

Christmas at Cotteridge



Thursday 12th December

11.00 Midweek Carol Service
Revd Barbara Calvert

Sunday 21st December

10.30 Christmas Carol Service
Revd Roger Collins

Tuesday 24th December Christmas Eve

6.00 Carols on the Green

Wednesday 25th December Christmas Day

10.00 Christmas Communion
Revd Roger Collins

Future Ministry in Cotteridge

The three denominations are working towards our future Ministry:

The proposal is for us to have the equivalent of a full-time minister by a three way split.

URC: We'll be part of a new Pastorate with Weoley Hill, Weoley Castle and Carrs Lane. Having a third of the Minister's time. Plans to advertise the position are being put together.

Methodist: An appointment will be made at next year's Stationing, with us having a third of a Minister alongside St. Andrew's.

At the moment Farai Mapamula is one of the Superintendent Ministers who is overseeing Cotteridge

Anglican: We will have a third of a Minister alongside The Church of the Ascension.

The Archdeacon is advertising the vacancy and interviews will be in early December.

The denominations will provide cover for our services going forward, and Roger will liaise on this and continue to give his leadership.

Costs will be higher than we currently support, and ministerial expenses will be apportioned.



The Cotteridge Church

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

Associate Priest: Rev Roger COLLINS

Sunday 1st December

All Age and Parade Advent Sunday

10.30

Revd Barbara Calvert

Almighty God,
as your kingdom dawns,
turn us from the darkness of sin to the
light of holiness,
that we may be ready to meet you
in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Hymns 201, 166 v1 185, 206, 330 1v
221 168 205

Readings Micah 5 2-5a Luke 2 8-20

Readers Boys Brigade

Sound Arthur C

Music Peter C

Activity bags for young children are available from the stewards.

We remember our pastoral links:

Dorothy and Stephen A with David S

Janet P with Cheet and John Y

We pray for those who are ill or are in need

Megan, Vinnie H, Mark T, Robin, Shirley, Jenny F, Marion and David W, Norman and Philomena, Lauren D, Geoff W, Keith and May K Jennifer M, Lyn, Dorothy T, Sue S, Maurice W, Oly Y Jean D

Those whose names appear on the prayer cards Pauline & Elizabeth W, ,

Karen T Nathan and John F, Craig B Mike D and family Jane G John F and Victoria Charlene Victoria, Ninja B,

24/11 Daisy and Tilly F , Peter M , Jo W, Emma, Ian

1/12 Pat and Barbara C, Lin, Avril B, D Seward Liz Steward

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.



This notice sheet is prepared by Roger to whom notices should be sent rev.rogercollins@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk

CALENDAR

Monday 2nd December

6.00 David Coleman

Tuesday 3rd December

10 am Holy Communion

Revd Christine Mcateer

6.00 Datus

6.00 Rainbows Brownies and Guides

Wednesday 4th December

11.00 Extended Exercise

7.00 -Private Hire

Thursday 5th December

10.30 Cotteridge Crafters

10.30 MHA

Friday 6th December

9.00 Saplings

6.15 Boys Brigade

Sunday 8th December ADVENT 2

10.30 Holy Communion

Revd Gordon Steele

Tuesdays at 10.00

Dec 3rd Christine McAteer

10th Barbara Calvert

17th Israel Selvanayagam

24th Roger Collins

31st Roger Collins

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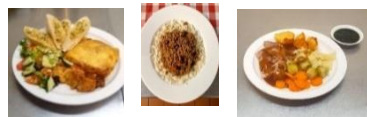
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NOTICE

COFFEE BARI

MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8.30 to 1.30

Saturday 10.-12.00



Lay Intercessors

It would good to have a team of lay people who could lead the intercessions on a Sunday. If you are interested please have a word with Roger training is available so please don't be shy give it a go

Prayer Cards

Are now being dated and will remain on for 4 weeks All previous names deleted unless cards are renewed.

Churches Together in B30

The minutes from the last meeting are now on the Notice Board

Birmingham City Mission

<https://birminghamcitymission.org.uk>

Toy Link Appeal Give a gift

Or do it all online. Choose a gift from an online store and have it delivered straight to the address above

Our [ToyLink 24 AmazonWishlist](#) includes many items needed and is regularly updated The children are aged between 0 and 15 years old. New toys, books, games and puzzles are needed. Please do not wrap your gift so we can match the gift to the child You can make a financial donation to the ToyLink project at [BCM's ToyLink giving page](#).

BOOKCENTRE



brown and
white rice
2.75



Zaytoon is a non-profit company established to support marginalised farming communities in Palestine through the production of olive oil and other products

Olive oil £16.50 and

dates 5.99 and soap is now back in stock 4.99

Toilet Rolls 1.05 Paper

Towels £2.65

Tissues

1.58



Advent Calendars are now available



3.00 come and follow the star

5.95

5.95

5.50



2.50



4.20



£5

Bethlehem Baubles are back in stock

Transform Trade Christmas Cards

still a good selection of cards

Please ask for a catalogue

B30 and South Birmingham Foodbank

We received in 2595k of food and gave out 1964k feeding 216 clients on 115 vouchers



Try a reverse Advent calendar

This is how it works – for 24 days (or as often as you can!) you put aside an item a day that we need for our parcels.

You can start anytime, but please try to get your completed donations to our Warehouse by Friday 15 December, so that we can get them out to the people who need them in time for Christmas.

Christmas Needs

Peas Carrots Ham Salmon nice non fridge puddings alcohol free and Christmas puddings alcohol free

Urgently needed

UHT whole milk, tinned spaghetti, pasta shapes, rice (500g), tinned/carton instant custard, chocolate bars, jam/honey, long-life fruit juice (not needing refrigeration), tinned rice pudding, small jars instant coffee (not decaffeinated), instant noodles, sweet biscuits (not multi-packs, as they often have no ingredients listed on the packs inside), liquid/bar soap, toothpaste, size 5& 6 nappies

During October we fed 1046 clients on 517 vouchers Food in 11842k and food out 9290k 35% of food in is bought with money received in donations