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Worship and Fellowship

9 October 2022

Ordinary 28

What's On This Week....

Monday 10 October

9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.30am - 12.30pm Art Group 1.00 - 3.15pm Take a Break 2.00pm Church Alive Meeting 4.15 - 8.00pm Dinky Divas

Tuesday 11 October Office Closed 4.45 - 6.45pm Dinky Divas 7.15 - 8.45pm Yoga Group

Wednesday 12 October 9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open

9.00am Zoom Prayer Group (See Notices) 9.15 - 11.15am WeightWatchers 7.00 - 9.00pm Horticultural Society

Thursday 13 October

9.30am - 3.30pm Office Open 7.00 - 9.00pm St Johns Ambulance

Friday 14 October

9.30am - 12.30pm Office Open 9.45 - 10.45am Move It or Lose It 6.30 - 9.00pm Gateway

Saturday 15 October

10.30am - 12noon Coffee Morning (See

Collect for the Day

To ponder and pray Lord, in your goodness, open our eyes to your light, and so fill our hearts with

your glory that we may always acknowledge Jesus as Saviour, and hold fast to his word in sincerity and truth. We make our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

> Come and join us on Sunday, 16 October 2022

Ordinary 29 in Church and Live-Streamed

9.00am Holy Communion led by Rev Glennys Bamford

10.30am Local Arrangement led by Mrs Iris Evans-Bjorno

1.00 - 4.30pm Hope City Church

10.30am Morning Worship led by Dr Janet Anderson

Homeless Sunday

Prison Sunday

Alleluia. I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart In the company of the faithful and the whole congregation.

The works of the Lord are great, sought out by all who delight in them

His work is full of majesty and honour, and his righteousness endures forever.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, a good understanding have those who live by it;

His praise endures forever

StF 691 What shall our greeting be:

Prayers of Praise and Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

'Have you filled your bucket today?'

StF 73 Fill thou my life, O Lord my God,

Second Letter of Paul to Timothy 2: 8 - 15 read by John Ashwood

Gospel Reading: Luke 17: 11 - 19 read by Alan Marriott

StF 513 Take this moment, sign and space;

Healing grace

Prayer for forgiveness

StF 655 We cannot measure how you heal

Prayers for Others - John Ashwood

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION HARVEST 2022. Thank you so much for donating to this year's harvest for the Good Shepherd. Your support is much appreciated, with the large quantities of families and individuals we support. This is greatly appreciated.

GOOD SHEPHERD 50th ANNIVERSARY. This year marks the 50th anniversary since the Little Brothers of the Good Shepherd first arrived in Wolverhampton. To celebrate this milestone, there are two events which you are invited to:

Thanksgiving Mass

Tuesday, 22 November 2022 at 7.00pm, St Michaels Church, Wolverhampton. Refreshments will be provided after the Mass.

Service of Celebration

Thursday, 15 December 2022 at 2.00pm, St Peters Church, Wolverhampton. Refreshments will be provided after the Service.

LYNNE, GARETH, CLAIRE AND MATTHEW would like to thank Paul and all the Beckminster Family for the love, kindness and thoughtfulness shown to them after the loss of Pete.

PAT SHERWOOD was deeply appreciative of the flowers she received from Beckminster and wanted to say thank you for thinking of her.

LINDA HOLLINS, HEATHER MACEY AND PAT JONES (Weightwatchers Buddies) are holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning in respect of the loss of a friend and relative to cancer. This will be on Friday, 21 October 2022 from 11.30am - 1.30pm in the Coffee Bar. Lots of lovely cakes! Please support our cause.

COFFEE MATES. Meet Monday, 7 November 2022 at The Two Greens, Old Hill, Tettenhall WV6 8BQ from 10.45am - 12noon. Everybody welcome. June Sutton, tel. 07790272865.

CHURCH ALIVE. We have two events coming up which I would ask that you add to your diaries please. The first is a Fish and Chip Supper with entertainment from Jacintas on Saturday, 3 December. Further details coming soon but this promises to be an enjoyable night.

The second is the return of our Community Carol Service on Friday, 16 December in conjunction with our friends from Gateway.

I look forward to seeing you at either or both of these events. Many thanks. Tim.

CIRCUIT MWinB afternoon meeting on Tuesday, 18 October 2022 at 2.15pm at Rakegate Methodist Church, 16 Renton Grove, WV10 6XG. The speaker will be Mrs Mal Pratt and there will also be a bring and buy stall. Advent Circuit MWiB Carol Service on Wednesday, 7 December 2022 at 2.30pm at Cranmer Methodist Church, WV6 0RS. All are welcome.

Offering and Prayer

Final Hymn (Sung to Eventide 141)

We seek Your Kingdom throughout every sphere We long for Heaven's demonstration here. Jesus, Your light shine bright for all to see; Transform, revive, and heal society

Before all things, in Him all things were made, Inspiring culture, media, and trade. May all our work serve Your economy; Transform, revive, and heal society

Peace, truth, and justice reigning everywhere With us be present in our public square. Fill all who lead with Your integrity; Transform, revive, and heal society

Forgive us, Lord, when we have not engaged, Failing to scribe Your heart on history's page. Make us again what we were made to be; Transform, revive, and heal society

Faithful to govern ever may we be. Selfless in service, loving constantly; In everything may Your authority Transform, revive, and heal society.

Noel Robinson, Andy Flannagan

Blessing

Lord as we go out help us be determined to live out our faith in action for a world in need, so that others, seeing the way we live our lives might want to know more of the power of your presence and love in their own lives.

The Grace

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

Parents and Sister of Pete & Tricia Prescott

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 fover.

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

Prayer for the Homeless

Loving Lord, we pray for all men and women who are homeless today. For those sleeping under bridges, on park benches, in doorways or bus stations, outside shops or in the open. For those who can only find shelter at night, but must wander in the daytime. For families broken because they cannot afford the rent. For those without friends to take them in. For those who feel afraid and hopeless.

We pray that we, with shelter and security, may we not be lulled into complacency or forgetfulness. Help us to see your face in the faces of the homeless, so that we may be moved in word and deed and by your grace to help in any way we can. **Amen.**

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.

COFFEE MORNINGS. Thank you to all those who attended Beckminster's Coffee Morning in September. There was a warm friendly atmosphere with both church members attending and those who are associated with groups who use our premises. Many tinned goods were donated towards the Good Shepherd along with £86 raised. We are hoping to build on this solid start by holding the next Coffee Morning on Saturday, 15 October 2022 in aid of Compton Hospice where June Sutton will be selling her cards in support of this months charity. It is a perfect opportunity to invite neighbours and friends to church to join in this social activity.

19 November 10.30am - 2.30pm Fair Trade Christmas Marker 17 December 10.30am - 12noon Fundraising for CRISIS Many thanks from the Saturday Coffee Morning Team. **CHURCH ALIVE MEETING.** The next Church Alive Meeting will be on Monday, 10 October 2022 at 2.00pm in the Epworth Room. Tim.

WOLVERHAMPTON FAIR TRAID. Supporter's Evening and AGM on Tuesday, 11 October 2022 at 7.30pm at Cranmer Methodist Church, Wolverhampton WV6 ORS. All are welcome.

NEWPORT MALE VOICE CHOIR AND THE LADIES OF CODSALL SINGERS present a joint concert of popular songs on Saturday, 15 October 2022 at 7.30pm at Trinity Methodist Church. Admission £8 inc refreshments. See noticeboard for further details.

PASTORAL MEETING. The next Pastoral Meeting will be on Monday, 17 October 2022 at 2.00pm in the Epworth Room. Sue.

A CHRISTIAN AID QUIZ EVENING is to be held on Friday, 21 October 2022 at the Goodyear Pavilion, Stafford Road, WV10 6AJ at 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start. Refreshments and Bar available. (Please do not bring your own as the venue costs us nothing and their only profit is from their sales).

Tickets are £4 each and are now available from John Bate (750663) or Sue in the office.

HARVEST. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the wonderful response for 'Feed a Family'. Thank you to those who helped to create displays of flowers and produce around the church and to everyone who gave so generously towards the food bank at the Good Shepherd Centre.

OUR GRATEFUL THANKS to Wendy Ashwood and her team of helpers for preparing and serving the Ploughman's Lunch after our Harvest Thanksgiving service last week. It was much appreciated by around 50 members, who enjoyed the time of fellowship together.