

At a glance

Sunday 15th February

Sunday next before Lent

- 8:00am St Luke's: Holy Communion
Book of Common Prayer
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*
Preacher: *Clare King*
- 10:30am Holy Trinity: Morning Worship
Trinity Church Mice Sunday
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*
Preacher: *Clare King*
Readings: Psalm 30:1-5; 11-12
John 16:26 – 15-22
- 3.00pm Digging Deeper Bible Study
In the Cloisters

Tuesday 17th

- 10.00am Coffee Morning in the Cloisters

Wednesday 18th – Ash Wednesday

- 11.00am Funeral Service for Kathleen
Hathway at St Luke's
- 7.00pm Ash Wednesday Holy
Communion in Church

Thursday 19th

- 10.30am Bereavement Triangle Group
in the Cloisters

Friday 20th

- 10.30am Good Book Club in Cloisters
- 2.00pm Meditation in Church
- 2.00pm Mahjong in Cloisters
- 6.00pm Choir Practice in Church

Sunday 22nd February

1st Sunday of Lent

- 8.00am St Luke's
Holy Communion (Prayer Book)
Led by: *Steve Daughtery*
- 10.30am Holy Trinity – Morning Worship
Led by: Andy Hough
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@bembridgeholymtrinity.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@bembridgeholymtrinity.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.

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@bembridgeholymtrinity.org.uk

Our Website Address

www.bembridgeholymtrinity.org.uk

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



**THIS WEEK
AT HOLY TRINITY
15th February 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

This week we mark the beginning of Lent in the Church calendar. Many of us will be enjoying time with family as the schoolchildren begin their half-term break, and we may well be facing the important question of what to choose on our pancakes — lemon and sugar, maple syrup, Nutella, or perhaps a savoury option (other chocolate hazelnut spreads are, of course, available!). Yet Lent is about more than pancakes. The forty days leading up to Easter are often described as a kind of spiritual spring clean — a time for preparation, reflection, repentance and prayer. Some people mark the season by giving something up or taking something on, as a way of refocusing their hearts and minds. Above all, Lent offers us the opportunity to pause, to notice the small blessings of everyday life, and to prepare ourselves for the greatest story of hope — revealed in Jesus' death and resurrection. With every blessing for the week ahead, Andrew & Toni

Illuminated with love at Christmas Time

The church illuminations are kindly sponsored this week by Sheila and David, in loving memory of Mike.

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

All Island Prayer Meeting

'Pray the Wight'

Saturday 28th February at True Vine Church Newport. Bembridge area prayers are scheduled for 11.15am–12.15pm. All welcome!

Diary update

News from the Mousehole.

The Mice enjoyed another lovely gathering in the mousehole on Wednesday. God blessed us again with a dry sunny morning, so we made the most of being out in the fresh air. The mice enjoyed printing beautiful bouquets of paper hearts and went home clutching these treasures to give to someone they love. Our worship was particularly wild and wonderful at the end of the morning! The Mousehole will be open this Sunday and then we are on a half term break for two weeks and will open the Mousehole again on Wednesday 4 March. 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

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.

Life Explored Course

This seven week course led by Dr Clare King covers 6 original stories exploring our longing for more. Each session focuses on different ways to find happiness with a silent film a talk and a bible passage to study.

Thursdays at 6.30pm – 7.45pm in the Cloisters beginning on 19th March.

Places are limited so there is a sign up form at the back of Church or email Clare on clareking70@gmail.com if you would like to attend.

"Digging Deeper"

The next date for the Digging Deeper Bible Study will be this week the 15th Feb. We meet at 3pm in the Cloisters. This month we shall begin a series looking at Ephesians, Ephesians Chapter 1 verse 1 - 14."

For more information Contact

- tim@darmain.plus.com

Prayer and Thanks

Our Dear Departed

Please do pray for the family and friends of: - Mark Jacobs, Stanley Skinner, Geraldine Rayner, Sheila Clarke, Kathleen Hathway, Denis Donovan and Jan Yeats

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

The children are really enjoying all that we do within Flourish, between each Event & of course the Events themselves! One of the wonders this month was learning about how David overcame the giant Goliath, & to help visualise, we made a paper cut out, 9ft giant!

Love Heather x

Good Book Club

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 10.30 am to chat about it. All welcome. Sally and Caroline

Word for Today

There are some new, free, 'Word for Today' bible study notes at the back of the church for Feb, March, April. Please help yourselves.