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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.

CONTACT COFFEE: Friday 06 December: 10.30-12noon in the Jubilee Rooms. Admission £2. There will be a charity coffee morning, proceeds of which will go to **THE HAVEN** which provides support for women and children who are homeless or have experienced domestic violence. At 11am there will be a speaker from The Haven. BRING and BUY stall (Christmas Theme) and a raffle.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

Stourport on Severn Brass Band concert on Saturday 14

December. Tickets at £8 per person are now available through Phil Dent and Clive. This will be a popular event and we suggest that you purchase tickets in advance. On the evening we will have on sale soft drinks and mince pies at £1.00.

PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church
and The Church of the Good Shepherd
for the week beginning Sunday 24 November 2013
Christ the King

WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Julia Cody & Joy Dipple*

1.00pm Baptism service for Isla Myatt

Good Shepherd:

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Rev Julia Cody*

THE COLLECT

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

This week's readings

Colossians 1: 11-20

Luke 23: 33-43

Next week's readings

Romans 13: 11-end

Matthew 24: 36-44

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

If you are not sure who your Pew Befriender is, why not find out today?

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

PRAYER POINTS:

Please include these items in your prayers this week.

- ▶ The Covenanting Churches
- ▶ Our Church Bazaar
- ▶ Christians in Egypt

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Compton Rd. West, Compton Hill Drive

The Week Ahead

Monday	9am-11am	CC Nursery in CC
	1.30pm-3pm	CC Nursery in CC
	7.30pm	'Fruits of the Spirit' - 14 Hinckes Rd.
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at URC
	9.30am	Communion at CC
	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Friday	11.00am	Funeral of Kathleen Daws at GS
	1.30-3.30pm	Little Angels at CC
Saturday		CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AT CC

PARISH EVENTS

CHILDRENS' SOCIETY: Please bring your boxes on or before 30 Nov. Counting on 30 Nov after 12.30pm at the Bazaar. Any queries contact Andrea Westlake (01902 751948). Boxes will be counted and returned to Church by 01 January 2014. If you are able to assist with the counting please let Andrea know.

GOOD SHEPHERD CHRISTMAS FAYRE: Saturday 7 December from 11.30am. See poster in church for details. Donations of chocolates, sweets, bottles and paperbacks would be appreciated and can be left on 'the stage' in church.

NEW STYLE PRAYER GROUP: A new style prayer group will be held on the first Wednesday of every month at 2.30pm at the home of Ann Longstaff - 27 Windsor Gardens, Castlecroft, providing a time of quiet reflection to talk with and listen to our Lord. For further info please contact Ann on 765534 or Veronica Milward on 763468.

PHILIPPINES TYPHOON: Christian Aid envelopes are available in both churches this week for your donations to this appeal, if you have not already done so. The people there are suffering total devastation from one of the worst storms of our time. Please take the envelope home and return it next week, with the gift aid declaration if you pay tax.

DEANERY CELEBRATION: Tuesday 3 December with Bishop Clive, 7.30 at Kinver. Parishes will be sharing new initiatives they are involved with. All welcome.

CARE & SHARE SERVICE: Monday 2 December in support of the **Little Brothers of the Good Shepherd**. 7.30pm - St Peter's Collegiate Church.

GLADYS & JEFFREY MARTIN would like to thank everyone for their cards and best wishes when they recently celebrated their 90th birthdays.