

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

As I hope you know by now, we are not able to continue to gather for worship in church at this time. However, we are still the church, a worshipping fellowship of God's people in this area, connected through our prayers and our attention to God's word.

We continue to share in worship at home, whether online, by Facebook or YouTube, through DVDs or on paper. This week's readings challenge us to hear God's call to us, a theme which Joy has explored in her sermon and Liz Biddulph refers to in the intercessions (both enclosed).

Readings:        1 Samuel 3: 1-10        John 1: 43-51

Collect:        *Eternal Lord, our beginning and our end:  
bring us with the whole creation to your glory,  
hidden through past ages and made known in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Over Christmas, collections at both churches were for the Children's Society. I am delighted to say that we have been able to raise £386.55 from these services, in addition to the £667.33 from the two Christingle services on Christmas Eve at Christ Church. (I am told there may be a little more to come.) My thanks to everyone who contributed. We know it will make a significant difference to children and young people supported by the Children's Society.

I don't think I have any other news at present, except to say we're hoping to organise a quiz night in the next few weeks ... so get your brains sharpened up in readiness!

May God bless you and sustain you through the week ahead.

Phil