

Parish of Tettenhall Wood: Christ Church and Good Shepherd

NOTICES: Sunday 04 February 2024

This Sunday: 2nd before Lent

Christ Church: 8.00am Holy Communion

Good Shepherd: 9.30am Holy Communion

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

Talk: Alison Cross Intercessions: Joy Dipple Malcolm Brookbanks

Readings: Proverbs 8: 1, 22-31 John 1: 1-14

Collect: Almighty God,
 give us reverence for all creation
 and respect for every person,
 that we may mirror your likeness
 in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Midweek Services:

MIDWEEK COMMUNION: Thursday morning at 9.30am at Christ Church

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

Embrace the Middle East thanks us for our contribution to the vital work of their partners. Combining special collections and general giving, we were able to donate £2,0167. Thank you to everyone who contributed

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

Christianity Explored: a relaxed and informal way of hearing the best news ever, offering space and time to think about the big questions of life. The Church At Perton, Thursday evenings 7.00 to 9.00pm.

Book Club: Thursday 08 February, 10.30am in JR. Chapter 6 of *All Things Anglican* – Vocation & Calling

The Chosen - multi-series life of Christ - Season 3 concludes at Christ Church (JR) 7.00pm Thursday 08 February 2024.

Mothers' Union: Wave of Prayer at Christ Church on Friday 09 February, starting at 1.20 pm. We share in a short time of prayer, joining with our link partners across the world. All welcome.

Sunday 11 February: We are planning to have pancakes after the 11am service at CC.

Criss Cross: Sunday 11 February, 4pm – 6pm in JR. 'The boy Jesus visits the Temple'.

Ash Wednesday 14 February: there will be services of Holy Communion with the imposition of Ashes at 9.30am at GS and at 7.30pm at CC

Lent Course: *Act on Poverty* 10.30 on Thursday mornings at CC from 22 February and 7.30 Monday evenings at St Chad's, Pattingham from 19 February. Online options will also be available. This course is produced by Christian Aid and partner organisations, to enable us to gain a deeper understanding of experiences of poverty, local and global through sharing stories of faith and activism, offering inspiration for actions big and small to tackle poverty together.

Intercessions Workshop: Saturday 24 February 10.00 to 12.00. All who lead intercessions, and those who might do so in the future, together with the Parish Worship Committee, are invited to join this workshop exchanging good ideas and exploring the place of intercession in our worship

Memorials for Rev Carol Harley. Both churches are buying something in Carol's memory. At GS, it's to be a votive candle stand, and at CC a silver baptism shell. If you would like to contribute towards these items, please use the envelopes made available in church. Thank you.

Eco-way: A Rocha tip for February: Go Green(er) for Lent. The weeks leading up to Easter are a great time to start or give something up that benefits nature and helps address climate change. Is there a change you can make to better care for creation and improve life through healthy, eco-friendly and sustainable living?

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

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