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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.

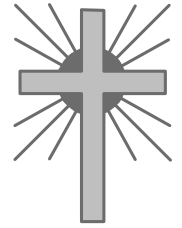
Rev Carol Harley is available for anyone who would like a confidential conversation about any matter. To make an appointment, please call her on 755316.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS AT CC

CHRISTMAS FAYRE- SATURDAY 10 DECEMBER 2016: Stall holders can bring their items into church from 4.00pm on Friday 09 December or from 8.30am on the morning of the event. Please check that you have entered your name on the list giving your support both as stall holders and helpers-many thanks.

SALE OF OUR OWN CHURCH'S CHRISTMAS CARDS: There are just a few packs left of these lovely cards which depict one of our church windows "The adoration of the Magi" so please purchase your packs at £3.50p a pack of six.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 04 December 2016
Second Sunday of Advent**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Holy Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Sunday Praise *Val Isgar & Caroline Seaton*

Baptism Service for Demi Elizabeth Vaughan

5.00pm Christingle Service - speaker Paul Al-Naqib

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Rev Phil Wootton*

THE COLLECT

Almighty God, purify our hearts and minds, that when your Son Jesus Christ comes again as judge and Saviour we may be ready to receive him, who is our Lord and our God. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Father in heaven, who sent your Son to redeem the world and will send him again to be our judge: give us grace so to imitate him in the humility and purity of his first coming that, when he comes again, we may be ready to greet him with joyful love and firm faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings

Isaiah 11: 1-10

Matthew 3: 1-12

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 35: 1-10

Matthew 11: 2-11

If you would like a copy of today's readings please ask a Sidesperson

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

PRAYER POINTS

Please include these items in your prayers this week:

- The residents of Beechwood & James Beattie House
- Street Pastors
- Mental care doctors & nurses

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: The Avenue, York Road

This week:

Monday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Tuesday	1.30-3.30pm	A Place of Welcome at CC
	7.00pm	Rehearsals for carol service at Tettenhall Wood URC
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at CC
	9.30am	Communion at CC
	7.30pm	MAD Group meeting at Rectory
Friday	9.00-11.00am	Nursery visit at CC
	1.00-2.30pm	Little Angels at CC
Saturday	11.00-2.00pm	Christmas Fayre at CC

PARISH NOTICES

LITTLE ANGELS AT CC Fridays 1pm - 2.30pm: more helpers required to do tea/coffee. If you are able to help please see Liz Biddulph.

CHILDRENS SOCIETY COLLECTION BOXES: Please bring them back into church before the Christmas Fayre at CC which is on Saturday 10 December when they will be emptied and counted. Any queries speak to Andrea Westlake.

M.A.D. Group: anyone interested in joining a group looking at how we develop **Mission And Discipleship** in the parish, please speak to Rev Phil. The brief will be to consider **CONTACT** with people currently outside the church; **NURTURE** of those exploring the Christian faith; and how we all may **GROW** more fully as disciples of Christ.

Rosemary & Roger Malpas would like to thank all those who supported the Barnardos coffee morning. We raised a grand total of £1,260.99 and a good time was had by all.

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE AT CHRIST CHURCH: TODAY at 5.00pm. Celebrate hope. Make children's voices heard. Collection for the Children's Society. Speaker Paul Al-Naqib.

SERVICES FOR CHRISTMAS

Saturday 17 December - Covenanting Churches Carol Singing - 10.45-11.15am at Tettenhall Green.

Sunday 18 December - Joint Carol Service - 4.00pm at CC

Christmas Eve 24 December - Crib Service - 4.00pm at GS

Christmas Eve 24 December - Crib Service - 5.00pm at CC

Christmas Eve 24 December - Midnight Communion - 11.30pm at CC

Christmas Day - 25 December - Christmas Communion Service - 10.00am at GS and CC

Sunday 01 January 2017 - Joint Communion Service - 10.00am at GS (please note no Sunday service at CC)