

**The Benefice & Team Ministry of Tettenhall Wood and Perton**  
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Dear Friends,

I hope you're keeping well. I had a few days 'out of office' last week and, after so long going nowhere it was really good to have a brief taste of freedom!

This week, 30<sup>th</sup> August, it's the fifth Sunday of the month and the twelfth Sunday after Trinity. In church, at Good Shepherd the service will be Morning Prayer, and at Christ Church, Holy Communion. With this mailing is my sermon and intercessions from Richard Shreeve.

Readings: Romans 12: 9-21          Matthew 16: 21-28

Collect:          *God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us:  
remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us,  
that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

As summer stutters towards an end, we have now in place the plans for services to continue in their current hybrid form through the autumn, so you can continue to access them in person, online or by DVD. We wait to see what other activities may be possible of the coming months.

I need to inform you of the intention to hold the postponed Annual Parochial Church Meeting on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September at Christ Church. As usual on these occasions, there will be no service at Good Shepherd that day but instead a joint service at 10.00am, and the APCM will follow on as promptly as possible after the service.

May God bless and keep you, this week and always,

Phil

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