



& St. Peter's, Codsall Wood

**Sunday 28th October**  
**TRINITY 21**

**Welcome to our services today**

- 8.00 am Holy Communion
- 9.00 am Holy Communion at St. Peter's, Codsall Wood
- 9.30 am Parish Communion
- Hymns : 315, 282, 687, HC 374, HC 673, 104*
- 11.15 am All Age Service
- 6.30 pm Evensong

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**Next Sunday 4th November**  
**ALL SAINTS DAY**  
**4th Sunday Before Advent**

- 8.00 am Holy Communion
- 9.30 am Parish Communion
- 11.15 am All Age Service
- 4.00 pm Memorial Service**
- 6.30 pm Healing & Wholeness Service

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

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

This week .....

**DATES FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday 29th**

- 1.15 pm St. Nicholas Toddler Group - Parish Rooms
- 7.30pm-8.15pm Enquiry Evening
- 8.15 pm Enquiry Evening Team Meeting in church

**Wednesday 31st**

- 5pm-7pm 'Light Party' Trinity Methodist Church
- 7.30 pm Bellringing practice
- 7.30 pm Events Cttee meet at Annie's

**Thursday 1st November**

- 10.15 am Holy Communion
- 7.15 pm Choir practice

**Friday 2nd**

- 10.00 am Funeral for Alma Handley in Church & Bushbury Crematorium

**Saturday 3rd**

- 10.00 am Burial of ashes of Helen Marsh in churchyard
- 2.30 pm-4.30 pm Craft Group meet in the Parish Rooms

**Daily Prayer is at 9.00 am Monday-Thursday in church for 20 minutes - all welcome.**

**The community bus** Every week we offer lifts to our 9.30 service on the community bus. The driver on **4th November** will be **Maria de Loyde - 07946 587512**. If you don't usually go on the bus but would like a lift please call the driver on duty.



### **Farewell!**

Liz England will be officially leaving us on 25th November and we shall be saying farewell between 1-3pm on the same day. It will be a bring and share occasion in church. To help with numbers please sign the list at the back. There will also be a box for donations towards a leaving gift.

**Light Party (alternative Halloween) Party** Wednesday 31st, 5-7pm at Trinity Methodist Church. Some help needed for the evening please, see Caroline if you can help.

### **Christmas shoebox appeal**

Following the generous response last year, we are asking again for your help in putting together small or medium shoeboxes or equivalent sized gift bags to hand out to asylum seekers and refugees at their Christmas party in December. There is a poster at the back of church and small flyers with full details of what we would like. Please can you get them to us by Sunday 2nd December. Many thanks, **Mike & Rosemary Fox**

### **Real Advent Calendars**

A list is on the table at the back of church for people wishing to order theirs, £4 each, please order by **TODAY**. Any queries to **Mike Fox**.

### **Memorial Service**

All are welcome to this service next Sunday 4th November at 4.00 pm. There is a list to leave a name **if you are coming to the service**, at the back of church, and we will

read out these names and have an opportunity to place lit candles. This will be followed by our usual Healing and Wholeness service at 6.30 pm.

### ***Magazine Distributor needed!***

We do need someone to kindly take on delivering just **11** magazines in Cherry Tree Lane, Orchard Lane, Duck Lane & Limetree Gardens in Bilbrook, If you can help please talk to Rosie or phone **845006**.

### ***Christmas Coffee Morning***

We shall be holding a Christmas Coffee Morning on **Saturday 10th November** in the Parish Rooms.

Amongst the usual stalls we shall be having a Bottle Tombola and would welcome donations, anything from tomato sauce to wine, you choose! We shall also have a Christmas themed tombola and welcome donations. There is a marked box at the back of church for contributions, many thanks.



### ***Codsall & Bilbrook History***

**Society** will be arranging some readings and reflections on the 100th anniversary of Armistice Day, to remember not only the fallen of the Great War but also the soldiers who fought and survived and returned home.



They are quite often forgotten. We will meet at Codsall War Memorial on **Sunday 11th November** (after the main Remembrance Service has finished) at 11:30am.

Help is needed to sell poppies in the Co-op (Codsall) for the 2 weeks leading up to Remembrance Sunday. If you can help for a couple of hours please contact David Johnson on **07887397569** or email : [codsallpoppyappeal@btintern et.com](mailto:codsallpoppyappeal@btintern et.com)

### ***November parish magazines***

are now in church awaiting collection and distribution, many thanks.

**For our prayers** : We give thanks for all who contribute in many different ways to the life of our churches.

**Those in particular need** : Mark Smith, Olga Thompson, Ron Rowley, John Hall, Sylvia Sharp, Angela Hand, Harriet Lowe, Norman Huth, Ian Grantham Lorna Gatenby & Tony Gill.

**The departed** : Alma Handley, Mabel Pickstock, Gerald Harrison & Ron Hinsley.

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**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)

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](http://www.stnicholascodsall.org.uk)

**E-newsletter** : To receive this please email: [stnicscodsall@gmail.com](mailto: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 Vicar is Revd. Margaret Mattocks

The Vicarage, 48 Church Road, Codsall, Staffs. WV8 1EH, Tel : 842168

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.