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Directions and parking

Holy Trinity Church and The Trinity Centre are located at the heart of Meole Brace Village. There's been a church here for over a thousand years, and this is a holy place enjoyed daily by hundreds of people.

In travelling here - and parking considerately - we ask for your support in keeping this a special place for all.

Finding Us

Holy Trinity Church and The Trinity Centre

Church Road, Meole Brace,
Shrewsbury SY3 9HF

01743 362399 (Church Office) or
01743 242660 (Trinity Centre)

info@trinitychurches.org (Office) or
helen.hinton@trinitychurches.org
(Trinity Centre)



COMING BY CAR (Directions from Meole Brace Roundabout)

Follow signs towards Town Centre, taking you over a small bridge. Keep left. Go past the Brooklands Pub, and continue about half a mile and turn left at the next roundabout.

Go past the Meole Brace School on your left and at the end of their grounds look for a crossroads. Turn left onto Stanley Lane.

Continue along Stanley Lane, over the railway bridge and round the bends until you come to a sharp bend to the left. On the brow of that bend is a right turning onto Church Road. Turn right here.

SATNAV: The postcode for the Trinity Centre, on some satnavs, takes you to the rear gate - if you come to a narrow set of black gates to a long drive which are closed and you can't see the church building, that is what has happened. Turn around and keep bearing left until you reach Church Road.

USING PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Times to and from Shrewsbury Bus Station can be found on the ArrivaBus website, with Number 26 going to Meole Village. Alight at the Victoria Road junction then double back on foot, turning right at Church Road.

TRAVELLING BY BICYCLE

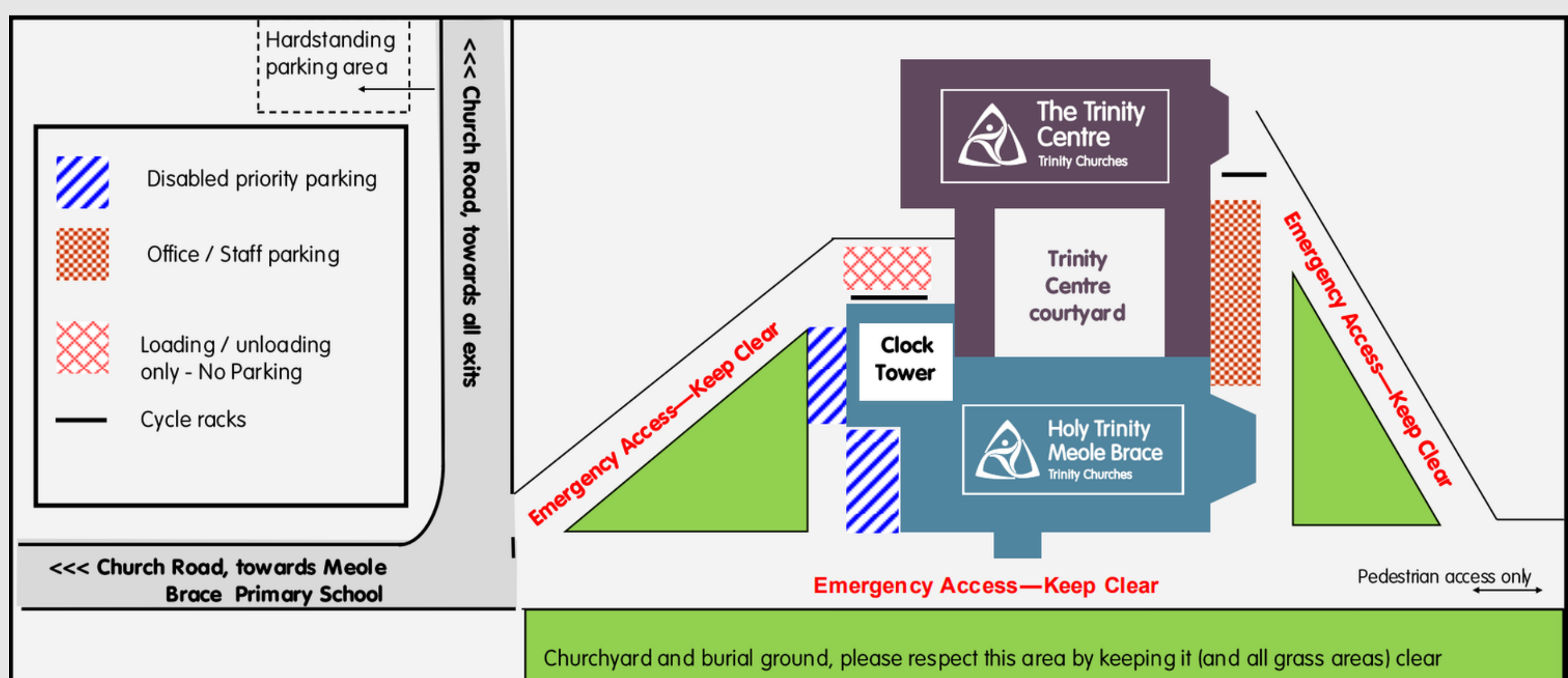
There are cycle racks situated by the entrance to the Trinity Centre, where you can lock your cycles securely. Please note that whilst this area is well lit and well attended, we cannot take responsibility for the safety of your bicycles in this area.

PARKING FOR INDIVIDUALS USING THE CHURCH AND CENTRE

Holy Trinity Church and the Trinity Centre are situated in the heart of Meole Brace village, which also hosts a primary and secondary school, a large number of residential properties, and some old narrow roads. We therefore ask all users of the Church and Trinity Centre to help us in being good neighbours who are considerate with our parking arrangements.

- General Parking. As you enter Church Road there is a hardstanding area on the right, just around the first bend. Vehicles should be parked there. Please allow for three rows of cars to be parked, with the third row aligned with the yellow hashes at the far end (which should be left empty). Please note - this area is a public area owned by the Town Council, and so users of the Church and Trinity Centre have no priority. All cars are parked at the owners risk.
- Disabled Parking. There is limited parking available for disabled people in the church grounds. Please see map below. Disabled/Wheelchair access to the buildings are available via the Trinity Centre entrance. To help with emergency access - and recognising the fact that much of the rest of the site is historic burial ground - parking in any other areas of the church site is not allowed.
- Overflow Parking. If the car park is full, please do not park anywhere along Church Road as this creates a very dangerous bottleneck. On-street parking may usually be found if you turn around and go back to the entrance to Church Road, turn left and immediately left again onto Alexandra Avenue. Please park thoughtfully and considerately, taking care not to block anyone's drives or access.
- Loading and Unloading. Short-term parking in the church grounds is available for loading and unloading of equipment, but we do ask that cars are moved once loading has been completed.
- Approaching the Church and Trinity Centre. For your own safety as well as that of road users, when approaching and leaving the Church and Trinity Centre on foot please use the footpath leading along Church Road, and refrain from walking on the road.

In the unlikely event of a fire, medical emergency or police incident, it is of great importance that we maintain constant access to the front gate, Church porch door, back gate and Trinity Centre entrance for emergency vehicles. We will thus always need to ask any cars parked within these areas to be moved with immediate effect. Thankyou.



PARKING FOR LARGER GROUPS USING THE TRINITY CENTRE AND CHURCH

In planning events it is always important to consider parking arrangements, particularly if you are expecting a large number of people, or your event takes place at the same time as others in the Trinity Centre or Church. The Trinity Centre team are always on hand to offer experience and advice, though any parking stewarding arrangements remain the responsibility of the hirer unless staffing is otherwise arranged with us in advance.

USE OF OVERFLOW PARKING IN MEOLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

For larger evening and weekend events it may be possible for us to gain access to Meole Brace Primary School playground for overspill parking. This is situated about 100 metres away from the Trinity Centre and Church further along Church Road. Management and stewarding of this must be provided by us. For costs of these packages, please contact helen.hinton@trinitychurches.org

- Where events are using overspill parking at the school, the school gates are locked for the duration and stewards return at a pre-arranged time to unlock the car park for clearing. In the interim, keys and a phone number are left with the Welcome Assistant on duty.
- In the event that the event ends earlier than anticipated, or vehicle access is otherwise required in the interim, it is the responsibility of the hirer to retrieve the keys from the Welcome Assistant and open the school gates in a timely manner. Please note that the Welcome Assistant will not be able to leave the building.
- Where the event ends early, the parking steward may then be called by the hirer using the mobile number held by the Welcome Assistant and asked to return and oversee clearing.

Our staff will always do their level best to assist with any issues in a polite and helpful manner. We know that issues related to parking can create a stressful environment, but ask that you reciprocate this spirit of cooperation and respect.

To find out more or
to discuss this further
Contact the Trinity Centre
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