

CHRIST CHURCH SOCIAL COMMITTEE NOTICES

At the recent committee meeting of the Social Committee everyone gave their full support to the Flower Festival weekend at the end of September and we will be making the lists that will be in church giving support to the various events. We are planning to repeat the success of the Christmas Fayre which this year will be held in the Jubilee Rooms and the main body of the church on Saturday 24 November 2012. The success of the various stalls held previously at Tettenhall College will be analysed and the probable outcome will be that we will reduce the number of stalls.

CHRIST CHURCH FLOWER FESTIVAL: 28 - 30 SEPTEMBER 2012

Sponsorship: We are inviting businesses to sponsor a range of flower displays. If you know of a business which would be interested please contact Philip Sims . Tel: 742969.

Memorial Fund: Please consider this as an opportunity to remember loved ones by making a donation towards the festival with names displayed in a Book of Remembrance. A Requiem Mass will be held on the Friday morning 28 Sept. at 10.00am. For more information contact Margaret Boxall. Tel: 743268.

Work Parties: 08 & 22 September to prepare for the festival. All offers of help would be gratefully received. Contact Angela or Phil Dent.

PASTORAL: BOTH CHURCHES

If you are aware of any member of our congregations who is unwell, going into hospital or just struggling in general, please let us know:

For Christ Church contact Veronica Milward on 01902 763468 or Liz Biddulph on 01902 764456.

For Good Shepherd contact Chris Nickholds on 01902 753969 or Jane Brough on 01902 762605.

Rev Carol Harley is available for anyone who would like a confidential conversation about any matter. To make an appointment, please call her on 01902 755316.

Find us online at: www.christchurchtettenhallwood.co.uk
www.goodshepherdcastlecroft.co.uk

email: info@christchurchtettenhallwood.co.uk

Parish Office: 01902 238988

Rector's E-Mail: Rev Phil Wootton is contactable by e-mail at philwootton@sky.com This replaces any previous addresses. The Rectory phone number is still 751116.

PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and The Church of the Good Shepherd for the week beginning Sunday 19 August 2012 Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

Today's services:

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Simon Douglas from St Michael's*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Rev Phil Wootton*

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Rev Phil Wootton*

Fairtrade goods on sale after the service today.

The Collect

God of glory,
the end of our searching,
help us to lay aside
all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom,
and to give all that we have
to gain the pearl beyond all price,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayer After Communion

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people
have celebrated that one true sacrifice
which takes away our sin and brings pardon and peace:
by our communion
keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel
and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER POINTS:

Please include these items in your prayers this week.

- ▶ Our Emergency Services
- ▶ Those who take out Home Communion
- ▶ Prayer breakfast/lunch

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Finchfield Lane, Meadow Road area.

REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

Christ Church: Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion
11.00 Sunday Praise [*1st Sunday of the month*]
11.00am Parish Communion [*all other Sundays*]

Thursday 9.30am Holy Communion

Good Shepherd: Sunday 9.30am Family Communion
Wednesday 9.30am Holy Communion

Today's Readings:

Ephesians 5: 15-20
John 6: 51-58

Next Week's Readings:

Ephesians 6:10-20
John 6: 56-69

The Week Ahead

Monday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at URC
Thursday	9.30am	Holy Communion at CC
Friday	3.00pm	Wedding between James Rice & Elizabeth Wynn at CC

PARISH EVENTS

MARSH FARM 30 AUGUST: Leave the URC car park at 11.15am and return at around 5.00pm. Liz (764456).

DISCOVERING THE HEART OF GOD: four sessions of discussion, prayer, Bible study and reflection as we seek God's call for our churches. Details to follow but please note the dates now: 11 & 27 September, 10 & 25 October, all at 7.30pm, alternating CC and GS

CHRIST CHURCH - GIVING TO MISSIONS & CHARITIES 2012: If you would like to recommend a mission or charity for our Annual Giving to Missions and Charities Paid out in 2012, please can you email John Biddulph or put a note in the Treasurers Envelope at the back of church. Thank you.

HERITAGE DAY AND HISTORIC CHURCHES RIDE & STRIDE 08 Sept: The Church of the Good Shepherd and Christ Church will both be open from 10- 5pm. Volunteers will be needed to be in church to greet visitors throughout the day. In the meantime dust off your walking boots and pump up your tyres.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: There will be a Macmillan Biggest Coffee Morning in aid of Cancer Research at the Good Shepherd on Saturday 29 September from 10.30am.

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER & WORSHIP: at Wembley on Saturday 29 September. See poster at back of church. For info and tickets contact Paul Cartwright tel: 757844/07970743493. Transport etc being organised by The Church At Perton.

T-BAG FOOTBALL BOOTS PROJECT: Quintons Funeral Directors are promoting a charity project and would be very pleased to accept any **used** football boots to send to children and young adults in Ghana, West Africa. If you have any boots you could donate drop them off at Roy Quintons, 17 School Road, Tettenhall Wood by the end of September please.

REVD PIPPA THORNYCROFT: Pippa's next assignment starts on 01 Sept at Holy Trinity Hadley and Christ Church, Wellington (North Telford) around the area of the Princess Royal Hospital as well as the lower slopes of the Wrekin. Total population 25,000. Website: www.oneparish.org.uk. She has been told that one part of it is seriously "dysfunctional", so please pray for her!