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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.

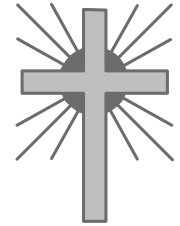
For Good Shepherd contact Chris Nickholds on 753969 or Jane Brough on 762605.

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

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR - SATURDAY 25 NOVEMBER: Many thanks to all who contributed or assisted on the day. **£1642.50** was raised for Church Funds. Well done everyone. Phil Dent & Les Key.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 03 December 2017
Advent Sunday**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Ness Tobin*
11.00am Sunday Praise *Rev Ness Tobin, Rev Phil Wootton & Jane Woolf*

Baptism of Verity Wainwright.

5.00pm Christingle Service *Rev Phil Wootton*

Good Shepherd

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

COLLECT

Almighty God, as your kingdom dawns, turn us from the darkness of sin to the light of holiness, that we may be ready to meet you in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O Lord, make us watchful and keep us faithful as we await the coming of your Son our Lord; that, when he shall appear, he may not find us sleeping in sin but active in his service and joyful in his praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

This Week's Readings

Isaiah 64: 1-9

Mark 13: 24-37

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

Next Week's Readings

Isaiah 40: 1-11

Mark 1: 1-8

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:

- The lonely
- Charities providing medical care abroad
- Those suffering from cancer and their families

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Brantley Avenue

This Week:

Tuesday 12.30pm Prayer Lunch at CC
1.30pm-3.30pm A Place of Welcome at CC
7.00pm-7.45pm Carol Service rehearsal at URC
7.30pm MAD Group - 36 Windmill Lane

Wednesday 9.30am Communion Service at GS
am & pm CC Nursery visits to CC

Thursday 7.30am Prayer Breakfast at CC
9.30am Communion Service at CC
9.30am Funeral of Lily Hallett at GS
11.00am-1.00pm Dementia Support Group at CC

Friday 10.30am-12.00 noon 'Contact' Coffee Morning at CC
12.45pm-2.15pm Little Angels at CC

PARISH NOTICES

CHRISTIAN AID: Quiz sheets on sale at £1.50 from David Fulljames and Angela Williams. While away the long evenings and give your brain a work-out!

CHRISTIAN AID: Ashmore Park Choir Christmas concert at St. Thomas` Church, Wednesfield Tuesday 12 December. See poster for more details. Tickets available from Angela Williams or David Fulljames.

CONTACT COFFEE : Friday 08 December. Time 10.30am to 12 noon. There will be a charity coffee morning in **The JUBILEE ROOMS** Admission £2. The proceeds will go to support **The Work of The Albrighton Trust**. There will be a BRING AND BUY STALL and a raffle. All Welcome. The Albrighton Trust provides recreation and education for people with disabilities.

Christmas Services At Christ Church

Sunday 03 December (today) - 5.00pm - Christingle Service

Sunday 17 December - 4.00pm - Joint Carol Service nearby at **Tettenhall Wood United Reformed Church, Mount Road.**

Sunday 24 December Christmas Eve - 8am Holy Communion
11am Parish Communion
5pm Crib Service
11.30pm Midnight Communion

Sunday 25 December Christmas Day - 10am Christmas Communion

CAROLS ON THE GREEN: Saturday 16 December - 10.45 - 11.15am. Come and join with people from other local churches for half an hour's outdoor carol singing on **Tettenhall Upper Green, opposite the shops**, followed by mince pies in the Parish Centre behind the library.

CONFIRMATION 2018: there will be a Confirmation Service on **Sunday 18 March, 2018**, at 6.30pm at Good Shepherd. Anyone interested in Confirmation (adult or young person) please speak to one of the clergy. There will be an initial meeting to explore *'What is Confirmation?'* on **Sunday 7 January, 4.00pm, at GS.**