

Welcome to The Cotteridge Church

Sunday 20th December 2020 :



God of truth - For you we wait.

God of justice - For you we wait.

God of loving kindness - For you we wait

We know that you are always very near. Amen.

Our calling: "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"

10:30am

Morning Worship

Rev'd Mike Claridge

Readings:

2 Samuel 7 .1-11, 16

Luke 1 .46b-55

Romans 16 .25-27

Luke 1 .26-38

Bible study, worship material, news and resources available at www.mjclaridge.co.uk

Prayer Column

Events this Week

MONDAY TO SUNDAY

Day Centre Closed

3C Café:

Mon- Fri Closed

Saturday Closed

Wednesday 23rd December

7:30 pm Carol Service on Zoom

Thursday 24th December

11:30 pm Communion Service (Mike Claridge)

Friday 25th December

10:00 am Communion (Roger Collins) (Booking essential)

Sunday 27th December

10:00 am Mike's Weekly Reflection (online)

10:30 am Methodist District Worship (online)

10:30 am Holy Communion (in church)

12:00 pm Coffee (Zoom)

Notices for the Week

Used Postage Stamps

Please save any used postage stamps, bring them to church and place them in the box by the pigeon holes. Thank you from Myra Dean.

Traidcraft at COTTERIDGE - Buy your stocking fillers from the book centre - face masks £4.00 chocolate raisins £2.50 chocolate ginger £2.50 pear drops £1.55 soft nougat £3.50 soft nougat with dark chocolate £3.50 medjoul dates £4.90 Cookies ginger £2.10 chocolate £2.10 Chewy fruit and oat cookies now half price 1.05 Traidcraft inspiring a fair trade revolution by Joe Osman 12.99 or the Birmingham CALENDAR 5.99 Give Roger 07721526854 or JANE 07800815074 to order. pick up at church or for no extra cost we can deliver. Coming shortly **Living in Love and Faith** 19.99 course booklet 4.99 and special price for 500g of cafe direct £15.00

Stewards for Christmas Services

We need to ensure that we have sufficient stewards for the services at 11.30pm on Christmas Eve and Christmas morning at 10.00am. Both of these will now include Holy Communion. See Neil Walters if you can help.

Pre-booking is essential for the 10.00am

Christmas morning service - Booking is via the following link (from Monday morning).

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/christmas-day-worship-tickets-133032809715>

Those who do not have internet access can contact Jane Stephens on 0121 458 7552 (remember to leave your phone number).

Praying through Change - is meeting by phone

and email. The next meeting is December 29th, 10.30am. Details from Linda

Mann: normanmann@blueyonder.co.uk or 0121 608 2088 or Hazel Nash:

nash_hazel@hotmail.com or 0121 459 6823

Internal Christmas Card

Please check if there are any Christmas cards for you to collect after the service today. Any uncollected will be delivered. Any questions please speak to Jane or Roger.

Funeral of Brian Vine

It's close family only at LODGE HILL - it's hoped to organise a memorial next summer. Roger.

Christmas Services

Wed 23rd Dec - Carol Service **on Zoom** 7.30pm
Christmas Eve, CTB30 Carols on the Green -
6pm Only **on YouTube** (Bournville Parish
Church)

Christmas Eve 11.30pm Communion

Christmas Day 10.00am Communion (booking
required)

Carol Service on Zoom, Wednesday, 7.30pm

Log in and phone in details for Wednesday Zoom
Worship are published each week on Mike's
eShot (or contact Mike).

B30 Foodbank – w/e DECEMBER 12th 2020

How to get emergency food

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.

Last week

We received in donations of 4716k and gave
out 2595 k 1040k to 175 clients and 1473k to
other foodbanks or similar

Urgent (red on app)

Tea - small packets, 40's and 80'S, Sugar
(500g bags), Gender neutral deodorant,
Disposable razors, Single wrapped/boxes adult
toothbrushes

Low in stock (amber on app)

Tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork slices,
pulled pork), Tinned fruit in juice, Instant custard
,(tinned or carton - not cocoa powder,UHT while
milk (blue), Potato smash, Instant hot chocolate
(not powder) Instant coffee, Jam, honey, peanut
butter, Long life fruit juice, Tinned
spaghetti Tinned rice pudding, Pasta sauces,
Squash, Rice , UHT semi skimmed milk (green),
Shampoo Shower gel, Soap bars, Toothpaste
Sturdy bags for life, Crisps,

Well stocked and do not need

Christmas chocolates, Baked beans, Pasta
shapes, Dry spaghetti, Cereal, Porridge, Tinned
macaroni cheese. Tinned meat products
(sausages in beans, spaghetti bolonaise, meat
balls, etc) Tinned Veg. Tinned/packet soup,

Tinned potatoes , Treats/snack bars, Bottled
water Pet food, Baby food or milk, Dairy free
milk, Noodle pots/sachets, Biscuits , Washing up
liquid Male and female specific toiletries, Toilet
rolls, Sanitary products, Cooking ingredients ,
Plastic Carrier bags,

**Cannot distribute Anything with even a small
trace of alcohol in**

Worship Online continues:

As follows:

1) Mike's Sunday Reflections - premiere on
YouTube at 10.00am. Access via

www.mjclaridge.co.uk or

www.youtube.com/user/mjclaridge

2) Live Worship at 10.30am - The Methodist
District live worship stream every Sunday
10.30am - 11.30am. Links are on their website

www.birminghammethodist.org.uk

3) Sunday Coffee on Zoom - Chat over coffee
with friends from The Cotteridge Church. Contact
Mike for log-in which is different to Wednesday!

**4) Wednesday Worship by Zoom- 7.30pm (30
mins)** All welcome by computer or phone-in on
landline. Se Mike's eShot or contact him for
log-in.

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