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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.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

Social Committee meeting - The Rectory, 7 Broxwood Park - 7.30pm - Tuesday 14 January 2014. Please let any committee member know if you wish us to provide any particular social events for the New Year. The committee are also looking for new members to join our happy team so do come along to The Rectory - we will be delighted to welcome you. We do have FUN !!!

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

Celebration and Commissioning by Bishop Clive: for those involved in work with children and young people: Saturday 8 February at 4.00pm at St Martin's, Sutton Road, Walsall.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church
and The Church of the Good Shepherd
for the week beginning Sunday 12 January 2014
The Baptism of Christ**

WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

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

Fair Trade goods on sale following both services

Good Shepherd:

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Jane Brough*

THE COLLECT

Heavenly Father at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son:
may we recognize him as our Lord
and know ourselves to be your beloved children;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word
who is the bread of life:
fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your
glory may shine in all the world.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

This week's readings

Isaiah 42: 1-9

Matthew 3: 13-end

Next week's readings

Isaiah 49: 1-7

John 1: 29-042

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.

- ▶ Those suffering as a result of war
- ▶ Teachers and children as they return to school
- ▶ Christian Aid

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Castlecroft Ave., Tilbury Close

The Week Ahead

Monday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch
	2.00pm	Ladies Fellowship at CC - David Burton-Pye "Great Gardens".
	7.30pm	"Fruits of the Spirit" - 14 Hinckes Rd.
Tuesday	7.30pm	Social Committee Mtg at Rectory
	7.45pm	Wonderers House Group - 1 Woodfield Heights
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion at GS
Thursday	9.30am	Communion at CC
	2.00pm	Mothers' Union AGM at CC
	8.00pm	Wood Rd. House Group - 16 Wood Road
Friday	1.30pm	Little Angels at CC

PARISH EVENTS

ASSISTANT WARDENS IN CHRIST CHURCH: anyone who feels they could help out in this way please have a word with Margaret Boxall or Pam Bevan.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS AT GOOD SHEPHERD: Christingle / Crib Service on 24 December £163.46 for The Children's Society; Christmas day £132.20 for Embrace. Thank you to all who gave so generously.

MOTHERS' UNION: Happy New Year everyone. We began the year joyfully by leading the service last Sunday and enrolling new members into our branch, with others being enrolled as diocesan members. We will meet again on Thursday 16 January - 2.00pm when we will hold our AGM. This will be chaired by Margaret Boxall, Church Warden. We look forward to seeing as many members as possible at this important meeting, and I'm sure there will be cake!

THE COVENANTING CHURCHES: Covenant Renewal Service and AGM. Sunday 26 January, 4.00pm at Tettenhall Wood United Reformed Church. In the morning on the same day, there will be an exchange of those reading and leading intercessions.