

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church  
and The Church of the Good Shepherd  
for the week beginning Sunday 30 December 2012  
First Sunday of Christmas**

**WELCOME**

**Today's services:**

**Christ Church:**

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Julia Cody*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Paul Cody*

**Good Shepherd**

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Paul Cody*

**The Collect**

**God in Trinity,  
eternal unity of perfect love:  
gather the nations to be one family,  
and draw us into your holy life  
through the birth of Emmanuel,  
our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

**Prayer after Communion**

**Heavenly Father,  
whose blessed Son shared at Nazareth  
the life of an earthly home:  
help your Church to live as one family,  
united in love and obedience,  
and bring us all at last to our home in heaven;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

**Christ Church:** Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion  
11.00 Sunday Praise [*1<sup>st</sup> 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:

Colossians 3: 12-17  
Luke 2: 41-52

### Next Week's Readings:

Isaiah 60: 1-6  
Matthew 2: 1-12

### PRAYER POINTS:

Please include these items in your prayers this week.

- ▶ Families separated at this time of year
- ▶ Our Armed Forces & their families
- ▶ The House Groups as they prepare to start again.

**Good Shepherd Prayer Area:** Kemberton Road, Kemberton Close.

### The Week Ahead

Thursday 12.30pm Prayer Lunch at CC

### PARISH EVENTS

**TRANSPORT ROTA:** please let Angela Williams know any dates you are unable to do between January and March.

**CHRISTMAS COLLECTION for "Embrace the Middle East":** A BIG thank you to all who contributed at the joint services (Carol Service, Midnight Mass and Christmas Day). The total including gift aid came to £1,125.67p.

**CHRIST CHURCH SOCIAL COMMITTEE:** We look forward to seeing you at the various events that we will be planning for 2013. The Committee will be meeting in the first week of January and if you have any ideas on what you would like us to consider arranging for you please make a note and pass it either to Phil Dent or Clive. We will take your views into account at our planning meeting and if they fit into the overall programme we will do our best to include them.

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

### 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.