

Alternative Bereavement Service

In previous years we have run a **Memorial Service** designed for those for whom we have led funeral services in the recent past. Unfortunately, we need to do things differently this year, but we hope you will be able to join in with what we have planned.



We would like to invite you to share the name of someone who has been part of your life and has sadly died this year, by writing it on a label. There will be a designated place to put your label which we are calling

‘The Forget-me-not Place...remembering our loved ones’

There will be a **Forget-me-not Place** outside each of the five churches in the Parish of Kidderminster East where you will be able to tie this label (labels will be available at the **Place**). You can leave your label there on any day during the week leading up to **Remembrance Sunday** (see overleaf).

Alternatively, if you can't get to a church, you are welcome simply to phone or [email the office](#) with the name of the loved one you would like us to include in the service (full office contact details are on back page of the main newsletter).

Then, **at 7:00pm every day** of that week

Monday 2nd November to Friday 6th November,

you are invited to join us for a short **on-line act of remembrance**, via a live-streamed on our [Facebook page](#).

Your loved one's name will be included during the service for that day.

Remembrance Sunday

8th November



We invite you to bring a cross to one of our churches for **Remembrance Sunday**. Each of our churches will have a designated outside area to “plant” your cross. The areas will be clearly signposted, and you can bring them any time in the days leading up to **Remembrance Sunday**, or on the day.



Church	Area to plant your Cross
St Cassian's	The Memorial
St Cecilia's	At the front of the building
St Chad's	The garden at the rear of the building
St George's	Grass to the right-hand side of the porch
St Mary's, Stone	The Memorial

Crosses can be sourced from the [Royal British Legion Online Shop](#) (which is a way to make a donation to the Royal British Legion fund. The fund provides lifelong support to thousands of serving men and women, veterans, and their families), or you can simply make your own from two lolly sticks or similar.

See the **back page of the main newsletter** for details of the **Remembrance Day Services** at each of our churches on **Sunday 8th November**.