for your Diary

We are hoping to hold an experimental informal contemporary worship service on Sunday 25th January at 4pm in Church. If you think you would enjoy this sort of service please do feel free to come along.

# Prayer and Thanks

## Our Dear Departed

Please do pray for the family and friends of: - Clive Dove, Patricia Frankland, Mark Jacobs John Sandiford-Haigh, Christine Saunders and Stanley Skinner

## 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.

## Needs and Seeds

A box for non-perishable items of food and toiletries is at the back of church for your kind gifts to those in need.

## Flourish

Last Thursday, I took a Flourish Collective Worship where the whole school sang the new iSingPop song, that our leads are learning for the Event next Friday. This was followed by a current favourite 'World Changer', which they requested! So much enthusiasm to worship God with these different style songs, is wonderful to see! Love Heather x

## Good Book Club

The thoughts and prayers of the Good Book Club are with the family of Yvonne Denby today. Yvonne, a much-loved member of our group, who taught us all so much about Bible, will always be with us in spirit when we meet each week. We began reading the Bible from the beginning again, using The Bible in One Year App, at the start of the new year and we meet up on Fridays at 10.30am to chat about it. All welcome. Sally & Caroline.