

Celebrate Christmas at The Cotteridge Church

We are an Ecumenical Partnership of The Methodist Church, The Church of England and The United Reformed Church







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Christmas Eve

6pm - 7pm Carols on <u>Bournville Green</u> With Churches Together in B30. All welcome.

11.30pm - 12.15am Midnight Communion and carols

Christmas Day

10.30am Christmas Family Communion (this service lasts no longer than 50 minutes)

> Sunday 1st January 2023 10.30am New Years' Day Service

Sunday 8th January - All Age Epiphany Worship 10.30am: Crafts, Carols and worship as we celebrate the arrival of The Magi (Kings/Wise Men) with gifts of Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh

WELCOME TO THE COTTERIDGE CHURCH

Sunday 25th DECEMBER Christmas Day 11.30pm Midnight Communion Mike Claridge

God our Father,

in this night you have made known to us again

the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ: confirm our faith and fix our eyes on him until the day dawns

and Christ the Morning Star rises in our hearts.

To him be glory both now and for ever. Amen Hymns 217 221 193 202 212 330

Readings Isaiah 9 2-7 Luke 2 8-20 John 1 1-5 15

10.30am Holy Communion
Roger Collins
Lord Jesus Christ,
your birth at Bethlehem
draws us to kneel in wonder at heaven
touching earth:
accept our heartfelt praise
as we worship you,
our Saviour and our eternal God.
Hymns 165 v5, 330, 216, 217,672
Readings Isaiah 9 2-7 Luke 2 1 20
Music Peter Childs

Activity Bags for young children are available from the stewards

Prayer Requests

We pray for our pastoral link

Pam W., : with Anastasia C., Roger C., Nicola D, Chris P., Ruth R., and Alison, Timothy and Imogen S..

Those in long term need:

Moira J, Joan C, Gill S, Chris M, Beryl H, Jennifer M, Jackie J

We pray for those who are ill or are in particular need

Megan, Vinnie H, Mark T, Mary and Keith K, Robin, Shirley, Jenny F, David W, Norman and Philomena, Ken F Lauren D,, Geoff W, Keith Lyn, Friedl Dorothy T

Prayer Cards Maureen K Chris, Tony ,Roger M, Rosa S Robert L We remember those who have died



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

Next Week

Monday 26th December Closed

Tuesday 27th December Closed

Wednesday 28th December 10.am to 12.00 coffee bar

Thursday 29th December 10am to 12,00 Coffee Bar

Friday 30th December 10am to 12.00 coffee bar

Saturday 31st December 10.00 am coffee Bar

Sunday 1st January 2023 10.30 Morning Worship John Cooper

Notices



Christmas Card Boxes

Christmas Card Boxes are out this Sunday for internal distribution of Christmas Cards If you make use of this service please leave an offering for Christian Aid on the collection plate

Flowers

As we celebrate the season of Advent ... the flowers and decorations in church will be a symbol of our preparation for the coming of Christ , the Light of the World. Enjoy thank you Sandra Walton

Book Centre

Your last chance to purchase



Nativity
Silhouette
1 only £30



Nativity Scene Star Tealight Holder Only

Advent

Reading

New Book in stock
Sleepers Wake: Getting Serious
about Climate Change: The
Archbishop of York's Advent Book
2022 10.99

Bethlehem Bound 11.99
Beyond the Christmas Window 9.99
Books now in stock



Rich fruit cake £5 .10



Traidcraft All Butter Shortbread Biscuits Gift Box 4.50



black cherry crème 2.35



Christingle milk chocolate 3.50

Food bank



Proof of deliver? Last week we received in 4764 k and gave out 3427k feeding 454 clients on 179 vouchers

Tinned rice pudding, long-life fruit juice (not needing refrigeration), tinned/carton ready made custard (not powder), porridge (not greater than 500g), tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork sandwich, pulled pork, chicken), instant coffee (not decaffeinated), cereal (not greater than 500g), liquid/bar soap, gender neutral shower gel, toothpaste.

Christmas needs

Tinned ham, tinned salmon; tinned carrots veg: peas, sprouts; tinned peaches or tinned fruit cocktail; ready-made custard (tinned/carton); alcohol-free Christmas puddings; selection boxes; gender neutral; shower gel; liquid/bar soap.

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

Distribution of food

Clients or their representatives will need to collect the parcels from B30Foodbank, Quaker Friends Meeting House 23aWatfod Road B30 1JB on Tuesday and Friday between 1.30 and 3.30pm enquiries info@b30.foodbank.org.uk
DONATIONS to the B30Foodbank at the Warehouse 17 Castle Road B30 3HZ on Tuesday and Fridays between 2.00 - 4.00p

Financial Donations30-98-97 68010562 B30 and South Birmingham foodbank