

Welcome to The Cotteridge Church

Sunday 28th March 2021 :



**The church building is currently closed for worship.
We hope to open for face-to-face worship on Easter Day.**

True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory. 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"

Readings: Isaiah 50 .4-9a
Psalm 118 .1-2, 19-29
Philippians 2 .5-11
Mark 11 .1 - 11

Readings, Bible study, worship materials, links and other resources are updated weekly at www.mjclaridge.co.uk

Prayer Column

Events this Week

Tuesday 30th March

10:30 am Praying through change (web)

Wednesday 31st March

7:30 pm Worship on Zoom

Thursday 1st April

7:30 pm Maundy Thursday Service (Zoom)

Sunday 4th April

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

Traidcraft at COTTERIDGE - The new catalogue has arrived. The jumbo bag is in stock. Two special offers: in date machu picchu coffee beans half price £2, and chocolate

shortbread fingers £1. If you would like a copy please let ROGER OR JANE know. Please ring Jane 07800815074 or Roger on 07721 526854 to order. Delivery service available.

Resuming Face-to-Face Worship

At a recent meeting of the JCC it was decided:

The Sunday following the lifting of the Government's 'stay at home' rule, services of worship will resume in the Cotteridge Church. We hope the first service will be communion on Easter Sunday.

Praying through Change - is meeting by phone and email. The next meetings are 30th March, April 6th, 20th, May: 4th and 18th June: 1st, 15th, 29th. All at 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

Holy Week and Easter Services

Short **Daily Prayer** videos will be posted Monday - Thursday on YouTube and social media. On **Good Friday** there will be a slightly longer one. Live Worship on Zoom will take place on Wednesday and **Maundy Thursday** at 7.30pm. Contact mike.claridge@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk for the login details.

Worship in the church building will hopefully resume on Easter Day at 10.30am.

B30 Foodbank WEEKENDING MARCH 20th 2021

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 2225K and gave out 1648K ,1098K to 93 clients and 511 to other foodbanks or similar.

Grateful thanks to those who organise street collections Featherstone Road Franklin Road , Northfield Road, , Pineapple road, Third Avenue, , which raised 648K and the vegetarian Society who provided a pallet load of meals 80 boxes weighing 376k.

Urgently needed

Potato Smash Porridge oats Tinned fruit in juice (not prunes or grapefruit) Shower gell, laundry liquid or powder (not family sized)Really strong carrier bags Nappies size 6.

Low of stock

Tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork sandwich meat, pulled pork) Tinned fish (not tuna) Ready made custard (tinned or carton - not powder) Cereal UHT semi-skimmed milk (green) UHT whole milk (blue)Instant coffee (not decaffeinated)Instant hot chocolate (made with water) Sugar 500g (not larger)Tinned spaghetti Tinned macaroni cheese Jam/Honey Tinned rice pudding Snack bars/chocolate Crisps Packet noodles Nappies sizes 3-5ShampooTooth brushes (single or duo packs) Toothpaste Bar or liquid soap Disposable razors Sanitary pads (not tampons) Washing up liquid.

Well stocked

Tinned vegetablesTinned tomatoes Tinned potato, tinned tuna Tinned/packet soup, Baked bean, Pasta sauce Pasta shapes and dry spaghetti, RiceTeabags (40 or 80's) Squash Long-life fruit juice Biscuits Roll-on deodorants Toilet roll Shaving foam Nappies sizes 1 & 2, 7& Pet food Baby care items Baby food.

Not wanted at all

Decaffeinated drinks or fruits infusions Bottled water Large bottles of lemonade or coke Any foods containing alcohol Cooking ingredients Fresh produce including vegetables, eggs and bread Non-dairy items or gluten free items Coffee beans Large boxes of teabags (120's or larger) Very large boxes of cereal or porridge Loose tea , Cocoa powder Tampons Make up, hair accessories, perfume or after-shave.

Foodbank App. The app is updated weekly. Go to your app provider and download Foodbank Redemption Media and then open B30 .

Warehousing: Warehouse, is at 17 Castle Rd, Kings Norton Business Park, B30 3HZ. 2.00-4.00 on Tuesday and Friday.

B30 Foodbank, The Cotteridge Church, 24 Pershore Road South.

info@b30foodbank.org.uk 07582 143972

B30 Foodbank is part of the Trussell Trust's UK-wide foodbank network

Annual Church Meeting

With the hope that all **legal** restrictions will be removed on 21st June we have decided to schedule the Annual Church Meeting on Saturday 26th June at 10.30am.