JENNIFER AND JOHN CROMIE are hosting a 'Coffee Morning' on Wednesday, 21 September 2022 at 10.30am at 2 Ascot Drive, Penn WV4 5SX. All proceeds for the MacMillan Coffee Morning Appeal.

VOLUNTEERS are required to help reopen the Beckminster Toddler Group. It is hoped the group will run on either Tuesday or Thursday mornings from 10am to 11.15am term time only. To reopen this valuable Church group, volunteers are required not only for the general running of the group, but also people to assist with the refreshments on a rota basis. If you are interested in helping in any way, please contact Jennifer Cromie on 01902 338320 or email jennifercromie19@googlemail.com.

UKRAINE REFUGEES. Thank you to all who donated pants for Ukrainian women fleeing the conflict. They have been collected but there's an opportunity for more if others would like to give. Please leave with Sue in the office. Thank you.

PLEASE NOTE that the postponed Tom Elliott event will now take place on Saturday, 24 September 2022 at 7.30pm, Trinity Methodist Church, Codsall. See notice board for further details and please contact Helen Share on codsallmethodist.com or 07766 106615 for tickets.

Dear Friends, the Chaplaincy is hoping to run a pop up homeware stall of free, preloved, kitchenware for students. This will save students' money and make a great contribution to protecting the environment. Would your church be willing to help collect items? The pop up will be held in the University's library at Wolverhampton for the week beginning 19th supported by chaplaincy staff, we will make sure we mention the Churches that have been able to support us. Right now we haven't scheduled anything

for Walsall but if we can get sufficient support we will.

We're hoping for donations of good quality kitchen items for students settling into university life. Saucepans, utensils, baking equipment, anything, other than electrical items, that is useful in cooking a good meal. Not only does this event save our students money it also gives a second life to reusable unwanted equipment. Items can be donated at the chaplaincy on Molineux Street, WV1 1DT between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday or FROM 14th September dropped off in the Harrison Learning Centre. The stall will be hosted in the library throughout Welcome Week. Items are free but anyone wishing to offer a donation can contribute to the Chaplaincy's ongoing Toilet Twinning programme. Get in touch if you have any other questions, with thanks, Sarah. More details from chaptaincy@wlv.ac.uk Lead Chaplain Reverend Sarah Schofield PG. Cert. M.Phil.

If you cannot give directly, feel free to leave any items in church on Sunday, 12 September and we shall deliver for you. Thank you.

COFFEE MORNINGS IN THE CITY CENTRE. Come and join us at K Teas Cakes, St George's Parade between 10am - 12noon on Fridays. For coffee tea and conversation in a friendly, welcoming space. Deacon Linda Gilson, Wolverhampton City Centre Ministry 07941 354958.

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Worship and Fellowship

4 September 2022

Ordinary 23

What's On This Week....

Monday 5 September Office Closed

10.45am - 12noon Coffee Mates (See Notices) 12.30pm Funeral of Mr Pete Hawkins

4.00 - 5.30pm Dinky Divas 7.00pm Worship & Discipleship Group Meeting on Zoom

Tuesday 6 September Office Closed

Wednesday 7 September Office Closed

9.00am Zoom Prayer Group (See Notices) 9.15 - 11.15am WeightWatchers 2.30pm Emmaus at 3 Castlecroft Lane

(See Notices) 6.00 - 8.00pm Esteem Theatre Academy 7.00pm Baptism Meeting

Thursday 8 September

Office Closed 7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance

Friday 9 September

Office Closed 9.45 - 10.45am Move It or Lose It

Saturday 10 September

8.30am - 5.00pm Horticultural Show - Open to the public from 2.00pm.

Collect for the Day

To ponder and pray O God, you bear your people ever on your heart and mind. Watch over us in your protecting love, that, strengthened by your grace and led by your Spirit, we may not miss your way for us but enter into your glory, made ready for all in Christ our Lord. Amen.

> Come and join us on Sunday, 11 September 2022

Ordinary 24 in Church and Live-Streamed

10.30am Morning Worship led by Mrs Wendy Gould

1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

Beckminster Methodist Church Birches Barn Road, Penn Fields, Wolverhampton WV3 7BQ Tel. 01902 344910

10.30am Holy Communion led by Rev Dr Paul Nzacahayo

Welcome and Introduction to Worship

Psalm 139: 1 - 6, 13 - 18

StF 99: All creatures of our God and King,

Prayers

Jeremiah 18: 1 - 11 read by Barbara Smith

Luke 14: 25 - 33 read by Ann Holt

Sermon

StF 660: Called by Christ to be disciples

Prayers of Intercession

Offering and Prayer

StF 568: Alleluia sing to Jesus,

Holy Communion

StF 658: A charge to keep I have:

Blessing

The Plants in Church for September are in Loving Memory of:

Phoebe Smith Roger Fellows Frank & Joan Harriman We Welcome You to Worship Today

If you are here for the first time, please make yourself known to those around you, or to one of the Stewards or Minister. You may like to sign the visitors book in the foyer.

Our fellowship will continue after morning worship with tea and coffee served in the Coffee Bar.

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE. The service this morning will be live streamed. The camera focuses only on those taking part but the back of your head might be seen. If you wish to remain out of sight of the camera, please sit at the back of the church.

ZOOM PRAYER MEETING on a Wednesday at 9.00am. All are welcome and for further details please contact Sue.

CHURCH OFFICE is now closed and will re-open on Monday, 12 September at 9.30am. The office will also close on Wednesday, 14 September at 12.30pm and re-open on Wednesday, 21 September at 9.30am. Sue.

EMMAUS. The next meeting is on Wednesday, 7 September at 2.30pm at 3 Castlecroft Lane at the invitation of Sue Reed. If you would like to join us please let Janet Anderson know so that you can receive the notes for the meeting. All are welcome.

DOREEN MORGAN. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family following the death of Doreen on Sunday, 21 August 2022. There will be a Service of Thanksgiving here at Beckminster for Doreen on Wednesday, 21 September 2022 at 12.30pm. This will be followed by refreshments in the Main Hall. All are welcome.

MURIEL CLARKE. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family following the death of Muriel on Thursday, 25 August 2022. Muriel passed away peacefully in her sleep at the age of 91.

PETE HAWKINS. Our thoughts and prayers are with Lynne, Gareth, Claire and Matt following the death of Pete on Tuesday, 9 August 2022. Pete's funeral will take place here at Beckminster on Monday, 5 September 2022 at 12.30pm. All are welcome. For those who are unable to attend, the service will be live-streamed. To access our live-streamed services, please locate YouTube on your device, search Beckminster and simply tune in.

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 5 September 2022 at Essington Farm, Bognop Road, Wolverhampton WV11 2AZ from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

TAKE-A-BREAK. The Carpet Bowling is restarting on Monday, 12 September 2022 at 1.00pm. This is a gentle social activity. Why not come along and give it a try. Contact David Jones 762408.

SATURDAY COFFEE MORNING at Beckminster on 17 September 2022 from 10.30am - 12noon. Light refreshments with fundraising for The Good Shepherd (donations of tinned items welcome).

CHURCH ALIVE - TREASURE TRAIL. There will be a treasure trail around Shifnal on the afternoon of Saturday, 17 September, followed by a meal at The Bell at Tong. Please let us know if you will be joining us, so we can book space at The Bell. George and Julie Tonks.

SUNDAY CLUB. As is our normal practice, Sunday Club will not operate over the school summer holidays. We will be back next Sunday, 11 September 2022.