

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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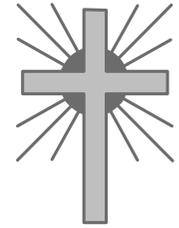
FISH & CHIP SUPPER & QUIZ: Saturday 01 February - 6.30pm in Jubilee Room. £6 adults, £4 children. Food served 7.45pm. Please bring own drinks. Sign up on list on notice board in Jubilee Room.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

COVENANTING CHURCHES: The Annual Covenant Renewal Service will take place on **Sunday 26th January, 4.00pm, at Christ the King Church, Aldersley.** This is the one time in the year our local churches come together to worship and pledge mutual support: please come if you can. The AGM will follow, at about 5.30pm.

"Women Together " interfaith: the next event will take place on Friday 07 February from 6.30pm onwards at Gloucester St Church and Community centre, Gloucester St, Whitmore Reans WV6 OPT. There will be vegetarian "Bring and Share" food. It would be lovely to see more of our ladies from this congregation coming along. It is an evening of fun, friendship and things to do. If you would like to come you can either book on Eventbrite or let me have your name a.s.a.p. Thank you. Val Hanna.

**PARISH NOTICES: Christ Church and
The Church of the Good Shepherd for the
week beginning Sunday 19 January 2020
The Third Sunday of Epiphany**



WELCOME

Christ Church:

8.00am Communion

Rev Julia Cody

11.00am Parish Communion

Rev Phil Wootton & Rev Carol Harley

Good Shepherd

9.30am Family Communion

Rev Phil Wootton & Jane Brough

COLLECT

God of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in 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

1 Corinthians 1: 1-9

John 1: 29-42

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

Next Week's Readings

1 Corinthians 1: 10-18

Matthew 4: 12-23

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 Wardens & deputies, servers & sidespeople
- Christians in Iran & Afghanistan
- Those suffering from Anorexia

Good Shepherd Prayer Area: The Avenue, York Road

This Week

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| Tuesday | 1.30-3.30pm | Place of Welcome at CC |
| | 7.30pm | Standing Committee Meeting at Rectory |
| Wednesday | 9.30am | Holy Communion at GS |
| Thursday | 9.30am | Holy Communion at CC |
| | 12.45pm | Prayer Lunch at CC |
| | 8.00pm | Wood Rd House Group at 16 Wood Rd |
| Friday | 12.45-2.15pm | Little Angels at CC |
| Saturday | 10.00am | 'Resolve' at CC |

PARISH NOTICES

FAIRTRADE: will be on sale at both services at Christ Church next week.

RESOLVE COURSE: *Do you find your New Year's resolutions never last beyond January?* Four hour long sessions to explore how we change good intentions into lasting change. **10.00am on Saturday mornings at Christ Church** (Jubilee Rooms).

WOOD ROAD HOUSE GROUP: will next meet on Thursday 23 January at 16 Wood Rd, Tettenhall Wood. 8.00pm. We look forward to seeing you here. Val & George.

2020 LENT BOOKS: the Lent book recommended for 2020 both by the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Diocese of Lichfield is '**Saying Yes To Life**' by Ruth Valerio. Ruth, Tearfund's Global Advocacy and Influencing Director, explores what it means to be a follower of Jesus and make a difference for good in the light of Genesis 1. It can be ordered at a discounted price of £6 each. If you want a copy, please let Rev Phil know by **TODAY**.

THANK YOU: John and Liz would like to thank all our friends from Christ Church for their love, support and prayers during their recent difficulties, and thank you too for welcoming us back so warmly recently!! With our love.

THANK YOU: Vi O'Leary would like to thank everyone for their kind prayers, cards and messages of sympathy following the death of her daughter-in-law Heather.

CHRISTIAN AID: Winter Quiz Evening at the Goodyear Pavilion - Friday 7th February 7.30 pm. See poster for more details. Tickets available from Angela Williams or David Fulljames, or the Parish Office.

GRAVE TALK: Saturday 15th February, 2.30pm, Christ Church Jubilee Rooms Most of us find it hard to talk about death, dying, funerals and loss. However, once we start talking, we find there's a lot to be said about these important but sensitive subjects. The set-up for GraveTalk is café-style, with 4 or 5 at a table, and question cards stimulate the flow of discussion. There are no answers, just conversation. And it's open to people of all faiths and doubts.

NEWS FROM GOOD SHEPHERD IN RELIEF: A Very happy new year to you all. We had a very busy Christmas with families turning up at the shop on Christmas Eve for food, baby formula and nappies, bedding and beds! The shop is very empty at the moment as we really need warm clothes and shoes, particularly for ladies and children aged 5 to 14+ we have two or three families to house next week where we are short of towels, bedding, pots and pans and any small electricals you may have like kettles and toasters-very useful to give children warm drinks and soups. We thank you for your ongoing generosity which enables us to carry out our ministry and assure you that you are kept in our prayers on a regular basis. We are always short of furniture so if you have any please contact me on 07845003656. Ann Reaney.