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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 <u>Christ Church</u> contact Veronica Milward on 763468 or Liz Biddulph on 764456.

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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.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 2017: the brochure for this pilgrimage giving details of the programme, prices etc is available. Please ask Rev Phil if interested.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS AT CC

PANCAKE PARTY AFTER TODAY'S 11 AM SERVICE.

Sincere thanks to Rosemary Bonner, Geraldine Bushell, Jeanette Croft, Les Key, and Helen Phillips for producing the pancakes for today's party for us all to enjoy-we are sure they will be delicious-thank you all so much for your efforts. The children will no doubt have great fun with the pancake race !!! We will let you know next Sunday how much has been raised in donations for The Bishop's Lent Appeal. PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and The Church of the Good Shepherd for the week beginning Sunday 14 February 2016 The First Sunday of Lent



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion Rev Phil Wootton
11.00am Parish Communion Rev Phil Wootton & Joy Dipple

<u>Good Shepherd</u>

9.30am Family Communion Rev Phil Wootton & David Hughes

THE COLLECT

Heavenly Father, your Son battled with the powers of darkness, and grew closer to you in the desert: help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer that we may witness to your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Lord God, you have renewed us with the living bread from heaven; by it you nourish our faith, increase our hope, and strengthen our love: teach us always to hunger for him who is the true and living bread, and enable us to live by your word that proceeds from out of your mouth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

<u>This Week's Readings</u>	<u>Next Week's Readings</u>
Romans 10: 8b-13	Genesis 15: 1-12; 17-18
Psalm 91: 9-14	Psalm 27: 1-6, 17
Luke 4: 1-13	Luke 13: 31-35

REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

<u>Christ Church</u> :	Sunday	Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion 11.00 Sunday Praise [1 st Sunday of the month]	
		11.00am Parish Communion [all other Sundays]	
		Thursday 9.30am Holy Communion	
<u>Good Shepherd</u> :	Sunday	9.30am Family Communion	
	Wednes	day 9.30am Holy Communion	

PRAYER POINTS

Please include these items in your prayers this week:

- The worldwide work of the Mothers' Union
- Lent Courses

• Those suffering from Schizoid personality disorder Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Oak Hill, Oak Leys

This week:

Monday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Tuesday	1.30pm-3.30pm	'Place of Welcome' at CC
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion at GS
	2.00pm	Wedding at CC Brabham/Morgan
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at CC
	9.30am	Communion at CC
	2.00pm	Mothers' Union at CC - speaker: Rev
		David Primrose
	7.45pm	Lent Course at CC
Saturday	12 noon-2.00pm	Lent Lunch at CC

Lent lunch 2 February 20 Christ Church, Tettenhall Wood Lent lunch 3 February 27 St Thomas (Newman Centre) Lent lunch 4 March 05 St Columba's, Finchfield Lent lunch 5 March 12 St Michael's, Tettenhall Lent lunch 6 March 19 Tettenhall Wood URC All lunches 12 – 2pm

PARISH NOTICES

We would like to thank all our dear friends at Christ Church for the cards, prayers and support we have received following the recent death of our dear son-in-law Martin. Thanks also to Christ Church for prayers for Martin over the last 2 years. It has been most appreciated. Please continue to pray for Sharon, Emily and Abigail and both families as we attend the funeral service on Tuesday 16 and in the difficult days ahead. Yours in Christ. George and Val Hanna.

WEDDING AT CC: 17 February 2.00pm. Will singers and members of the choir please meet in the Jubilee Room at 1.30pm. Thank you. John Collins.

MOTHERS' UNION: Our next meeting is on February 18, 2pm at CC. The Rev David Primrose will be talking about "Age on the Agenda". Look forward to seeing you all.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER - Christ the King, Pendeford Avenue, WV6 9EJ on Friday 04 March, 7.30 pm. The service has been prepared by Christian women of Cuba. Our speaker is the Revd Ruth Brooker. The Day of Prayer begins at the island of Samoa, followed by a great "Mexican Wave" of prayer across the world, ending off the coast of American Samoa. All welcome, including men! For more information speak to Carol Key.

JOURNEYS IN PRAYER

Lent Course at CC (Jubilee Rooms) Thursdays at 7.45pm: 18 Feb: Revd Charles Ruxton - Honest Prayer: Starting Where We Are 25 Feb: Revd Andy Smith - Non-Verbal Prayer: Using Silence and Sketching

3 Mar: Revd Christine Simpson - Practical prayer: Finding Ways to Pray which are Sustainable and Life-Giving

10 Mar: Revd David Cundill - Missional Prayer: Outward Looking EVENTS ELSEWHERE

CHRISTIAN AID QUIZ EVENING: Friday 19 February - 7.30pm at The Goodyear Pavilion, Stafford Rd. WV10 6AJ. Tickets £2.50. See poster for more info.