

CHRIST CHURCH SOCIAL COMMITTEE

FLOWER FESTIVAL 28-30 SEPTEMBER: rotas are now at rear of church. There are 3 rotas for stewards, refreshment helpers and providers of refreshments. A great deal of support is needed overall. We need everyone to help. The **Concert Saturday 29 September** will feature the Birmingham Community Gospel Choir who sang on BBC "Songs of Praise" recently; accompanied by alto/mezzo soprano Chloe-Jean Bishop.

NEEDED: members of our congregation to deliver flyers advertising the festival and concert. Please collect the bundle from the back of church for the road where you live (and/or adjacent roads).

CONCERT TICKETS: are available for the concert - price £8 - from Vi O'Leary at the 8.00am service and Phil Dent/Clive or indeed any committee member.

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.

HANDICRAFTS DISPLAY: any item(s) to be included in this display should be given to Mary Maddocks by Sunday 23 Sept. at the latest. Please mark your work clearly with your name and contact number.

WORK PARTY: 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 763468 or Liz Biddulph on 764456.
For Good Shepherd contact Chris Nickholds on 753969 or Jane Brough on 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 755316.

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

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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 09 September 2012 Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

Today's services:

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Phil Wootton & Joy Dipple*

Fairtrade goods on sale after both services today.

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

The Collect

Merciful God,
your Son came to save us
and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy
and know your love,
rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer After Communion

Lord God, the source of truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and the breaking of bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER POINTS:

Please include these items in your prayers this week.

- ▶ Those going to University for the first time
- ▶ Street children in Romania
- ▶ World leaders

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Bridgnorth Road & Sabrina Road.

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:

James 2:1-10, 14-17
Mark 7: 24-end

Next Week's Readings:

James 3: 1-12
Mark 8: 27-end

The Week Ahead

Monday	2.00pm	Ladies Fellowship & AGM. Guest speaker on carbon monoxide awareness at CC.
Tuesday	7.30pm	"Discovering the heart of God" at CC
Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion at GS
Wednesday	1.30pm	Ladies Guild at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at CC
Thursday	9.30am	Holy Communion at CC
Thursday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Thursday	7.30pm	PCC Meeting at CC
Thursday	7.30pm	Ramblers Meeting at CC

PARISH EVENTS

DISCOVERING THE HEART OF GOD: four sessions of discussion, prayer, Bible study & reflection as we seek God's call for our churches. All at 7.30pm:

11 September at CC: Discovering the heart of God for older people

27 September at GS: Discovering the heart of God for younger people

10 October at CC: Discovering the heart of God for working people

25 October at GS: Discovering the heart of God for our communities

AFTERNOON TEAS : Thursday 13 September at the home of Judith Cross from 2.30pm followed by Thursday 27 September at the home of Jean Hill also from 2.30pm. All are welcome. Info: Tel: 829608.

MACMILLAN BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING: The Good Shepherd will again be participating for MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT. This will be on Saturday 29 September from 10.30 am. We would love to do as well or even better than last year, so please support this worthy cause. There will be lots of goodies. See poster for further details.

COVENANTING CHURCHES SKITTLES EVENING: at St Columba's, Finchfield on Saturday 22 Sept. - 7 for 7.30pm start. Admission free but donation towards buffet would be appreciated. All welcome. To give us an idea of numbers, please put your name on the list at the back of church if you intend to go.

COVENANTING CHURCHES CHRISTMAS LEAFLET: if you would like to take part in designing this year's Christmas card there are forms at the back of church. For more information see Carol Key or Sarah Motram.

HOUSE GROUPS: The Wonderers Group: meet on Monday 10 September at 7.45pm. **Wood Rd Group:** meet on Wednesday 12 September 8.00pm. Both meetings at 16 Wood Road. New members very welcome.

MOTHERS UNION: Can members attending the service at Lichfield Cathedral on Tuesday 11 September please meet at 3.45pm outside the United Reformed Church for a 4.00pm departure by minibus. You may want to bring a sandwich! If any member still has Christmas cards for the prisons could you let me have them very soon as they require to be checked at Diocese and also at the prisons and this takes time! Many thanks to you all! Blessings! Val.

MARSH FARM: many thanks to Liz and John Biddulph for organising the recent trip. We had a lovely day out.

TRANSPORT ROTA: up to end of December, please let Angela know any dates you are unable to do.