



Parishes of

**Alfrick-w-Lulsley; Crown East, Rushwick; Suckley;
Leigh & Bransford; Lower Teme Valley; Martley and
Wichenford**

Pew Sheet for 24th March 2024

24th March 2024—Palm Sunday

11.00 am Cob House and Fisheries Benefice Service

6.00 pm Martley Holy Communion

31st March 2024—Easter Sunday

6.00 am Leigh/Bransford Sunrise service

9.00 am Alfrick Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion

10.30 am Martley Easter Holy Communion

10.30am Wichford Easter Holy Communion

10.30 am Broadwas Easter Holy Communion

10.30 am Crown East Common Worship Holy Communion

10.30 am Suckley Family Holy Communion

7th April 2024—Easter 1

10.30 am Leigh Common Worship Holy Communion

10.30am Martley Common Worship Holy Communion

10.30 am Broadwas Worship for all

4.00 pm Suckley Informal Worship

6.00 pm Alfrick Evensong

6.00pm Cotheridge Evensong

14th April 2024—Easter 2

9.00 am Bransford Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion (said)

10.30 am Wichford Common Worship Holy Communion

10.30 am Crown East Common Worship Holy Communion

3.00 pm Broadwas Civic Service

3.00 pm Knightwick Evening Worship

**Please note our annual Benefice Palm Sunday service will take place
at THE COB HOUSE and FISHERIES in front of the cafe at 11.00 am.**

Collect for Palm Sunday

True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah: grant us the faith to know you and love you, that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross, which is the path of glory.

Readings for Palm Sunday

Mark 11.1-11 or John 12.12-16, Psalm 118.1-2,19-24*

Lent Lunches at Alfrick Village Hall

The last of the Lent Lunches will be held at 12.30pm at Alfrick Village Hall on Wednesday 27th March 2024. Join us for bread, cheese and a bowl of soup. Offers of soup would be great.

APCMs in the Worcester West Rural Team

The following dates have been agreed for the 2024 APCMs:

Alfrick – Monday 8 th April at 7.00 pm

Leigh – Tuesday 9 th April at 7.00 pm

LTV – Thursday 11 th April at 7.00 pm

Wichenford – Tuesday 16 th April at 7.00 pm

Suckley – Wednesday 17 th April at 7.00 pm

Martley – Sunday 21 st April at 11.30 am

Crown East – Sunday 28 th April at 12 noon

Quiz Night in Aid of St Edburga Church in Leigh

St Edburga Church are organising a Quiz which will be held at The Fold in Bransford on the 12th April 2024. Tickets cost £5 each and are available from: Alfrick Shop or Jean Colley (07850 233320, jean_colley@btinternet.com)

Reaching those moving into new housing

The Diocese have developed a 'welcome' pack to help parishes to reach out to new homes being built in their local area.

More details can be found here: <https://www.cofe-worcester.org.uk/news/reaching-those-moving-into-new-homes.php>

Celebrating the Ministry of Women

2024 marks 30 years since women were first ordained priest. A special service to celebrate the anniversary and all that has been achieved since then will be held at Pershore Abbey on Thursday 20 June at 7pm.

Services during Holy Week

Monday 25th March

11.00am	Chrism Service	Worcester Cathedral
7.00 pm	Compline	Alfrick
7.00pm	Compline	Cotheridge

Tuesday 26th March

9.00pm	Compline	Wichenford
7.00 pm	Compline	Crown East

Wednesday 27th March

10.00 am	Holy Communion	Suckley
10.15 am	Holy Communion	Heaton House
9.00pm	Compline	Broadwas

Maundy Thursday 28th March

7.00pm	Maundy Thursday Service	Leigh
7.00pm	Maundy Thursday HC	Martley

Good Friday 29th March

10am-12pm	Childrens Workshop	Suckley
12pm-3pm	Three hour devotions	Martley
6.00 pm	Choral Devotional	Leigh

Saturday 30th March

9.00pm	Tenebrae	Knightwick
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“THE CROSS of CHRIST”



**A Meditation of words & sacred music for Choir &
Congregation**

**LEIGH St EDBURGA Church
on GOOD FRIDAY, 29th March at 6 p.m.**

St Mary Magdalene Church Alfrick – Sundial Fund Raiser.

SATURDAY 20th APRIL

7.30 IN ALFRICK VILLAGE HALL.

TALK BY

CHRISTIAN LEWIS, with KATE and MAGNUS

Chris completed a walk round the whole coast of the UK, including all the islands.

The Walk took 6 years and along the way he was joined by a dog, Jet, met Kate and had Magnus with her.

During lockdown he lived on his own with Jet on an uninhabited island off Shetland with food being delivered by boat.

Come and listen to the whole story.

Saturday 20th April 2024

7.30 Alfrick Village Hall.

£10.00 per ticket + Bar and Raffle.

Opening times of church buildings for private prayer

Crown East - Closed

Suckley— Open 10am to 5pm Weds, Sat and Sun in term time, and daily in the holidays

Alfrick - Everyday

Leigh - Everyday 10am - 4pm

Broadwas - Everyday 11am—5pm

Cotheridge - Everyday 9am - 5pm

Wichenford Everyday 10am—4pm

Martley - Everyday

Contact details for the Clergy:-

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If you have an administration query or would like something added to A Church Near You please contact

Alison Khan on 07984 748059 or leighrectory@outlook.com

For those of you with computers, iPads or other such 'modern technology' you will continue to find worship through our youtube [wwrtlive1](#)

Other information can be found on individual church pages on A Church Near You and our Facebook pages www.facebook.com/Worcesterwestruralteam www.facebook.com/suckleychurch