**Parish of Tettenhall Wood: Christ Church and Good Shepherd**

**NOTICES: Sunday 03 December 2023**

**This Sunday: Advent Sunday**

Christ Church: 8.00am Holy Communion

Good Shepherd: 9.30am Holy Communion.

Christ Church: 11.00am Sunday Praise. This service will be streamed.

 1.00pm Holy Baptism of Henry Thomas Fletcher

 5.00pm Christingle Service

Sermon: Malcolm Brookbanks Caroline Seaton Intercessions: David Hughes

Readings: Isaiah 64: 1-9 Mark 13: 24-37

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.

**Midweek Services**:

MIDWEEK COMMUNION Thursday morning at 9.30am at Christ Church.

EVENING PRAYER: Friday afternoon at 5.00pm at Christ Church.

**Mothers’ Union**: We will again be accepting donations of Christmas gifts for the women and children at The Haven. Please see the list at back of church for suggested items. Thank you.

**Place of Welcome:** meet in the Jubilee Room every Tuesday - 1.30pm-3.30pm. All welcome.

**Forget-me-not Friendship Group (formerly Dementia Friends):** meet on Thursday 07 December, 11am-1pm in the Jubilee Room.

**The Chosen** - multi-series life of Christ - Season 3 continues at Christ Church (JR) 7.00pm, Thursday 7 December. Then, after Christmas, 11 & 18 January, 1 & 8 February.

**Advent Reflections**: “Sleepers Wake” based on the book by Bishop Nicholas Holtam. 3 sessions at St Chad’s, Pattingham on Wednesdays at 11am on 06/13/20 December. 3 sessions at The Church at Perton on Thursdays at 7.30pm on 07/14/21 December. Led by Tettenhall Wood team.

**Criss Cross:** meet on Sunday 10 December, 4pm-6pm in the Jubilee Room. ‘Advent – preparing for Christmas’.

**Christmas Light Show at Lichfield Cathedral:** Parish groupon Monday 18December, departs GS 5.30pm (with TW pick-up planned). Cost: £27.00 per person for ticket and transport. Please pay Ben Hemming, Caroline Seaton or Phil Wootton by **Today**.

**Eco-way: A Rocha tip for December:** Recycle right this Christmas (and beyond!) Since more waste ends up in landfill over Christmas than during the rest of the year, it’s a great time of year to review and improve your own recycling set up at home. As well as curb-side recycling, remember to use church facility for cheese wrappers, medicine blister packs, ground coffee packaging, bread packaging and crisp packets; also, plastic bag recycling at larger supermarkets. Find out exactly what you can recycle at home by entering your postcode here: recyclenow.com/recycling-locator

***Please send any items for the notices to the parish office before Thursday morning***

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