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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.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

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.

Getting To Grips With The Old Testament: St Bart's Church in Penn autumn lecture series with. Diocesan Director of Reader Training the Revd Jeanette Hartwell will give lectures on the law, the prophets, the writings and the histories. Lectures will be on 5 and 19 October and 2 and 16 November at St Bart's, WV45 5JB, at 7.30pm. For more info email <u>stbartspenn@googlemail.com</u>

CC SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

St Peter's School Concert Band, Big Band and Senior Choir: Sat 14 Oct. Tickets available soon. Contact Les Key: 750606. PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and The Church of the Good Shepherd for the week beginning Sunday 03 September 2017 The Twelfth Sunday After Trinity



Christ Church:

8.00am	Communion	Rev Ness Tobin
11.00am	Sunday Praise	Rev Ness Tobin & Caroline Seaton

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion Rev Carol Harley & Richard Shreeve

<u>COLLECT</u>

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

God of all mercy, in this Eucharist you have set aside our sins and given us your healing: grant that, being made whole in Christ, we may bring that healing to this broken world, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings at CC	This Week's Readings at GS			
Psalm 8	Romans 12: 9-21			
Matthew 16: 21–28	Matthew 16: 21–28			
Next Week's Readings				
Ezekiel 33: 7-11 Matthew 18: 15-20				
If you would like a copy of today's readings please ask a Sidesperson				

Marie, **David & Russell Taylor** would like to thank you all for your prayers and support following our recent family bereavement. This has been greatly appreciated.



REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

<u>Christ Church</u> :	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:

- Compton Hospice, doctors & nurses
- Our young people preparing to start University
- Those suffering from Alzheimer's

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Castlecroft Lane

This Week:

Tuesday	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
	1.30pm-3.30pm	A Place of Welcome at CC
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion Service at GS
	2.30pm	Reflective Prayer Group at Wombourne
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at URC
	9.30am	Communion Service at CC
	11am-1pm	Dementia Support Group at CC
	7.30pm	Standing Committee Meeting at Rectory
Friday	12.45-2.15pm	Little Angels at CC
	2.00pm	King's School Yr 7 Welcome Service at CC
Saturday		Ride & Stride, working party at CC

PARISH NOTICES

RIDE & STRIDE Saturday 9 Sept: Rev Phil will be attempting to stride the Wolverhampton and Stafford church 'circuits' & would welcome anyone to walk with him for either or both. Sponsors welcome: money raised is split between our own church and Staffordshire Historic Churches. 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. **REFLECTIVE PRAYER GROUP:** Wednesday 06 September -2.30pm at Flat 12, Churchwell Court, Walk Lane, Wombourne, where we will be praying with the Psalms. New people most welcome. Enquiries re transport to Veronica Milward 01902 763468.

CC WARDENS MEETING: 12 September now at 8pm NOT 7.30pm. **PRAYERS FOR PARLIAMENT & NATION:** Thursday 14 September -2.00pm in the JR at CC using a booklet by the National Christian Trust. New people most welcome. Copies of the booklet are available at the back of CC for use at home.

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. Also, Lynn will need somewhere to stay the night before: if anyone can offer accommodation, please speak to Rev Phil.

WONDERERS HOUSE GROUP: next meeting Tuesday 19 September at 73 High Meadows - 7.30pm (please note earlier start time) when we will watch the film 'A Street Cat Named Bob'. New house group members always welcome.

HARVEST FESTIVAL: at both churches this year will be Sunday 01 October. **Harvest Supper at CC** will be Saturday 30 September, 6.00 for 6.30, and will include a quiz. Tickets £5 adults, children free, from Phil Dent or Les Key.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES: A big thank you for your continued and wonderful support. The funds raised in 2016 amounted to ± 365.00 . Due to the launch of the new 12 sided ± 1 coin, the old coins will cease to be legal tender on 16 October 2017. For this reason, please could you bring in your boxes by 30 Sept so we can process the old coinage.