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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

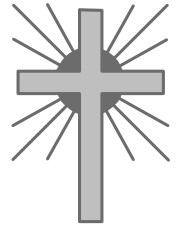
St Peter's School Concert Band, Big Band and Senior Choir: Sat 14 Oct. Tickets £8 (single), £20 (family). Contact Les Key: 750606/ Phil Dent 701669/07736197226.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

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 19 October and 2 and 16 November at St Bart's, WV45 5JB, at 7.30pm. For more info email stbartspenn@googlegmail.com

PARENTING TEENAGERS Thursday 12 October, 7.30pm Lifespring Conference Centre, WV3 0QT. Presented by bestselling authors and international speakers Rob Parsons & Katharine Hill. Info & booking: 029 2081 0800 or www.careforthefamily.org.uk/parentingteenagers

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 08 October 2017
The Seventeenth Sunday After Trinity**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Chris Tough*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Ness Tobin, Joy Dipple & Rev Phil Wootton*

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Phil Wootton & Richard Shreeve*

COLLECT

Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, and make us continually to be given to all good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings

Isaiah 5: 1-7

Matthew 21: 33-46

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

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 25: 1-9

Matthew 22: 1-14

REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

<u>Christ Church:</u>	Sunday	8.00am	Holy Communion
		11.00	Sunday Praise [<i>1st Sunday of the month</i>]
		11.00am	Parish Communion [<i>all other Sundays</i>]
	Thursday	9.30am	Holy Communion
<u>Good Shepherd:</u>	Sunday	9.30am	Family Communion
	Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion

PRAYER POINTS

Please include these items in your prayers this week:

- The mission of our church
- Our relations with other nations
- Those suffering from antisocial personality disorder

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Windmill Lane, Stoneacre Crescent & Farleigh Drive

This Week:

Monday	2.00pm	Ladies Fellowship at CC - change to programme - poetry & bingo afternoon
Tuesday	1.30pm-3.30pm	A Place of Welcome at CC
	7.30pm	MAD meeting at 36 Windmill Lane, Castlecroft
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion Service at GS
Thursday	7.30am	Prayer Breakfast at CC
	9.30am	Communion Service at CC
	12.30pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
	2.00pm	Prayers for Parliament & Nation at CC
Friday	12.45-2.15pm	Little Angels at CC
Saturday	7.30pm	St Peter's big band & choir concert at CC

PARISH NOTICES

LIFE EXPLORED: next sessions 18 & 19 October:

Sessions of 1 hour each to refresh your own faith and introduce Christian faith to others. Wednesday afternoon at 2.00pm at Rev Carol Harley's house and on Thursday evening at 7.45 for 8.00pm at Christ Church (JR). See postcards or website for details.

PRAYERS FOR PARLIAMENT & NATION: Thursday 12 October - 2pm in the Jubilee Room 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.

PLACE OF WELCOME AT CC: We are now into our third year and our numbers are growing but we do need more help with opening up at 1.00pm on Tuesday afternoons on a rota basis. If you could assist, please contact Joan Collins, Ann Lewis or Veronica Milward. We would be very grateful.

CC BAND: now needs a drummer or drummers to play with us for 1st Sunday services. Our regular drummer Matt has gone off to University and we are very grateful for the time and expertise he has shared with us. Perhaps you have played drums in the past and feel a bit rusty but please give it a try. We are a welcoming group of people. We also welcome any instrumentalists to join us. Come on, have a go!! We have fun! Speak to Val or one of the wardens.

LEAF SWEEPERS NEEDED: If you can spare a couple of hours about every four weeks until Christmas can you please let Roy Hancox know please. Telephone 01902 763230 or email royhancox@blueyonder.co.uk Also if you helped last year and can't this year please let Roy know.

CHRISTIAN AID BIG SHIFT CAMPAIGN: Petition for signatures at the back of church. For more info speak to Angela Williams. Also, Christian Aid Supporters` Sunday @ Springdale Methodist Church 15 October 4.30pm. See poster for more details. All welcome.

MOTHERS' UNION: next meeting is on Thursday 19 October at 2pm. The theme is "Mother's Union activities". Looking forward to seeing you all.

MEMORIAL SERVICES: SUNDAY 05 NOVEMBER - 4PM AT CC AND SUNDAY 12 NOVEMBER - 4PM AT GS. (if you want the name of a loved one read out please put name on list at back of church).

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY JOINT SERVICE - 10.30AM AT CC (WITH URC). GS SERVICE AT 9.30AM AS USUAL

CAROL SERVICE: involving - Christ Church, Tettenhall Wood URC, St. Columba's and Good Shepherd Castlecroft. This will take place at 4.00pm at Tettenhall Wood URC on Sunday 17 December. Rehearsals will begin as usual on Tuesday 31 October from 7.00pm till 7.45pm in the room at Tettenhal Wood URC. If you enjoy singing or just want to try it out you will be most welcome to join us. I have agreed to co-ordinate it and will be assisted by Andrew Davies, organist at St. Columba's. If you have a copy of Carols for Choirs Book 1 (Green Book) please bring it with you. For further information speak to John or Joan Collins. John Collins 01902 750800 jtycollins@aol.com/