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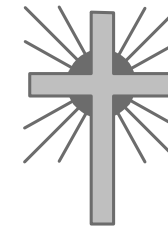
If you are aware of any member of our congregations who is unwell, going into hospital or just struggling in general, please let us know: For Christ Church contact Veronica Milward on 763468 or Liz Biddulph on 764456.

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

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 20 August 2017
The tenth Sunday After Trinity**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Joy Dipple*

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Richard Shreeve*

COLLECT

Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

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.**

This Week's Readings

Romans 11: 1-2a, 29-32

Matthew 15: 21-28

Next Week's Readings

Romans 12: 1-8

Matthew 16: 13-20

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:

- Our armed forces & their families
- Our Wardens, deputies & assistants
- Those suffering from drug & alcohol abuse

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Ash Hill, Ashenden Rise

This Week:

Monday	2.00pm	Funeral of Florence Anslow at CC
Tuesday	1.30pm-3.30pm	A Place of Welcome at CC
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion Service at GS
	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at URC
	9.30am	Communion Service at CC

PARISH NOTICES

FAIRTRADE GOODS: on sale at both services at Christ Church next week.

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.

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.

CONTACT COFFEE GROUP: Please will all those going to Ford Hall Farm on Thursday 14 September pay the balance of £7.95 per person to Velia by Wednesday 30 August. Thank you.

LIFE EXPLORED: begins 13 and 14 September

Seven sessions of 1 hour each to refresh your own faith and introduce Christian faith to others. It will be run on Wednesday afternoons at 2.00pm (from 13 Sept) at Rev Carol Harley's house and on Thursday evenings at 7.45 for 8.00pm at Christ Church (JR).

See postcards or website for details.

Sunday 17 September: LYNN TRENNEARY, our new CMS mission partner will be speaking at the 9.30 and 11.00 services. After the Christ Church service there will be a bring and share lunch to give more people a chance to talk to her. Please come if you can. Also, Lynn will need somewhere to stay the night before: if anyone can offer accommodation, please speak to Rev Phil

Clive and Jennifer Childs wish to express their sincere thanks for all the lovely greetings that they have received on the occasion of their recent Golden Wedding Anniversary. They have received various gifts and over 50 greeting cards which is really great- thank you everyone. If you are in church today we are providing another celebration cake with wine and soft drinks after the 11am service so do please join us as our Church Family to mark this important milestone in our lives. After Jennifer's serious illness we give thanks for God's Compassion and Grace.

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.