

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 618394.

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.

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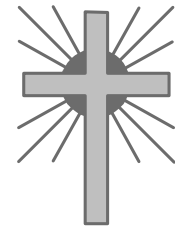
THE CHARITY "GOOD SHEPHERD RELIEF IN NEED"

Ann Reaney who set up this new charity in April 2018 has asked if she can attend the 11am service on Sunday 16 December to give a brief address and also to thank our congregation for all the marvellous support in supplying clothing and household goods for homeless people in our city. After the brief address she will remain after the service to share coffee with us all and to answer any questions people may wish to raise with her. For home collections for larger items please call Ann direct on 07845003656. Please do keep your donations coming into the box at the rear of church.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

A Christmas Concert with the Ashmore Park Choir will be held at St. Thomas' Church, Wednesfield on Tuesday 11 December. All proceeds to Christian Aid. See poster for more details. Tickets available from Angela Williams or David Fulljames .

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 02 December 2018
Advent Sunday**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Sunday Praise

Prayer ministry is normally available after the service near the Lady Chapel

5.00pm Christingle Service *Rev Phil Wootton & Rev Ness Tobin*

Good Shepherd

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

Jeremiah 33: 14-16

Luke 21: 25-36

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

Next Week's Readings

Malachi 3: 1-4

Luke 3: 1-6

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 prayer life during Advent
Christians in Iran
- Those with Autism & their families

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: Castlecroft Lane

This Week:

Monday	2.00pm	Pastoral Meeting at CC
Tuesday	1.30 - 3.30pm	Place of Welcome at CC
	7.45pm	Wonderers House Group at 73 High Meadows. New people always welcome.
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
	11.00-1.00pm	Dementia Support Group at CC
	2.30pm	Prayers for Parliament & Nation at CC
Friday	7.00pm	Choir rehearsal at URC
	12.45-2.15pm	Little Angels at CC

PARISH NOTICES

NEXT SUNDAY AT GOOD SHEPHERD: - Café Style worship: Coffee and toast will be served from 9am before our service next week. Come and join us for a chat over breakfast before the service - Fairtrade stall will be available next Sunday and every second Sunday, selling lots of Fairtrade goods. You can also place orders for other goods available from the Fairtrade shop. Please see Nat on the stall after the service.

CHOIR REHEARSALS for this year's joint carol service Thursday evenings, 7.00pm, at URC in Mount Road. Anyone interested in joining the choir is most welcome. The carol service will be on Sunday 16 December, 4.00pm, at Good Shepherd.

PRAYERS FOR PARLIAMENT & NATION: Thursday 06 December at 2.30pm in the Jubilee Room at CC, using prayers by the National Christian Trust. Copies of the booklet are available at the back of CC to take for use at home.

REFLECTIVE PRAYER GROUP: Wednesday 12 December at 2.30pm at Flat 12 Churchwell Court, Walk Lane, Wombourne, where we will be praying with hymns. New people most welcome. Enquiries re: transport to Veronica Milward 01902 763468.

MOTHERS' UNION: Advance Notice. A reminder to all members, any ladies in the congregation and any young Mums, the next "Near Neighbours" event with our Muslim ladies will be held on Saturday 19 January 1pm until 3 pm in the Jubilee Room. It will begin with a simple buffet lunch. Children will be very welcome. We all had such a warm welcome when we went to Medina Mosque and I know we will do the same here! Please let Val Hanna know if you can attend. 01902 755628.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS AT CC: There is a box at the back of church for your kind donations.