

SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST



With St. Peter's Codsall Wood

SUNDAY COMMUNION SERVICES

St. Peter's Church Codsall Wood

8.30am BCP on the second and fourth Sunday of each month.

St. Nicholas Church Codsall

10.00am Communion weekly

Thursday Morning 10.00 am Communion Services

St. Peter's Codsall Wood 1st, 3rd & 5th Thursdays

St. Nicholas Codsall 2nd & 4th Thursdays

BAPTISMS

If you are considering a baptism for either yourself or your children, you will be required to attend church 4 times and then approach the enquiries team on Monday evenings **(see note overleaf for dates)** so that a suitable date can be found. Baptisms are normally on the first Sunday of each month.

BIBLE STUDY - MONDAYS

If you would like to join the Bible Study on Mondays at 8.00 pm in church please come along, you will be very welcome.

GRATITUDE & GENEROSITY MONTH

September is going to be a wonderful celebratory month for us at St. Nicholas and St. Peters with lots of things being planned. We will be starting with a service to say thank you to all [everyone] who is part of the life of the church, be that bell ringers or welcomers, teams and groups, AV and administration, magazine distributors and PCC members, Parish Rooms manager etc the list goes on and on but we would love you there to celebrate with us. The 10am service next Sunday **6th September** is going to be followed by a shared lunch so bring a plate and enjoy spending time together. In the weeks following we hope to decorate the church with gratitude bunting, a posh Puddings afternoon and completing the month with a nostalgic Harvest Festival on **27th September**. We will be having Corn Dolly Workshops in church next **Wednesday 2nd September** from 3pm-4pm and on **Saturday 12th**, 10am-12 noon, these will go towards the decorating of the church for Harvest Festival. Thank you to John Parry for kindly proving the wheat. Then we need to think ahead about decorating the church ready for our harvest celebration.

LADIES CIRCLE meet on **Tuesday 1st September** at 8.00 pm in the Parish Rooms, visitors very welcome to join us.

COFFEE, CAKE & CHAT is usually on the 1st & 3rd Mondays every month, 10.00am-12 noon in the Parish Rooms. The next one will be on **Monday 7th September**. Do come and join us for cakes, tea-cakes etc along with tea & coffee, you will be made very welcome. The Whistlefish cards are normally on sale on the first Monday of the month that we meet.

ENQUIRY EVENING If you are enquiring about a wedding or baptism, please note the next Enquiry Evening will be **Monday 7th September** in church from 7pm-8pm.

MEALS ON WHEELS Food Bank Collection

For some years we have had a Meals on Wheels collection which enables people to collect food items from their street by way of leafleting their street and giving a certain date & time when a wheelbarrow will be on your front garden for people to put their donated food, to then be brought to church on **Saturday 26th September** between 10am-12 noon. All food is donated to The Well Food Bank. Leaflets are at the back of church & if anyone needs anymore just ask Angela to print some off for you, many thanks.

St. PIeter's Codsall Wood! Harvest Supper

Saturday 3rd October, St. Peter's Church Hall, 7pm

A PIE & PEAS EVENING TO CELEBRATE THE HARVEST OF 2026

There will be a choice of Steak or Chicken & Mushroom pies, freshly prepared by our resident pie maker Suzanne/Brewood Pie Company, with mushy or garden peas, followed by strawberries grown in Codsall Wood & kindly supplied by Charles & Alison Kidson/Harriott Hayes Farm.

Water available, but please bring your own soft and alcoholic drinks.

There will be live music and some fun games to entertain us.

Adults & Hungry older Children - £10.00. Children under 10 go free.

Our last 2 Pie & Peas evenings sold out so, to reserve your places, please contact Tim West before **Wednesday 23rd September** latest:

Home: 01902 842 526

Mobile: 07786 275 991 Email: timwwest@talktalk.net

Please let Tim know if you have any special dietary requirements.

Strawberries at St. Peter's, still available!

Alison Kidson from Harriotts Hayes Farm in Codsall Wood will be selling the farm's locally grown strawberries from St. Peter's Hall every Thursday during the summer, between 11.00am & 2.00pm. A large (400g) punnet is only £3.00. So, not only can you get your pies from Suzanne, but you can also now get your dessert from Alison!

ONLINE SERVICE AWARENESS

We ask the congregation to be aware that all our morning services are live streamed and recorded for viewing later in the week. Please be aware of camera positions in and around the church as it may be that you wish to opt out of being seen by others. This is an important part of keeping all our congregation safe. If you have any concerns or queries please contact one of our two Safeguarding Officers, either Helen Walker **07913 865792** or Raychel Tasarov **07477 244599**.

CARD MACHINE

We are forever grateful to all who support the work of the church financially. We realise that cash is now something that most people do not carry around with them and so St. Nicholas have provided an easy to use card machine which you will find as you enter and exit the church building.

September parish magazines are at the back of church ready for collection and distribution, many thanks.

There are baby changing facilities in the toilet at the back of church.