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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.

For <u>Good Shepherd</u> 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

PARISH AFTERNOON TEA: Saturday 19 August at 3.00pm at CC. All are welcome. If you are attending or can provide cake or scones please sign notice in Jubilee Room or phone Les Key on 01902 750606.

PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and The Church of the Good Shepherd for the week beginning Sunday 13 August 2017 The ninth Sunday After Trinity

WELCOME

| 8.00am | Communion | Rev Julia Cody |
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| 11.00am | Parish Communion | Rev Phil Wootton & Joy Dipple |

Good Shepherd

Christ Church:

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

COLLECT

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

| This Week's Readings | <u>Next Week's Readings</u> | |
|---|-----------------------------|--|
| Romans 10: 5-15 | Romans 11: 1-2a, 29-32 | |
| Matthew 14: 22-33 | Matthew 15: 21-28 | |
| If you would like a copy of today's readings please ask a Sidesperson | | |



| REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH | | | | |
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| <u>Christ Church</u> : | Sunday | y 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 | | |
| | Wednesc | day 9.30am Holy Communion | | |

PRAYER POINTS

Please include these items in your prayers this week:

- Our Queen & government ministers
- An end to the violence in Syriq & Iraq
- Mental care doctors and nurses

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Compton Road West, Compton Hill Drive

This Week:

| Monday | 2.00pm | Pastoral team meeting at CC |
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| | 12.30pm | Prayer Lunch at CC |
| Tuesday | 1.30pm-3.30pm | A Place of Welcome at CC |
| | 7.30pm | MAD Group meeting at 36 Windmill Lane |
| | | WV3 8HG Tel 472656 - Steph Hemmings |
| Wednesday | 9.30am | Communion Service at GS |
| Thursday | 7.30am | Prayer Breakfast at CC |
| | 9.30am | Communion Service at CC |
| Saturday | 3.00pm | Parish afternoon tea at CC |

PARISH NOTICES

MOTHERS' UNION: Gentle reminder. There is no meeting this month. Hope you are all enjoying your free time. Looking forward to meeting again in September.

REQUEST: If anyone has a chess set they no longer require Christ Church Junior School are trying to start a Chess Club and would like any donations of complete chess sets. These can be brought to church and put in the Junior Church cupboard or taken to Christ Church Junior School. Enquires to Pat H-Morris Tel: 01902 750079. PASTORAL TEAM MEETING: Monday 14 August - 2pm at CC. MAD GROUP MEETING: Tuesday 15 August - 7.30pm at Rectory.

SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER: Staffordshire Historic Churches **Ride and Stride**. Anyone interested in joining in this sponsored cycle/walk, please see Rev Phil. At CC there will be a **working party** - see Phil Dent for information - and at GS volunteers are requested to keep the church open for the morning.

Coming Soon: *LIFE EXPLORED* - a seven session series featuring a combination of short films and Bible interaction exploring how the Christian faith answers some of life's big questions. It's an exposé of the little gods that promise us so much happiness, yet deliver so little. *Life Explored* follows the Bible story (creation, fall, redemption, new creation) and shows how our deepest desires for happiness can only be satisfied in one person, Jesus Christ. To be run in this parish in the autumn.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

CHRISTIAN AID are holding an evening meeting on Thursday 31 August, 7.00pm at Springdale Methodist Church to encourage us to challenge the big banks to shift their investments away from fossil fuels and their harmful effects on climate change. All welcome. See poster at back of church for more details or speak to David Fulljames or Angela Williams.

SOUL FOOD: a course for anyone who wants to grow in responsiveness to God, developing awareness of different spiritual traditions. To be held in Wolverhampton on Tuesday evenings from 12 Sept. See flyer for details.