

Important Change to Welcome service

An amendment for the welcome service for new circuit ministers has come in; Rev Tokunbo Asogbon to Selly Oak and The Cotteridge Church in the Blue Team, and Rev Andy Moffoot to Solihull, Trinity Monkspath and Earlswood in the Green Team, will be inducted to their new roles within the circuit at Carrs Lane Church on Sunday 6th September **at the new time of 5:30pm!!**

It would be lovely for a big attendance from members of The Cotteridge Church to give a very warm welcome!

Can you spare some time for Saplings?

Our playgroup runs solely on the goodwill of volunteers. Can you spare a couple of hours per term to help the existing team?

Please speak to Alison or Sarah if you are able to and would like to join the gang!

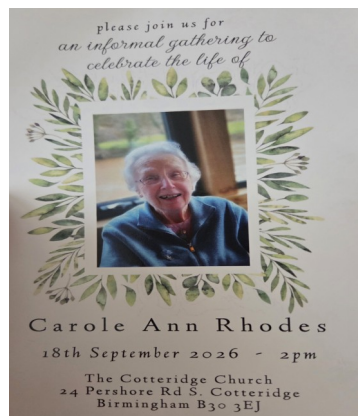


Celebration of life

On Friday 18th September 2026 at 2:00pm, there is a celebration of life being held here in memory of Carole Rhodes who many of you may Remember.

She was an active member of the church and heavily involved in Girls Brigade for many years.

The family invite you to join them



Knit & Natter Returns!

After a lovely summer break, the knit & natter group will be returning on Thursday 3rd September at 10:30am. There will be new projects to get started on or just bring your own knitting along.

It's sociable and fun so do come along!



Methodist Minister: Farai Mapamula C of E Priest: Rev'd Tariro Mukoja

Sunday 30th August—Proper 17

Morning Worshio

Rev Israel Selvanayagam

**Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen**

Hymns 20 (*Be still*)
87 (*Praise to the living God*)
473 (*Moses I know you're the man*)
693 (*Beauty for brokenness*)
465 (*Guide me O thou great Jehovah*)

Readers: Dorothy A
Jane S

Readings: Exodus 3: 1 - 15
Matthew 16: 21 - 28

Organist: John T

AV: Jane S & Jago T

The notice sheet is prepared by Sarah to whom notices should be sent
administrator@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk

We remember our pastoral links

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

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., Alan A., Gemma & Andy C.,

We pray for those who have died. John Isbister



CALENDAR- WC Monday 31st August 2026

Monday 31st

Closed for Bank Holiday

Tuesday 1st

9:00am - CGL

10.00 - Holy Communion

Led by: Rev

6.00pm - DATUS

Wednesday 2nd

9:00am - CGL

11:00am - Extend Exercise

7:00pm - Private Hire

Thursday 3rd

6:30pm - David Coleman

Friday 4th

10:00am - Contento Social Homes

6:00pm - Pinkies Sober Sessions

Saturday 5th

10:00am - DATUS

Sunday 6th

10:30am - Parade

Led by: Rev'd Tariro Mukoja

Prostate Cancer Support Group

A new group is starting up locally to support people and families living with prostate cancer.

In the UK, 1 in 8 men are diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime. This is such an important and vital group and you may know someone who can benefit from it!!

The group launches on Friday 11th September. There is a larger flyer on the noticeboard with details.



PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

ComeLetUs COMMUNITY PROJECT

You are not alone. We are here to help.

A support group for people and families living with prostate cancer. Providing emotional and practical help for those living with the prostate cancer.

VENUE
Northfield Methodist Church
Chatham Road
Northfield
Birmingham
B31 2PH

WHEN
2nd Friday of the month
6:00pm – 8:00pm
LAUNCH MEETING
Friday 11th September

WHO IS IT FOR?
Whether you've recently been diagnosed, are undergoing treatment, are living beyond prostate cancer, or you're supporting a loved one, you're welcome to join us.

- Meet others with shared experiences
- Receive emotional support
- Share advice and information
- Build friendships in a welcoming environment

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Please contact ☎ 07359329026
cluprostatecancergroup525@gmail.com

Support Share Strength Together

Pennine Way Trips

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.

P.S—If you would like to help organise the trips, please have a word with Rita

Coffee Bar

The coffee bar is open Monday-Friday 9am—1:30pm serving a range of home made cakes and meals.

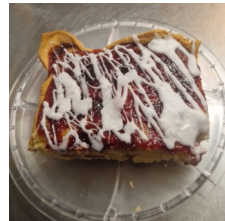
Look at some of the fabulous food you can buy.



Beautiful
breakfast
sandwiches

More delicious cakes

Bakewell tart made with homemade jam and our famous bread pudding!



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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!

B30 Foodbank

Stock is low Urgent needs-

- Tinned/carton instant custard
- Small jars of instant coffee (*not decaf*)
- UHT long-life fruit juice
- Liquid/bars of soap
- Tinned spaghetti
- Jam and honey
- Sugar (500g)
- Tinned fruit in juice (*not rhubarb, prunes or grapefruit*)
- Tinned meat /meat products
- Cereal (*not greater than 500g*)
- Toothpaste