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

Pew Sheet for the 22nd November 2026

Sunday 22nd November – Christ the King/1st Sunday before Advent

9.00 am Common Worship Holy Communion Alfrick
10.30 am Common Worship Holy Communion Martley
10.30 am Common Worship Holy Communion Crown East
10.30 am Morning Worship Broadwas

Sunday 29th November – Advent Sunday

10.30am Benefice Advent Carol Service Leigh

This will be Anne's last service before retiring. All welcome to the service and a lunch afterwards at Leigh and Bransford Memorial Hall

Sunday 6th December – 1st Sunday after Advent

9.00 am Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion Cotheridge
10.30 am Common Worship Holy Communion Leigh
10.30am Common Worship Holy Communion Martley
10.30 am All age Service Broadwas
4.00 pm Christingle and Tree Suckley
6.00pm Evensong Alfrick

Sunday 13th December – 2nd Sunday after Advent

9.00 am Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion(said) Bransford
12.00 am Farmers Market, The Talbot, Knightwick
3.00 pm Carols Knightwick
4.00 pm Carols/Christingle Crown East
4.00 pm Carol Service Wichenford

Collect for the Sunday before Advent
God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory

.

Readings for the Sunday before Advent
Ezekiel 34.11-16,20-24, Psalm 95.1-7, Ephesians 1.15-end, Matthew 25.31-end

Midweek Communion during November 2026
Wednesday 25th November at Martley Memorial Hall at 10.15am
A special midweek communion when the Martley Primary School choir will entertain with Christmas songs and Carols

29th November - Advent Carol service - Leigh Church 10.30 am.
This will be Anne's last service before retiring. There will be an extended choir and Animato. All welcome to the service and a lunch afterwards at Leigh and Bransford Memorial Hall.

Archbishop Sarah to visit Worcestershire
The Archbishop of Canterbury, Sarah Mullally will visit the Diocese over the weekend of 6 and 7 February. She will spend two days in the Diocese visiting churches and meeting with a range of people; hearing some of our stories and offering encouragement.

Saturday will end in the Cathedral at 7.30pm, where all are welcome to come along to an event where Archbishop Sarah will be interviewed by a panel of young people. There will also be a chance to pray and worship together. So put the date in your diary.

Fundraising News
Thank you to all who took part in St Edburga's Quiz Night last Friday. It raised somewhere in the region of £400 for our Kitchen & Toilet Project. A fun night for all!

And next we have a Bingo night on 4th December - again in Leigh Memorial Hall with doors opening at 6:15 & eyes down at 7. Please do join us.

Handmade Xmas Craft Sale

The crafters of St Thomas' in Crown East have been at it again! They have crafted some lovely handmade Christmas decorations that will brighten up any home. Collection or delivery can be arranged and they will be at several events across the WWRT selling their wares

What's available:

Christmas Cracker napkins with chocolates included £3

Knitted Tree Decorations £2

Christmas Stars £4

Diamond Worked Tree Decorations £2

Lavender Bags £1.50

Mix and Match any 3 £2 gift for £5





Opening times of church buildings for private prayer

Crown East - Everyday 9am – 5pm
Suckley– Open 10am to 5pm Weds, Sat and Sun in term time, and daily in the holidays
Alfrick - Everyday
Leigh - Everyday 10am - 6pm (from 30th March—4pm till then)
Broadwas - Everyday 11am—5pm
Cotheridge - Everyday 9am - 5pm
Wichenford Everyday10am—4pm
Martley - Everyday

Contact details for the Clergy:-

Team Rector:
Rev Anne Potter 01886 832355 revannepotter@gmail.com.

Team Curate:
Rev Sally Knowles, 07702 727449 sallyp88@btinternet.com

Assistant Priests
Rev Jennifer Whittaker 01886 833897 revjenwhittaker@gmail.com
Rev Mike Gardner 01905 957266 or 07546112841
revd.mike@yahoo.co.uk
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