

Welcome to The Cotteridge Church

Sunday 6th February 2022 Epiphany 5

"The calling of The Cotteridge Church is to respond to the Gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship in worship and mission"

Prayer of the Day

Lord of the hosts of heaven,
our salvation and our strength,
without you we are lost:
guard us from all that harms or hurts
and raise us when we fall;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

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10.30 Morning Worship
Sue Spenser
Hymns 553 424, 614, 619
Reading Psalm 139 .1-6,13-16 Matthew 10 29-31
Readers Boys Brigade
Organ John Tesh
7.30pm Spark | Daniel Blake final session

Prayer Column

We pray for our pastoral links:

Rita S. with Elsa C, Joan C, Bob, and Ivor R.
Tim and Sue C. with John C, Hazel F, Suzy H,
Peter R, Helen S, Pam W, Susan S, and
Miriam T.

We pray for those who are housebound and those in long term need :

Jackie J, Moira J, Joan C, Gill and Len S and
Rod S, Myra D, Chris M, Beryl H, Keith and
Mary K, Jennifer M

We pray for those who are ill or are in

particular need of prayer: -Megan, Vinnie H,
Mark T, Keith, Robin, Shirley, Jenny F Paul S.
David W, Norman and Philomena , Ivor R
Steven W.

We remember those who have died:

Jean Purdy

Coffee Bar 8.30 to 1.30 weekdays

Tuesday 8th February

10.00am Holy Communion Mike Claridge
10.30am Praying through Change
2.00pm Tuesday Fellowship
6.15pm Rainbows, Brownies and Guides
7.30p.m. Joint Church Council - hybrid

Wednesday 9th February

3.00pm Youth Cafe
7.30pm. Worship zoom

Thursday 10th February

10.30 Knit and Natter
12.00 Platinum Planning Committee
6.30 Choir Practice
6.15 Boys Brigade

Services Next Sunday

13th February Epiphany 6

10.00am Video Reflection ([YouTube](#))

10.30am Holy Communion Mike Claridge

Finance

A huge thank you to the 36 members who have signed up to the Parish Giving Scheme. This means their donations are increased by being gift aided. Unfortunately 22 donations are not through this scheme so we are losing about £360 per month to the Government. If anyone would like details of the Giving Scheme please have a word with me. Jane Stephens

Photographs

1st Shirley Morgan (Pennine Way Customer) 2nd Norman Mann 3rd Sheila Boulds and 4th Chris Pascal. The money raised from photos plus sale of cards made in Day Centre bought the Day Centre a karaoke Machine. Thank you for the support. There will be another competition this year when a suitable theme has been chosen. Linda Woodhouse

Birmingham City Mission

Our thanks to The Cotteridge Church for the toy donations and the lovely gifts. These were much appreciated. Just over 1,400 families were referred to us representing about 3,500 children. GOD bless you. Hazel Nash

Sound Desk

We really need to increase those who manage the sound desk on a SUNDAY morning and occasionally for funerals. If you feel you are able to help please have a word with Mike Meadows. Full training will be given.

Offertory

Please remember stewards will bring around the offertory plate during one of the hymns which will then be offered with a prayer.

Flowers.

The flowers this week have been donated by Sandra Walton Thank you Sandra Enjoy!

FUTURE EVENTS

**Saturday 4th June Platinum Jubilee Celebration
Summer Fayre and Garden Party 10.00 to 2.00
URC 50th Anniversary Saturday 1st October 22
see URC website for full details**

Please ensure that all notices reach me by midnight on Thursday

to revroger.collins@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk

Lent Course

Caring for Creation

Sundays 6.30-7.30

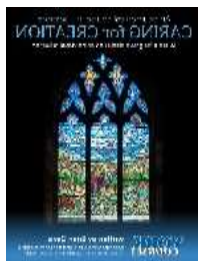
Sunday 6th March 13th 20th 27th 3rd April

Tuesdays 11.00-12.00

Tuesday 8th March 15th 22nd 29th 5th April

1. Environment
2. Global Warming and Climate Change
3. Age of Humans
4. Coming out of Denial and Facing Crisis
5. Faith Hope and Love

Course booklet 3.80 available from the bookcentre



Update 29th January

Last week we received in donations 2429k

We gave out 2687k feeding 197 people on 99 vouchers

Last month we received in 7297k gave out 11171k feeding 915 people on 425 vouchers

I must admit I rather like this quotation and it is one with which I Agree

"We love the work on social justice that [Jack Monroe](#) and [Marcus Rashford](#) have done. They are an inspiration."

B30 and South Birmingham Foodbank is now its own charity This has just been granted and we are now trying to work out the implications Our charity number is 1197620

Urgently needed

Long life fruit juice, squash, Sugar 500g (not larger), teabags (40's or 80's), gender neutral shampoo, single or duo wrapped toothbrushes, toothpaste, size 5 nappies, crisps, dog/cat food

Low in stock

UHT semi-skimmed milk, UHT whole milk, tinned rice pudding, tinned tomatoes, jam/honey, instant coffee (not decaffeinated), rice, tinned potatoes, ready-made custard (tinned or carton - not powder) laundry power/liquid (not family sized), tinned spaghetti, chocolate and snack bars, tinned/packet vegetarian meal, strong carrier bags, toilet rolls.

Well stocked

Tinned fish, cereal (not greater than 500g), pasta sauce, tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork sandwich, pulled pork, pulled chicken, tinned fruit in juice (not prunes or grapefruit), instant hot chocolate (not cocoa powder), baked beans, pasta shapes, dry spaghetti, tinned/packet soup, tinned vegetables, biscuits, nappies all sizes, baby food and baby care items, gender neutral shower gel, liquid/bar soap, roll-on deodorants, sanitary pads, baby wipes, porridge, noodles, instant potato, washing-up liquid

Not needed at all

Decaffeinated drinks or fruit infusions, bottled water, large bottles of lemonade or coke, any food or toiletries containing alcohol, cooking ingredient or sauces, tinned macaroni cheese, fresh products (including vegetable, meat, eggs and bread), non-dairy items, gluten-free items, coffee beans, loose tea, large boxes of teabags (120's or more), very large bags or boxes of porridge and cereal, cocoa power, tampons, make up hair accessories, perfume or aftershave, Christmas items

Clients needing emergency food are referred to B30Foodbank by E-Voucher through a referral agent. Or call CITIZENS ADVICE 08082082138 Or call BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL on 0121 216 3030 Or call The Project on 0121 453 0606 Whats App 07974 106813

Distribution of food Clients or their representatives will need to collect the parcels from B30Foodbank, Quaker Friends Meeting House 23aWatford Road B30 1JB on Tuesday and Friday between 1.30 and 3.30pm DONATIONS to the B30Foodbank at the Warehouse 17 Castle Road B30 3HZ on Tuesday and Fridays between 2.00 - 4.00p.m,

PHONE LINES FOR CLIENTS 07582 143 972
FOR DONATIONS 07985 629 201

Cotteridge Church Book Centre During February and while stocks last all in date coffee is now half price

Café direct 460 100g now 230

500g 24.90 now 12.45

Machu picchu 200 7.50 now 3.75

Traidcraft decaf 100g 5.50 now 2.50

Traidcraft coffee 100 5.00 now 2,50

Card Payments now accepted.

For Orders

Jane on 07800815074 or Roger on 07721 526854

A selection of LENTEN Reading



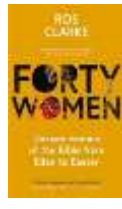
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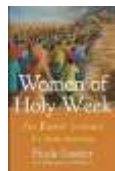
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Lent Books and Lent Course are now available