#### Calendar

**Tuesday 21st** August 10.00 Holy Communion Roger Collins 10.30 Praying Through Change

#### Wednesday 23rd August

**2.00**Afternoon Tea with dainty sandwiches homemade cakes scones with jam and cream and tea/coffee

Please book with the administrator

7.30 Co op Gardeners

# Thursday 24th August

Celia Lester would like articles for the next edition by today

# Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August

10.00 Coffee Bar

Services next SUNDAY
SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER PROPER 16 Roger COLLINS

# #Competition

The current competition Transport from Water Skis to Hot Air Balloons or anything in between.

#### CARPARKING

Please note the co-op have introduced a one hour limit by photo recognition The Station seem good bet and about the same distance

#### **Flowers**

Alison Sprackling retired from teaching in July. The flowers this week , donated by Alison are to celebrate all those wonderful moments and memories from her teaching career. Thank you Alison and best wishes for all the fun and adventures to come!

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#### **Bookcentre**

We are now Registered with We Are Fair Trade and now get 4% discount on orders over £30 Christmas Cards last years Traidcraft cards will honour the commitment to the Charities which is good news

We are Fair Trade Ltd have launched these



biscuits from Tobermory Bakery **VERY MOORISH THEY ARE** 

# Who gives a crap

GrandDaughter to Grandmother "where did you get those from? Grandmother replied "The Church Bookcentre Wow!



#### **B30 & South Birmingham Food bank**

Last week we received in 1393k of food and have out given out 2557k feeding 292 clients on 142 vouchers

#### Judy Jake KNU3A Jennie John





# WHEN PEOPLE ARE GOING WITHOUT, IT'S TIME TO...







social security system is broken. No one could cover the cost of essentials from Universal Credit. There's never been any rationale in the system that links what you get with what things cost.

The minimum rate needs to be at least £120 a week for a single adult – compared to the current £85 a week.

#### **Urgently needed**

Sweet biscuits (not multi-packs, as they often have no ingredients listed), pasta sauce, tinned spaghetti, baked beans, tinned soup, jam/honey, chocolate bars, tinned/carton ready-made custard, small jars of instant coffee (not decaffeinated), liquid/bar soap, gender neutral shower gel and shampoo



# THE COTTERIDGE CHURCH

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST Proper 15 10.30 Morning Worship Mike Claridge

Lord God, in Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh, you have bridged the divide between divinity and humanity. You call us to be bridge builders too, bridging across the divisions of society, challenging, and being challenged by those whom we encounter. Your love knows no barriers, your grace flows across for all.

#### **Hymns**

Readings Isaiah 40 3-11 Matthew 15 21-28 Readers Janet P Dorothy A Music John Sound Tim

Activity Bags for young children are available from the stewards

#### We pray for our pastoral links

Monica T: with Lorna B., Gill B., John Co., Doreen H., Rachel H., Stephanie R., and Linda and Norman M.,

# Those in long term need

Gill S, Chris M, Beryl H, Jennifer M, Mary and Keith

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, Ken F Lauren D, Geoff W, Keith, Lyn, FriedL Dorothy T, Sue S, Maurice and Fiona W John C

# **Prayer Cards**

Louisa W, Naomi F, Ruth R, Shenna C and family

We pray for those who have died





The calling of The Cotteridge Church to respond to the Gospel of God's love in Christ and to live out its discipleship in worship and mission.

COFFEE BAR Coffee Bar 8.30 to 1.30 Monday to Friday Saturday 10-12..00



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