

### Pennine Way Trips

There are still plenty of spaces left for the coach & carvery trip to The Lake at Barston happening on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October.

You can find out details and information of upcoming Pennine Way trips by speaking to Rita Sutton.

You will find her in the Pennine Way on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.

### Flowers in Church

The flowers that are displayed in church are a lovely way for you to celebrate and remember a loved one or dear friend.

If you would like to make a contribution or if you'd like to personally arrange some then please speak to Sandra W.

### Date for your diary

Christmas Tree Fayre

10am -1pm

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December!!



### Bulb planting Workshop

Join us on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October at 10:30am for a bulb planting workshop.

All the materials will be provided for you to plant bulbs and decorate bowls ready for our Christmas sale.



### Tote-bag making Workshop

On Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October, you can join us for a tote bag making workshop. All materials will be provided and the finished products will be going on sale at

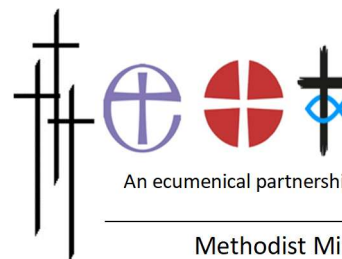


our Christmas Fayre with any leftover items being donated to the foodbank.

### Harvest Festival

Celebrate Harvest Festival with us on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2026.

Gifts of canned, dried and packeted food and financial gifts in a labelled envelope would be most welcome for the B30 & South Birmingham Foodbank.



# The Cotteridge Church

An ecumenical partnership of the Methodist Church, The Church of England and The United Reformed Church

Methodist Minister: Rev'd Tokunbo Asogbon C of E Priest: Rev'd Tariro Mukoja

### **Sunday 20th September — Proper 20 Holy Communion**

Rev'd Peter Bates

**Lord of creation,  
whose glory is around and within us:  
open our eyes to your wonders,  
that we may serve you with reverence  
and know your peace at our lives' end,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen**

**Hymns:** 503 (*Love Divine*)  
440 (*Amazing Grace*)  
634 (*Fight the Good Fight*)  
566 (*Take my life & let it be*)  
470 (*Lord for the years*)

**Readers:** Sheila B  
Alison S

**Readings:** Philippians 1: 21-30  
Matthew 20: 1-16

**Music:** Gill B

**Av:** Tim

The notice sheet is prepared by Sarah to whom notices should be sent  
[administrator@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk](mailto:administrator@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk)

### **We remember our pastoral links**

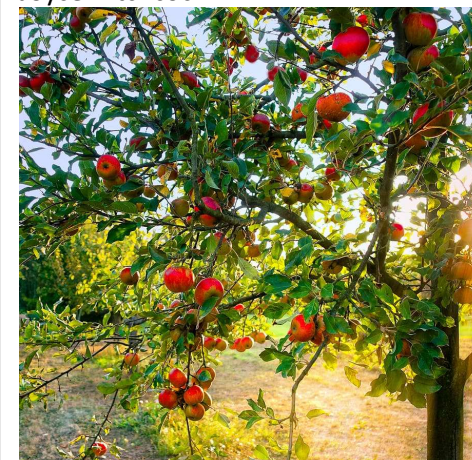
Jane S: with June G., Jayne H., Richard J., Monica T., Jayne and Michael R., and Tariro M., John Cl: with Susan and Tim C., Margaret E., Beverley G., Jackie and Mike M., John O., John T., and Neil W.,

### **We pray for those who are ill or are in need**

Megan, Vinnie H, Mark T, Robin, Shirley, Jenny F, Lauren D, Keith & May K, Lyn, Dorothy T, Sue S, Tilly M, Norman & Philomena, Eric, Jed S, Israel S, Chris P, Monica, Ros M, Harry M, Don & Sue H, Malcom, Kevin B, Sindy C, Richard, Roger C., Gary W., Philomena M., Gemma & Andy C., Neil W.,

### **We pray for those who have died.**

Joyce Hitchcock



## CALENDAR- WC Monday 21st Sept 26

### Monday 21st

9am – CGL  
9am – Sanctuary Group  
9:30am - C2U  
6pm - Ladies Only Yoga

### Tuesday 22nd

9:00am - CGL  
9:30am - Homestart  
9:30am - C2U  
10.00 - Holy Communion  
2:00pm – Tuesday Fellowship  
6.00pm - DATUS  
6:00pm - Rainbows  
6:30pm - Brownies  
7:30pm - Girl Guides

### Wednesday 23rd

9:00am - CGL  
9:30am - C2U  
11:00am - Extend Exercise  
7:00pm - Private Hire  
7:30pm – Co-op Gardeners

### Thursday 24th

9:30am - C2U  
10:00am - Contento Social Homes  
10:30am - Knit & Natter

### Friday 25th

9:30am - C2U  
9:30am – Saplings  
6:00pm - Pinkies Sober Sessions  
6:15pm - Boys Brigade

### Saturday 26th

10:00am - DATUS

### Sunday 27th

10:30am – Morning Worship

## Job Vacancy

Our friends at Selly Oak Methodist church are recruiting a cleaner to join their team.

There are some flyers on the noticeboard for you and further details can be obtained along with an application pack from Sue Saunderson at SOMC.



## The Cotteridge Church Assistant Priests

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## Coffee Bar

The coffee bar is open Monday-Friday 9am—1:30pm serving a range of homemade cakes and meals. Look at some of the fabulous food we have available.



Our rock cakes are simply delicious!

Our breakfasts are the best value in the area by a mile!!



## Fairtrade Fortnight 2026 21st September – 4th October

**'Do it Fair – for People, for Planet and for Fair Pay'**

Stall selling Fairtrade goods on Sat 26th & Sun 27th September and Sat 3rd & Sun 4th October. Come and look, browse & buy! Jane



## Fairtrade at The Cotteridge Church

Did you know that we sell a range of Fairtrade foods & cleaning products? Just some of these include:

Teabags, Coffee; Freeze dried & Ground Muesli, Tomato & Basil Sauce, Honey; Set & Clear, Dishwasher tablets, Toilet rolls and so much more!

If this is something of interest to you, please see Jane S for more details, information and pricing on the many products available!

*Fairtrade is the most recognised and trusted sustainability label working to make trade fairer for the people who grow our food!*



Palestine, the West Bank, & the Jordan Valley are often in the news, sadly for desperate reasons, but Zaytoun is a social enterprise supporting the resilience of Palestinian communities in these regions through fair-trade. Their products include olive oil, Medjoul dates and a range of soaps, all available from the Bookcentre.

