# News for you from Hrice Rhay 4th July, 2025



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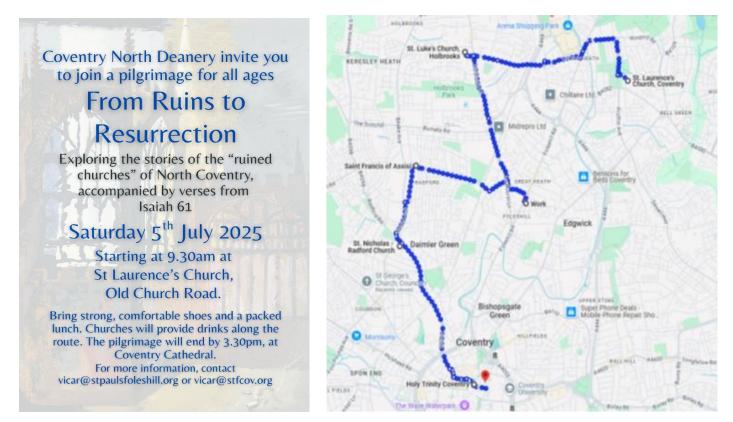
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Calendar of Worship & Events			
6 July 2025 3rd Sunday after Trinity	9.30am	Morning Worship	Preacher: Revd Canon Richard Hibbert Theme: Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen Readings: Genesis 1:1-10
	11.15am	Holy Communion	Preacher: Revd Canon Richard Hibbert Theme: Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen Readings: Genesis 1:1-10 / John 1:1-5
	1.00pm -3.00pm	The Table @ Trinity House	Leader: Siby Moleakunnel
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Leader: Simon Brake Readings: Psalm 65 / Genesis 29:1-20 / Mark 6:7-29
9 July 2025	12.00pm	Holy Communion	Leader: Revd John Price
	9.30am	Holy Communion	Preacher: Simon Brake Theme: We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father Readings: Hebrews 2: 5-18
13 July 2025 4th Sunday after Trinity	11.15am	Holy Communion	Preacher: Simon Brake Theme: We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father Readings: Hebrews 2.5-18 / Luke 1: 26-38
	1.00pm -3.00pm	The Table @ Trinity House	Leader: Siby Moleakunnel

To watch our live /recorded services, please subscribe to our YouTube channel: Holy Trinity Coventry. The inserts for this Sunday's <u>11.15am</u> and <u>5.00pm</u> services can be found here.

#### A word from Richard: – <u>No doubting Thomas</u>

#### Pilgrimage for All Ages, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> July



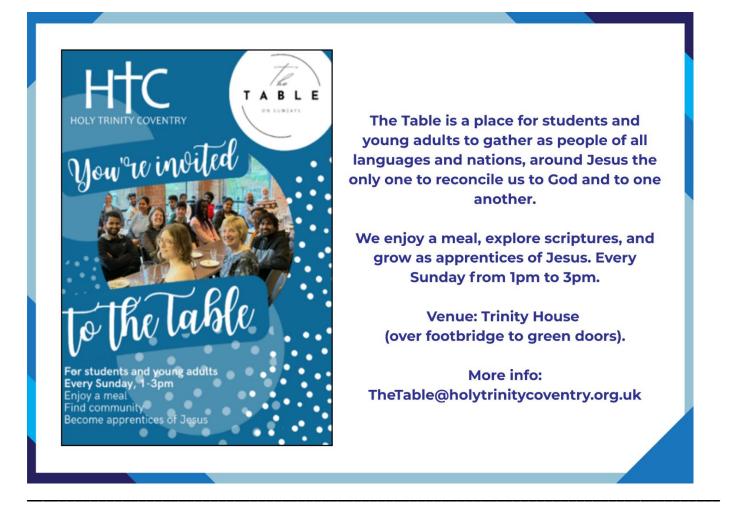
Join churches across Coventry North to explore our heritage and find hope in the many stories.

HTC will also be part of this pilgrimage with the priory ruins.

The Pilgrimage is family friendly, starting at 9.30am at St Lawrence's in Foleshill and will end at 3.30pm at the cathedral. The full walk is just over 6miles.

If you are planning on coming and would like to go from HTC, meet at HTC at 8.40am or be at the 22 bus stop on Trinity Street leaving at 8.50am or speak to Carolyne <u>carolynepowell@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk</u>

Experience the Picture of God's Heavenly Banquet and Grow as a Disciple of Christ The Table - Sundays 1pm – 3pm. For Young Adults and Students



#### Monthly Prayer Meeting – MONDAY 7<sup>th</sup> July

Gather with Nick Jackson and several others in **Trinity House at 7.30pm** to pray together for an hour, for our church and our world. Please join the regulars for this vital spiritual pump-priming time.

#### Children's Ministry – Sunday services (except 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month)

**9.30am** – children are invited to attend their own learning in Trinity House (Church Centre). They leave shortly after the start of the service, and are seen again at refreshments, held in Trinity House. For more information, please email kerihusband@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk

**11.15am** – children are invited to attend their own learning in the choir vestries. They leave shortly after the start of the service and are seen again during The Peace. For more information, please email <u>andrewselwyn@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk</u>

#### Youth ministry –

6pm – young people gather at Trinity House with their team of leaders, finishing at 8.00pm every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month. For further details, please speak or email: <u>youthandfamilies@holytrinitycoventry.org.uk</u>

### **Office Space for Rent at Trinity House**



T:0247 622 0418 or visit our website: www.holytrinitycoventry.org.uk

## Novi Most: Mission focus for July 2025



We are giving a reason to stay

Novi Most was set up in the wake of the Bosnian civil war in the 1990s. Even now, tension remains between the Bosnian, Serb and Croat groups, and the country is beset by corruption and high youth unemployment. Novi Most means 'New Bridge' and they bring young people together from all ethnic groups for activities such as music, art, sports, and camps, along with worship and discipleship. One leader says, 'I believe this is the power and hope of the gospel, that we can leave the past behind us and be united in Christ.' For more information, see: https://www.novimost.org

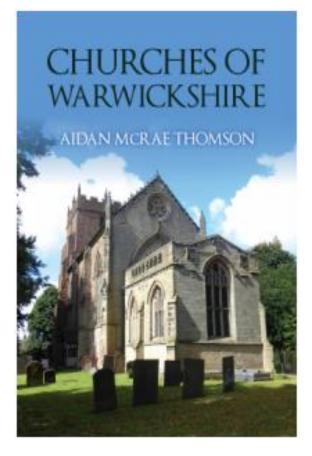
#### Free Saturday Recital – July 12<sup>th</sup> at 1.00pm



#### Called: Mission, Ministry & Me - Exploring Vocation Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July from 10am to 4pm



### Churches of Warwickshire by Aidan McRae Thomson – Available 15<sup>th</sup> July



Aidan McRae Thomson is an artist and restorer who has worked in stained glass for over twenty years and also a well-travelled photographer who has studied, written and lectured on the subject. His book, Churches of Warwickshire features 60 churches in all and is a fascinating exploration of Warwickshire's historic churches. More information about the book can be found here: <u>Churches of Warwickshire</u>

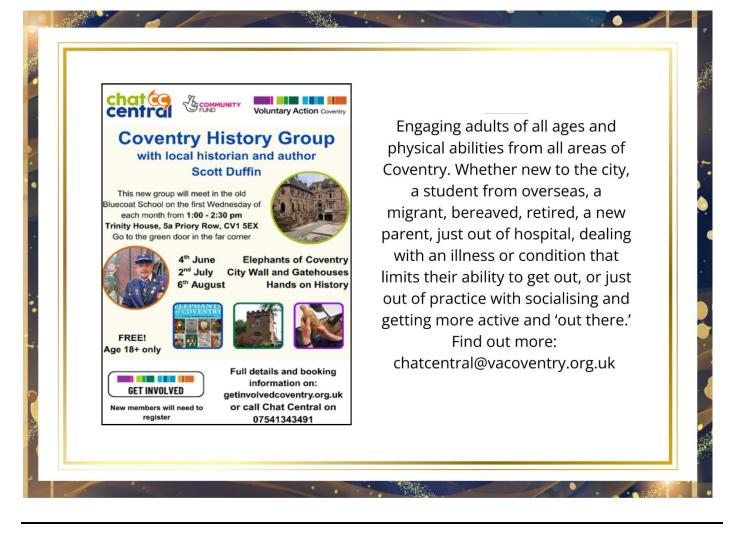
Churches of Warwickshire will be available from 15<sup>th</sup> July in bookshops, museums and heritage sites across the country. It will also be available to order online from Amazon or via <u>www.amberley-books.com</u>, and in E-book format as well for people with Kindles.

#### Watch: The Historical Reliability of the Merneptah Stele



What does a 3,200year old Egyptian stone have to do with the Bible? In this video, Josh Meynell explores the Merneptah Stele, one of the earliest known mentions of Israel outside of the Bible. The Merneptah Stele is a fascinating glimpse into history that connects archaeology with scripture. <u>Watch now</u>

Voluntary Action Coventry 'Chat Central' - History Group, Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> August at 12.45pm



#### **Coventry Foodbank – current needs for July 2025:**

- Tinned Vegetables
- Cooking Sauce
- Biscuits
- Jam
- Male Toiletries

- Female Toiletries
- UHT Long-Life Milk
- Instant mash potato
- Dry noodles
- Please place in the Foodbank Collection Basket by the church's Welcome Desk. Donated items must be long-dated and in good condition or will be thrown away.

#### **Security Reminder!**

**Your valuables** - please take your valuables (e.g. handbag) with you when you go forward to take Communion.

Your children - please accompany your children if they need the toilet.

#### For your prayers this week:

Give thanks for:

- Power of prayer to change things and our monthly prayer meeting (this Monday)
- Those who often sit near you in church, and pray for them.
- The safe delivery of Seshan Timothy Peiris, a son to Sarinda and Thilini, and pray for mum and baby to settle quickly.

Pray for:

- Deanery of Coventry North pilgrimage to strengthen links to our church's past and our links today.
- Our welcome and warmth to be evident to all who enter Holy Trinity
- Increasing numbers of church members to give through the Parish Giving Scheme.
- Growth in our church's income to cover our expenditure.
- Our church Architect and Buildings & Fabric group, and plans for IT screens/new speakers/west end redevelopment of tech desk, welcome desk & server.
- Faculty to be received for installing the refurbished pipe organ.
- NoviMost (July's HTC mission partner), and their youth ministry of evangelism and discipleship-making.
- Revd Canon Richard offering a keynote speech at the Lord Mayor's Remembering Srebrenica 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary.
- The next Archbishop of Canterbury to be unifying for the Church of England.
- Church of England's General Synod, preparing to meet next week in York.
- Just and fair peace across our world, especially Ukraine, Iran, Gaza, Israel, Sudan, and the staying of the hands of the men and women of violence.
- The family and friends of Charlotte Urquhart, mourning her death.

#### Every blessing to you, Richard

Revd Canon Richard Hibbert Vicar, Holy Trinity Coventry Chaplain to the Lord Mayor of Coventry Chaplain to the Freemen's Guild of Coventry Mob: 07385 641166 Tel: 024 7679 7424