



Christ Church Cheltenham



Christian Aid Update

Dear Friends,

We have recently held a committee meeting, so I can now send you some information.

Christian Aid Week - this is looking very different from how it used to be! It appears that the amount collected during CAW was around £5,000 - which is about £2,000 less than last year.

11,500 envelopes were handed out, with labels giving details of how to donate via Cheltenham CA. We cannot know how much was donated nationally. Some cash donations were given to church Reps. The street collection raised £290.

There was a successful coffee morning at Cornerstone, a soup lunch at St Mark's, and the Montpellier Brass Ensemble played at Waitrose.

Many thanks to all who contributed in any way.

Here are some dates for your diary:

Summer picnic in Pittville Park - Saturday 19th August from 12 - 2pm. More details to follow.

Autumn Fair at St Andrew's URC - Saturday 14th October 14th from 10.30am to 1.30pm.

Please note that this is a month earlier than usual!
We hope to have a stall for jams, chutneys, etc this year, so contributions for this would be very welcome.

Carol singing - We hope to arrange the following :
December 14th (Thursday) at John Lewis 5 - 7pm
December 16th - at usual supermarkets.

We need more choirs and Church groups to sing, so if you know of any who would like to help, please get in touch.

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