

# Welcome to The Cotteridge Church

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July Proper 12

**"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."**

Lord God,  
your Son left the riches of heaven  
and became poor for our sake:  
when we prosper save us from pride,  
when we are needy save us from despair,  
that we may trust in you alone;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

## Services today

**10.30 Holy Communion Barbara Calvert**

[2 Samuel 11:1-15](#) and [Psalm 14](#) • [2 Kings 4:42-44](#) and [Psalm 145:10-18](#) • [Ephesians 3:14-21](#) [John 6:1-21](#)

## Prayer Column

### We pray for our pastoral links:

Doris Collins: with Carole Allen, Clive Babb, Helen Bentley, Jean Buttery, Sheila Coward, Jenny Fryer, Alison and Steve Miller, and Hazel Nash.

Jennifer Moore: with Lorna Babb, Gill Brettell, Myra Dean, Linda and Norman Mann, and Stephanie Rooker.

**We pray for those who are housebound and those in long term need** :Jackie Jones, Moira Jones, Joan Clayton, Gill and Len Salkeld and Rod Simkin, Myra Dean, Moira Jones, Chris Moore,

**We pray for those who are ill or are in particular need of prayer:** -Megan, Vinnie Holliday, Stephnie Kelly, Chris Pascal, Jennifer Moore, Mark Tigwell, Keith, Robin, Janet and family. Shirley, Jenny Fryer Irene Spooner

### We remember those who have died:

## Events this Week

### Monday – Friday

8.30 – 1.00 Coffee Bar now open

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Ben's Drama Group

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> 10.30am Praying through Change  
7.30pm Ben's Drama Group

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> 7:30 Worship on Zoom

### Services next SUNDAY

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> AUGUST 2021 PROPER 13**

10.00 Reflection you tube

10.30 Morning Worship Roger Collins

noon zoom coffee

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### Praying through Change

**10.30am on 27<sup>th</sup> July, 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> August**

## Traidcraft at COTTERIDGE



Doublechoc  
Chunk, Stem  
Ginger, Fruit &  
Oat cookies  
DRIED  
MANGO NOW  
HALF PRICE  
£1.50

ORDERS PLEASE TO Jane 07800815074 or Roger on 07721 526854 Delivery service available. Book centre is open before and after the Sunday service.

**60 60 60 VaccinAid challenge** In the 60 days before her 60th birthday, Pam Waddell is running 6x 10km runs (hopefully each in less than 60 minutes) for UNICEF's VaccinAid appeal. If you would like to sponsor her, please do so online at [https:// Annual www.vaccinaid.org/60-60-60-challenge](https://www.vaccinaid.org/60-60-60-challenge). Every contribution will help UNICEF to deliver 2 billion Covid vaccines, as well as treatments, around the World this year.

**On Thursday, August 19th at 2 pm I am going to Brave the Shave to raise money for Macmillan Nurses. If you would be able to sponsor me I would be very grateful. Every penny counts. The "event" will take place in the grounds of Beaumont Park. Thank you Rita Sutton**

**Church Administer David Pycock is retiring at the end of July. If you would like to contribute towards a retirement gift please let us have it before the end of July.**

**Invitation to join the SPARK monthly discussion group** We are planning to run two small groups from September, meeting on the first Sunday evening of the month: one group at the church and one in members' homes (subject to the easing of restrictions). Both groups will follow a Bible study discussion course based on the film 'I Daniel Blake'. We hope to plan some joint meetings too. Come along to explore your beliefs and faith in action in an open and trusting environment and get to know your fellow church-goers! More information can be found in the July edition of Roundabout. If you are interested in joining one of the groups, please contact Jane Stephens ([jane.stephens@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk](mailto:jane.stephens@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk) or 07800 815074) or Pam Waddell ([pam.waddell@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk](mailto:pam.waddell@thecotteridgechurch.org.uk)) and let us know your preference for the home or church based group.

## Brian Vine

Brian was an enormously positive member of the Cotteridge Church from its inception, he has continued his support with a very generous bequest of £17,892 . Over the next few months JCC will decide how the bequest should best be spent as a fitting tribute to Brian's memory.

### Easing of Restrictions: Worship

Many legal restrictions have been lifted. Our Church Council has considered how this will affect worship and how we can ensure a church environment that is as safe as possible. We invite you to help us in this task as follows:

- **Face coverings:** We request that face coverings are still worn (unless exempt) when entering and leaving the building, and while moving around inside. Once seated face coverings may be removed. For the time being however we request that they are also worn when singing and while the elements of Holy Communion are distributed.
- **Sanitiser:** There are still sanitiser dispensers located around the building and we encourage you to use them, especially when entering the building.
- **One Way System:** The one way system has now ceased. However we ask you to stand aside and allow a reasonable distance to let other pass in 'tight spots' such as doorways, including entering and leaving the building. Please make every effort to avoid passing people in the narrow corridor to the toilets.
- **Singing:** Singing is now allowed! We will proceed with caution though. For now we invite you to wear a face covering while singing and to sing softly/quietly.
- **Hymn Books:** If you prefer to use a hymn book rather than follow the words on the screen you may do so. Please help yourself to a hymn book, but please remember not all hymns are in Singing the Faith.
- **Communion:** We will continue to operate a URC method of distribution for Holy Communion. As the Minister distributing the elements has to come close to you we encourage you to wear a face covering at this moment in the service.
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- **Offering:** We will be continuing with the practice of a retiring collection. There will not be a plate passed round.
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- **The Peace:** If the service includes The Peace we request you to refrain from shaking hands with other worshippers. Your hand is about to be given the elements of communion and we want those to be the only things that are transferred to your mouth!
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- **Gathering after Worship:** We encourage you to gather and chat outside the building after the service, since there are no restrictions now on doing so, but keep exchanges in the building to a minimum. We are not resuming post-service coffee yet.

All of these steps mean that we are taking all practicable measures to protect each other.

## Update 17th July



Mary from  
Diamond District



Des and Sheila  
Tudor Close



Jacky and Kevin  
Bishop Challoner



Emma from Sshed  
Cotteridge Park



Class 5 with cheque for £338.95  
Watermill JI.]

The foodbank received in donations 1779k Street collections from Featherstone Rd, Third Avenue Teazel Avenue, Tudor Close and Selly Park The foodbank gave away 1360k 1232k to 101 people on 53 vouchers and 159k to other foodbanks or similar

**B30 Foodbank Warehouse has got some supplies of bread flour (mostly strong white flour), bread machine mixes and also a small amount of dried yeast. We cannot give it to clients, as many lack the utensils, etc to make it at home (and the oven fuel to cook it). If anyone would like to exchange flour/yeast for something on our urgent list, you would be most welcome.**

Clients needing emergency food are referred to B30Foodbank by E-Voucher through a referral agent OR call CITIZENS ADVICE 08082082138 Or call BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL on 0121 216

3030 Or call The Project on 0121 453 0606 Whats App 07974 106813

Distribution of food Clients or their representatives will need to collect the parcels from B30Foodbank, Quaker Friends Meeting House 23aWatford Road B30 1JB on Tuesday and Friday between 1.30 and 3.30pm.

### urgently needed

Instant coffee (not decaffeinated), tinned fish (not tuna, sugar 500g (not larger), chocolate and snack bars, potato smash, gender neutral shampoo, roll-on deodorant, Disposable razors, strong carrier bags.

### Low in stock

Tinned meat (ham, corned beef, pork sandwich meat, pulled pork or chicken), ready-made custard (tinned or carton - not powder), packet/pot noodles, pasta sauces, tinned tomatoes, tinned rice pudding, jam/honey, long life fruit juice; tinned fruit in juice (not prunes or grapefruit), crisps, washing up liquid (not family sized bottles), laundry liquid/powder (not family sized), toilet rolls.

### Well stocked

UHT milks, squash, instant hot chocolate (not cocoa powder), baked beans, pasta shapes, dry spaghetti, tinned macaroni cheese, tinned spaghetti, tinned/packet sou, rice, tinned potatoes, tinned vegetables, tinned tuna, teabags (40's or 80's), biscuits, nappies all sizes, porridge, cereal, pet food, baby food and baby care items, gender neutral shower gel, sanitary pads, liquid or bar soap, toothpaste, single or duo wrapped toothbrushes

### Not needed at all

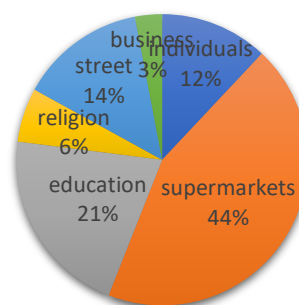
Decaffeinated drinks or fruit infusions, bottled water, large bottles of lemonade or coke, any foods or toiletries containing alcohol, cooking ingredients or sauces, fresh products including vegetables, meat, eggs and bread, non-dairy items, gluten-free items, coffee beans, loose tea, large boxes of teabags (120's or more), very large bags or boxes of cereal or porridge, cocoa powder, tampons, make-up, hair accessories, perfume or after-shave. B30 FOODBANK Cotteridge Church, 24 Pershore Road South [info@b30foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@b30foodbank.org.uk)

07582 14397 information and clients 07985 629201 collection

foodbank Redemption Media and then open B30

Warehousing: Warehouse, is at 17 Castle Rd, Kings Norton Business Park, B30 3HZ. 2.00-4.00 on Tuesday and Friday. B30 Foodbank, The B30 Foodbank is part of the Trussell Trust's UK-wide foodbank

### donations this week



■ individuals ■ supermarkets ■ education  
■ religion ■ street ■ business