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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.

CC SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

TREORCHY MALE VOICE CHOIR: Saturday 20 May 2017 at 7.00pm. Tickets now available £15 each from Margaret Boxall at 8am and Les & Carol Key at 11am.

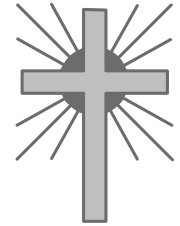
NEWS & EVENT ELSEWHERE

"CHOIRS IN REFLECTION": at King's on Tuesday 28 March at 6.00 pm. This year's theme is: "HOPE". Schools taking part from St. Michael's, St. Paul's and Christ Church Juniors. There is NO cost for entry. All welcome to attend.

THE ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION: Tuesday 09 May 2017, 6.45 for 7.30pm at St Philip's, Penn Fields.

VACANCY: Trysull Deanery Synod have a vacancy for Secretary. If you think you may be interested please speak to Rev Phil or Rural Dean, Revd. Preb. Maureen Hobbs on 01902 700257, or the Lay Chair, Mr Richard Pithers on 01902 341385.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 19 March 2017
The Third Sunday of Lent**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Julia Cody*
11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Julia Cody & Rev Carol Harley*
4.00pm Celebration Praise Service

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Julia Cody & Richard Shreeve*

There will be a retiring collection this week and next at both churches to be sent to Christian Aid for the crisis in Africa.

COVENANT PRAYER

Lord we thank you for calling us into the company of those who trust in Christ and seek to obey His will. You have made us strangers no longer, but pilgrims together on the way to your kingdom. Guide us closer to you and to one another, in the unity of the spirit and bond of peace and strengthen us together in mission and service to your world. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN**

Third Rhythm of Grace: *By God's grace, I will set time aside for prayer, worship and spiritual reading*

Father God, by your grace, enable us to set aside time to meet with you each day. Teach us to reflect and meditate on your Word and give us the grace to be obedient to it. Draw us into a deep encounter with you in prayer, and may our whole lives be a living sacrifice of worship to you; in the name of Jesus Christ, our Saviour. **Amen.**

COLLECT

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings

Psalm 1

John 4: 5-26

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

Next Week's Readings

Colossians 3: 12-17

John 9: 1-11

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:

- Mother Church & our own mothers
- Christians in South Sudan
- Those suffering from Anorexia

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Chelmarsh Ave., Spur Tree Ave.

This Week:

Tuesday	1.30pm-3.30pm	A Place of Welcome at CC
	7.30pm	Lent Course at GS
Wednesday	11.30am	Communion service at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at URC
	9.30am	Communion service at CC
	10.45am	Lent Course at CC
	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
	7.30pm	PCC Meeting at GS
Friday	12.45-2.15pm	Little Angels at CC
Saturday	12noon-2.00pm	Lent Lunch St Columba's, Finchfield

APCM: Sunday 23 April 2017 held at CC. Any reports should be with Sue at the Parish Office by **Sunday 02 April 2017.**

PARISH NOTICES

LENT COURSE - 'DETHRONS MAMMON' continues at GS on Tuesday 7.30pm and CC on Thursday at 10.45am. It is based on Archbishop Welby's book about whose values that drive our lives - God or Mammon? Just turn up, or have a word with Rev Phil or David Fulljames (tel 425710), from whom advance copies of the book are available.

LENT LUNCH CHARITIES: This year the money raised from the Covenanted Churches Lent Lunches will be split between the following two charities: 'Lawrence's Roundabout Well Appeal' and 'Freedom from Torture'. Please see poster for more details.

FAIRTRADE GOODS: will be on sale at both services at Christ Church next week. A selection of Easter Eggs will be on sale. Pre-ordered Easter Eggs and cards will be available for collection and payment.

THANK YOU: to everyone who attended the Women's World Day of Prayer service on Friday 3rd March; and a big thank you to those who took part or assisted in any way from the six churches involved. The sum of £155.97 was collected which will go towards the work carried out by the national committee in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. (Scotland has its own committee.) People from many denominations across the world took part. Next year the service will be held at Christ Church, prepared by Christian women of Suriname, one of South America's smallest countries.

CONTACT COFFEE: Change of **date** and **venue**. The next meeting will be on WEDNESDAY MARCH 29 and **NOT** Wed March 15. This is at the request of the speaker Onkar Singh from Echo Hearing Centre Hollybush Garden Centre Shareshill. The meeting will now take place at the Home of Velia Geekie 12 Woodcote Rd. Tettenhall (754867).

REVISION OF ELECTORAL ROLL: Each year the church electoral roll is updated. If you are not already on the roll, and would like to be, please see Carol Key for Christ Church or Ann Fulljames for the Good Shepherd, or one of the wardens. Also inform us about any change of address. The final date for handing in forms is SUNDAY 2nd APRIL.

HOLY LAND PRESENTATION AND BRING & SHARE LUNCH: at CC on Sunday 02 April 2017 following 11am service.

EASTER FLOWERS: There is a box at the back of CC for your kind donations.