

### 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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### EVENTS ELSEWHERE

**CHRISTMAS FAYRE:** Saturday 23 Nov. 10.30-12.30pm at Tettenhall Wood URC, Mount Road.

**AN EVENING WITH LUCY OWEN:** Community Liaison - The Haven: Monday 25 November at 7.30pm at The Church At Perton. See poster for more details.

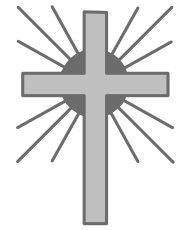
**URC AREA MEETING:** Clare, the Church Secretary of Dursley Tabernacle will speak about her experiences on a recent URC-sponsored visit to Israel / Palestine. Thursday 28 November 2019 at Penn URC - 11am. There is a free church car park. See poster.

### CC SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEWS

**Christmas Fayre, Saturday 30 November, 11am - 2pm:** Any offers for help with the stalls or contributions (bric-a-brac, books, raffle prizes, tombola, cakes etc.) will be very much appreciated. Details in Jubilee room or see Phil, Les, Pam or Pat.

**The Brewood Singers, Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December, 730pm:** We are welcoming the Brewood singers back for their Christmas concert, with festive songs. Tickets, priced at £8 available from Phil or Les.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and  
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the  
week beginning Sunday 17 November 2019  
2<sup>nd</sup> before Advent**



### WELCOME

#### Christ Church:

8.00am Communion *Rev Phil Wootton*

11.00am Parish Communion *Rev Phil Wootton, Della Jones & Joy Dipple*

**GUEST SPEAKER:** At the 11.00am service at CC today, Della Jones will be talking about the work of the Children's Society.

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

#### Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion *Rev Carol Harley & Jane Brough*

#### COLLECT

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in 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

Malachi 4: 1-2a

Luke 21: 5-19

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

#### Next Week's Readings

Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Luke 23: 33-43

### REGULAR SERVICES IN TETTENHALL WOOD PARISH

**Christ Church:** Sunday 8.00am Holy Communion  
11.00 Sunday Praise [*1<sup>st</sup> 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 UN & world leaders
- Our Councillors & local government workers
- Those suffering from psychotic disorder

**Good Shepherd Prayer Area:** Oak Hill, Oak Leys

### This Week

Tuesday	1.30-3.30pm	Place of Welcome at CC
	7.30pm	Standing Committee Meeting at Rectory
Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion at GS
	12.45pm	Prayer Lunch at CC
Thursday	9.30am	Holy Communion at CC
	10.30am	Barnardo's Coffee Morning at 12 The Heronry
	2.00pm	Mothers' Union at CC
	7.30pm	Social Committee Meeting at 11 Bramstead Ave
	8.00pm	Wood Road House Group at 16 Wood Rd
Friday	12.45-2.15pm	Little Angels at CC

### PARISH NOTICES

**BARNARDO'S COFFEE MORNING:** You are all invited to have coffee with us at 10.30am on Thursday 21 November at 12, The Heronry, WV6 8DY. There will be plenty of homemade cakes, biscuits, mince pies and mincemeat and other items to buy, and also Christmas cards and a raffle. As usual there will be sandwiches and a glass of wine afterwards. This is a very enjoyable and sociable way to spend a morning, and raise much needed funds for Barnardo's! Contact Rosemary Malpas on 01902 763398.

**FIRST AIDERS AT CC:** Sometimes during services there has been a need for first aid to be offered to members of the congregation. At the moment we have no known first aiders. If there is anyone in the congregation who is willing to be identified as a first aider, could you please speak to Joan Collins. Thank you.

**MOTHERS' UNION:** will meet again on Thursday 21 November at 2.00pm. Either Jeremy Watson or Jon Bruton will speak on "Making Homelessness History". We have our collection again for The Haven Refuge: toiletries, etc. and new toys (unwrapped please). They will need to be delivered in plenty of time for Christmas. Many thanks.

**WOOD ROAD HOUSE GROUP:** will next meet on Thursday 21 November at 16 Wood Rd - 8.00pm. We look forward to seeing you here. George and Val.

**CRAFT FAIR:** Many thanks to all who supported in any way the CRAFT FAIR held at the GS on Saturday 09 November when we raised £525.40 for church funds.

**CHRISTMAS FAYRE at GS** on Saturday 07 December from 10.30 to 12.30pm with lots of goodies. See poster for more details. Boxes will be at the back of GS for your kind donations for tombola and raffle prizes. Also, there will be a jewellery stall this year, so any items for this would be welcome please. Thank you.

**CHRISTIAN AID** Winter Quiz sheets now on sale for £1.50 from Angela Williams or David Fulljames.

**CONTACT COFFEE:** At the recent planning meeting for the Contact Coffee Group it was decided to cease the group in its current form. However in order to keep the friendship going we have booked a lunch at South Staffs Golf Club for Sunday March 1st 2020. Details to follow in the New Year. The balance of the funds, £105 has been donated to Acorn Children's Hospice at Walsall.

**NEWS FROM GOOD SHEPHERD IN RELIEF:** Dear Friends at CC & GS. In the last 6 months you have all helped us to completely furnish no less than 99 homes for homeless families and provide 48 beds for children who in the past have had to sleep on the floor and in addition all the items we give each day to social workers, even at our low prices we have given away £16,584. This is a 70% increase on the same period last year. We now need a push for Christmas as we have to find the rent for January so we need warm clothes and shoes for men, women and children. Prizes for raffles and any toys, new or second hand that are good enough to wrap up. Do please call me anytime to talk about our work. Thanks again, Ann Reaney 07845003656.