



& St. Peter's, Codsall Wood



Sunday 13th October

TRINITY 17

Welcome to our services today

No 8.00 am Holy Communion

9.00 am Holy Communion at

St. Peter's, Codsall Wood

9.30 am Parish Communion

Hymns : 644, 626, 374, HC 472

HC 584, 617

11.15 am All Age Service

1.00 pm Holy Baptism

Next Sunday 20th October

TRINITY 18

8.00 am Holy Communion

9.30 am Parish Communion

11.15 am All Age Service

*Please join us for tea & coffee
after the 9.30 service*

**If you are a newcomer or
visitor we welcome you to our
church**

This week

DATES FOR THE WEEK

Monday 14th

1.15 pm St. Nicholas Toddler Group - P.R

7.00 pm Prayer Time

7.30pm-8.15pm Enquiry Evening

8.00 pm Faith Issues Group meet at
Crown Joules

Tuesday 15th

9.45 am Tots@St.Nic's in church

Wednesday 16th

10am-12 noon Coffee, Cake & Chat - in
church All Welcome

7.30 pm Bellringing practice

7.30 pm Women@theWell - 3 Acorn
Grove

Thursday 17th

10.15 am Holy Communion

11.15 am 'Open the Book' meeting

7.00 pm Choir practice

Friday 18th

1.30 pm Burial of ashes of Eileen James
in churchyard

Saturday 19th

2.30pm-4.30pm Craft Group - P. Rooms

Daily Prayer is at 9am **Monday-Thursday** in church for 20 minutes - all welcome.

The community bus Every week we offer lifts to our 9.30 service on the community bus.

The driver on



20th October will

be **Ian Morris - 845444** . If you don't usually go on the bus but would like a lift please call the driver on duty.

Faith Issues The group continues to meet at the Crown Joules on Monday evenings from 8.00 pm - 9.30 pm looking at the coming week's Gospel reading and issues of the day. All welcome to the meetings.

Tots@St.Nic's

Is our activity for pre-school children with songs, a story & things to do on Tuesday from 9.45am in church. All pre-schoolers from 0+ and carers very welcome.

Coffee, Cake & Chat

Is on Wednesday 10am-12 noon in church. Do come and join us, you

will be made very welcome. The Whistlefish greetings cards will be on sale.

Women@theWell

Next meeting is Wednesday 16th, 7.30pm at 3 Acorn Grove and Alison Harrison will be leading us. Thinking ahead to the Festive Season, we will be creating a small table



arrangement. Alison will provide the flowers etc & work to a budget of just £5. If you can bring scissors and perhaps a tray to work on, I do have a few trays here. To help Alison with buying the materials, I need to give her numbers of those coming by **14th**. Thank you, **Wendy**

Open the Book There will be a meeting for all who are interested in finding out more about the sessions next Thursday 17th at 11.15am after the mid week communion service.

Cakes Sales

We will be holding cake sales in Church next **Sunday 20th** and **Sunday 17th November**. The

proceeds will go towards The City of Sanctuary Christmas Party on December 14th and Destitute Asylum Seekers.

Advanced notice

We shall be holding a Christmas Coffee Morning on **Saturday 16th November** in the Parish Rooms 10am-12 noon. Amongst the usual stalls we shall be having a Bottle Tombola & a Christmas themed Tombola and would welcome donations please. There will be a marked box at the back of church for contributions, many thanks. (No books this time round please).

PARISH AWAY MORNING - SATURDAY 30TH NOVEMBER

Where do we go from here as a church? This is an important question for us all to be exploring over the coming months as the PCC work towards a Mission Action Plan. It is vitally important that we work together to discern where God is taking us. Please put this date in your diary.

Real Advent Calendar

Please add your order to the list at the back of church by next Sunday **20th**. Each one costs

£3.99, has a line of the Christmas story and a Fairtrade chocolate behind each window, as well as a story activity book. Any questions please contact **Serena**.



Christmas Shoebox Appeal

This year is a little different; we have quite a few schools of sanctuary in Wolverhampton now and they are being asked to cover all the shoeboxes we need for children of all ages, babies to teenagers. Please may we ask you to consider preparing a shoebox for an adult, wrapped and marked man or woman, by the end of November. See the poster at the back of church for more details; there are flyers as well to take away. Any questions, just ask us please; and thank you for helping. **Mike and Rosemary Fox (843442)**

Thank you to all who have paid in their magazine money, much appreciated. There are still a few rounds that have yet to be paid in, could these be done as soon as possible please, thank you.

For our prayers : We give thanks for all who contribute in many different ways to the life of our churches.

Those in particular need : Alice Gibbons, Emily Burns, David Pritchard, Ernie Ward & Thelma Smith.

The departed : Marijke Holden.

About St. Nicholas' Church, Codsall & St. Peter's Church, Codsall Wood

Parish Office: rear of Parish Rooms, Church Road

Parish Secretary - Angela Jevons Tel. 847786

(Office - **Tuesday & Thursday** - 10.00am - 1.00 pm)

If you know someone who would appreciate the support of the church or would like to receive communion at home, or if you would like someone to be included in our prayers (and have asked them), please let Angela know.

Church website: www.stnicholascodsall.org.uk

E-newsletter : To receive this please email: stnicscodsall@gmail.com

Arranging baptisms and weddings

Every Monday (except Bank Hols) from 7.30pm - 8.15pm there is an Enquiry Evening at St. Nicholas Church for arranging weddings & christenings.

Clergy contact

We are served by a Ministry Team of clergy and lay people

Our Vicar is Revd. Margaret Mattocks

The Vicarage, 48 Church Road, Codsall, Staffs. WV8 1EH, Tel : 842168

Churchwardens : Sue Richardson - 845556 & Craig Pickering - 654391

Giving to the church We are very grateful to all who support our church in different ways. The easiest way to give regularly is by Standing Order. Please ask Jill Dodd for a form (or let her know if you use internet banking) and for a Gift Aid form if you pay tax. You can also fill in a green envelope to give in church using Gift Aid if you pay tax.