Welcome to Shirley Parish

Christ the King, St James the Great and St John the Divine

This week: 17th – 23rd October

St Luke

Sun 17th 8am Eucharist (St James)

9am Morning Worship (St John's)

10.30am Eucharist (St James & YouTube etc)

10.30am Morning Worship (CTK)

12.30pm & 1.30pm Baptisms (St James)

Tues 19th 10am Welcome Café (Church House)

2pm Computer Club (Church House)

Weds 20th 12pm Ploughmans Lunch(Church House)

Thurs 21st 10:30am Eucharist (St James)

12pm Funeral (St James)

2.30pm Moving On (Church House)

7:30pm Pilgrim Course (Zoom)

Fri 22nd 10am Jimmy Tots (Church House)

Sat 23rd 9am Parish Prayers (Zoom) Sun 24th 9am Eucharist (St John's)

10.30am Morning Worship (St James & YouTube etc)

12.30pm & 1.30pm Baptisms (St James)

You can find the videos for the services on the Shirley Parish YouTube channel https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpcB9321NJzEHS1K9LU-kAg
Alternatively, you can listen by using the telephone number 0121 798 0196

Coming Up......

Moving On – A refresher course on the basics of the Christian Faith. Thursday afternoons from Oct 21st for 7 weeks in Church House. 2:30 - 4pm. All are welcome – please let the office know if you wish to attend.

Quiz Night – Saturday 30th October, 7.30pm in Church House – please bring your own drinks and refreshments. (Sorry supper not included this time). Recommended ticket price £2.50. Raffle and table puzzles. All welcome

Forest Church - The next Forest Church will be at 3:30pm on **Sunday 31st October** in the St John's garden. It will be held outside whatever the weather so please dress appropriately and bring a chair if you wish to sit!



Parish Notices

Trevor Gough – Trevor's funeral is in St James on Thursday 21st at 12 noon. It will also be live streamed. If you want to watch online please contact the Parish Office for the link.

Churchyard working party. We will continue to meet on Wednesday mornings between 10 and 12 if the weather is OK. There will be a lot of leaf clearing in the next few weeks! Many thanks to all helpers. Kate C

U3A Computer course This is a free online course which builds on skills and is particularly useful for anyone experimenting with photos, videos, audio, video and making flyers or posters. It is run by Bob Ireland who is leading our computer basics course. contact: rjireland.ri@gmail.com.

For sale – **desk calendar** (A5 size) for 2022 featuring local photos – profits from sales will be donated to the Parish. £5 each or 3 for £10. Gill Hanton – 07973 942145 or gill.hanton@btinternet.com

Real Advent Calendar – As in previous years these can be ordered through the Parish Office at £4.50 each. They contain fairly traded chocolate and a Christmas activity / story book. Please order by 31st October! Ideal for grandchildren (and grandparents!!)

Church House – For information, if any of the fuses blow in church house, they are located in a labelled cupboard in the kitchen.

Adavu: nappies and baby vests for newborn babies – 2 due in December, 1 due in March.

Narthex clothing bank: warm socks for men please.

Foodbank: this week's appeal – tins of fruit and tomatoes and UHT Long Life orange juice.

For Prayer – Trinity Church, Monkspath

The departed and those who mourn them: Phil Kew

Years Mind: Herbert Joyce, Dennis Cheshire, Florence Coombe, David Hunt, Dennis Gessey

Keeping in touch.... Next week's Pewslip

CONCISE items (max 3 sentences) to Parish Office by 9am on Monday please. Longer articles to shirleyparishmagazine@gmail.com by 12th of the month.

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