



& St. Peter's, Codsall Wood

Sunday 4th February
2nd Sunday before Lent

This week

Welcome to our services today

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.30 am Parish Communion
*Hymns : 6, 84, 415, HC 235,
HC 929, 54*
11.15 am All Age Service
6.30 pm Healing & Wholeness
Service

Next Sunday 11th February
Sunday before Lent

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.00 am Holy Communion at St.
Peter's Codsall Wood
9.30 am Parish Communion
11.15 am All Age Service
4.00 pm Confirmation
(No Evensong)

**If you are a newcomer or visitor
we welcome you to our church**

*Please join us for tea & coffee
after the 9.30 & 11.15 services*

Monday 5th

1.15 pm St. Nicholas Toddler Group -P.R.
1.45 pm Funeral for Sheila Simpkin at
Bushbury Crematorium
7.00 pm Prayer Time
7.30 pm-8.15 pm Enquiry Evening

Tuesday 6th

10.00 am Burial of ashes of Keith
Dallaway - churchyard
7.00 pm Confirmation rehearsal - church
8.00 pm Ladies Circle - Parish Rooms

Wednesday 7th

10am - 12 noon 'Coffee, Cake & Chat' in
church - All Welcome
3.45 pm Pastoral Care Grp - Vicarage
7.30 pm Railway Circle - Parish Rooms
7.45 pm Bellringing practice

Thursday 8th

10.15 am Holy Communion
6.45 pm Taizé Service
7.15 pm Choir practice

Saturday 10th

2.30 pm-4.30 pm Craft Group - Parish
Rooms

*Daily Prayer is at 9.00 am **Tuesday - Friday** in church for 20 minutes - all welcome. (No Monday Daily Prayer this week)*

The community bus Every week we offer lifts to our 9.30 service on the community bus. The driver on **11th February** will be **Marisa Maidment - 843655**. If you don't usually go on the bus but would like a lift please call the driver on duty.

Coffee, Cake & Chat

Is on Wednesday 10am-12 noon in church. Do come and join us for tea/coffee/cake/scones etc, you will be made very welcome.

**Spring Coffee Morning
Saturday 17th February,
Parish Rooms,
10.30 am - 12 noon**

Thank you for all the books received. We could do with items for the '2nd Time Around' and Tombola stalls please. Also if you have any unwanted Christmas presents we shall be pleased to receive them. The box is still at the back of church to receive donations. We shall also welcome offers of cakes to sell on the day, thank you.

Curate

Liz is now in her third year of curacy and is finishing her Theology Degree in June 2018; as well as helping to make sure the interregnum runs smoothly. Therefore even though she wants to be available for everyone at all times she is often going to be away at weekends and some weeks over the next few months. So please contact the Churchwardens, the Church Office or the Verger for most Church queries (and other sensible looking people for other answers) if Liz is not returning your emails or calls.

Palm Crosses

This year Ash Wednesday is on 14th February and we shall be having our traditional service at 7.30 pm. The ash used in the service is produced from the previous year's Palm Crosses. If you would like your old Palm Cross to be used for this purpose please place it in the box at the back of the church. Thank you.

Services at Hunters Lodge and The Willows will be 20th February and not 13th. This is a one-off only. **Jan**

Road Closure

Some of Church Lane is going to be closed from 12th February for 3 days. People attending Church will need to park further down the Road or at the carpark at the bottom and walk up. It looks as if this will affect Enquiry Evening, TOTS, Ministry Team, the Ash Wednesday service, a burial of ashes and Daily Prayer. The Church will remain open.

Refugee House

A follow-up meeting is being held at [1 Windsor Gardens WV8 2EX](#) at 7:30pm on Thursday 15 February to explore this further. All those who may be interested in joining a friendship and support team for a refugee house are welcome to come and find out more details..

Please let Mike Fox know if you can attend or just turn up.

Computer person needed

Liz and team could do with support for the All Age service with the technological and design side of things. If anyone feels they have some time to spare maybe half a day a week for this then please have a word with Rev. Liz England or email

reverendlizengland@gmail.com

for more details or to say yes!

Churchyard Tidy Day

Is on 19th February meeting at 9.30 am at church, help will be very much appreciated.

Thank You letters for committed givers including the Pink and Yellow Envelopes will be in church today.

The Well Foodbank

Thank you to everyone who contributes to the Foodbank. Please note that The Well would very much appreciate the following at the moment:
Custard: Jam/Marmalade: Rice
Pudding: Tinned Vegetables:
Small packs of
Nappies: Adult Toiletries

A request from the Churchwardens :

Please do not park on the Vicarage lawn, it's looking very bad and needs time to recover. You can park on the tarmac or on Church Road or at the bottom of the road and walk up if you can. Many thanks.

Prayer : Lord, I step into your boat. I trust your power to protect me on the journey. I know that you will still be with me on the other side. Amen

Those in particular need : Mark Smith, Don Trubshaw, Helen Marsh, Avril Neal, Edna Reynolds, Olga Thompson, John Isted & Sylvia Sharp.

The departed : Joyce Trubshaw, Sheila Simkin, Dorothy Freeman, Max Powell, Eileen Bates, Austen Evans, Nellie Charlesworth, Martin White, David Seaton, Anthony Keyworth & Margaret Willis.

About St. Nicholas' Church, Codsall & St. Peter's Church, Codsall Wood

Parish Office: rear of Parish Rooms, Church Road

Parish Secretary - Angela Jevons Tel. 847786

(Office hours : **Tuesday & Thursday** - 10.00am-1.00pm)

Email: stnicholaschurch@hotmail.co.uk

If you know someone who would appreciate the support of the church or would like to receive communion at home, or if you would like someone to be included in our prayers (and have asked them), please let Angela know.

Church website: www.stnicholascodsall.org.uk

E-newsletter : To receive this please email: stnicscodsall@gmail.com

Arranging baptisms and weddings

Every Monday (except Bank Hols) from 7.30pm - 8.15pm there is an Enquiry Evening at St. Nicholas Church for arranging weddings& christenings.

Clergy contact

We are served by a Ministry Team of clergy and lay people.

Our Curate is Revd Liz England,

Email: reverendlizengland@gmail.com Tel: 843663

Churchwardens : Janice Symonds - 842570 & Sue Richardson - 845556

Giving to the church We are very grateful to all who support our church in different ways. The easiest way to give regularly is by Standing Order. Please ask Jill Dodd for a form (or let her know if you use internet banking) and for a Gift Aid form if you pay tax. You can also fill in a green envelope to give in church using Gift Aid if you pay tax.