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Midweek Services

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### **Wednesday - St Catherine's Church**

Midweek Communion 10.30am

### **Thursday - Holy Trinity Church**

Midweek Communion BCP 10.00 am

Parish website

[www.ventnorchurches.org.uk](http://www.ventnorchurches.org.uk)

## **HOLY TRINITY and ST CATHERINE'S, VENTNOR and ST BONIFACE, BONCHURCH**

### **News from our Churches**

**Today we celebrate: the Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity  
3<sup>rd</sup> October 2021**

### **The Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God,  
increase in us your gift of faith  
that, forsaking what lies behind  
and reaching out to that which is before,  
we may run the way of your commandments  
and win the crown of everlasting joy;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### **Prayer after Communion**

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast:  
for here we receive you,  
here the memory of your passion is renewed,  
here our minds are filled with grace,  
and here a pledge of future glory is given,  
when we shall feast at that table where you reign  
with all your saints for ever. **Amen**

## **FOR YOUR PRAYERS**

Ida Cordon ~ John Hughes ~ Bob Guildford ~ Trevor Dobson ~ Ellie & Tim Jones  
Chris Watford ~ Mary Bell ~ Mollie Stephenson ~ Roberta McClelland ~ Jim & Kizzy Baker  
~ Sue Kelly ~ Miranda Trendler ~ Diane George ~ Rodney Palmer ~ Jane White ~ Ian  
Briski ~ Frank Madden ~ Ian Davidson ~ Molly Mayne ~ Pauline Kite ~ Francois Tarrise ~  
~ Shirley Brett ~ Gladys Grimes ~ Eric Walsh ~ Duncan Radcliffe ~ Paul Shrubsole ~ Katie  
Chantler ~ Chris Watts ~ Ian Brownlow ~ John Atkins ~ Audrey Davidson ~ the family of  
Naomi

### **The families of those who have died**

Norman Woodhouse ~ Libby Croad

For any additions or changes please inform Nikki on 07771 936660

Relatives and friends are asked to review the prayer list and let Hugh know of any  
changes or anyone who may need to be contacted.

**Notices** for this publication by **Wednesday Evening** to:

**Nikki Sheard -Tel 07771 936660/Email: [sheard.nikki@gmail.com](mailto:sheard.nikki@gmail.com)**

## **Today's readings**

### **First Reading Genesis 2: 18-24**

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This passage from Genesis tells the story of the creation of man and woman and the origin of marriage: 'Therefore a man leaves his father and mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.'

### **Second Reading Hebrews 1: 1-4, 2: 5-12**

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The writer of the letter to the Hebrews (NOT Paul!) writes about the 'many and various ways' in which God spoke to his people through the Old Testament. But now, he says, he has spoken through his Son, 'the exact imprint of God's very being.'

### **Gospel Reading Mark 10: 2-16**

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Once again, the Pharisee try to trick Jesus by asking him a question about divorce. In Jesus' day, this was more like a dismissal of the wife by her husband than a mutual separation. Jesus reaffirms the teaching about the lifelong commitment of marriage: 'Those whom God has joined together, let no-one separate.'

## VENTNOR COMMUNITY FOODBANK

We are open every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 10.00 am to 12.00 noon.

Please call 07862 247694 or e-mail [ventnorcommunityfoodbank@gmail.com](mailto:ventnorcommunityfoodbank@gmail.com)

We support the community in PO38 – Ventnor and surrounding villages and do not require a voucher or formal referral.

Food can be dropped off at our donation points, which include, the Coop, Tesco, Carnaby Tea Rooms, Wendy's, and Norris Stores in Niton. We also have a donation sack outside the Foodbank too, on Tuesday and Thursday mornings.

Examples of items needed are:

Tinned Fish- Meat - Vegetables - Snack Pots - Packets of Snacks- Sweets Long Life Fruit Juice- Long Life Milk - Biscuits - Drinking Chocolate- Tea- Coffee - Sugar - Squash - Soup - Rice - Pasta sauces and pasta - Tinned Sponge puddings - Rice pudding, - Custard - Jam - Tinned tomatoes - Beans and Spaghetti -Cereals - Instant mashed potato - Sauces Brown or Red - Pickles (Branston type) - Jars Sandwich Spread

**(Sorry no fresh food)**

Toilet paper - Kitchen rolls - Washing powder - Washing up Liquid.  
Toothpaste - Shampoo - Conditioner - Baby food.

## SUNDAY OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup>

From 30<sup>th</sup> October for two weeks the COP26 Climate Conference will take place in Glasgow. Our own Rosie Deedes will go there to join the Christian camp praying for the success of this conference, vital for all our futures. On Sun 31<sup>st</sup> she will attend our first United Service for nearly 2 years, speaking and being prayed for on her journey. Do come along to this service. Venue tba at the church that can provide maximum capacity with social distancing.

## PODCAST

Next Sunday's Worship 'Church Without Walls' Podcast will be the last. I would like to pay a massive tribute to Adrian Pinnock and his team for producing this for nearly every week since the first lockdown. It has made a huge contribution to our outreach here in Ventnor and beyond and will be missed by many.  
Hugh



## Messy Church

This next takes place on

### Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October

3-5pm at St Francis Primary School, Upper Ventnor

All children with an accompanying adult are very welcome to come along for an afternoon of fun, food and craft.

## PCC

Holy Trinity Tues 5<sup>th</sup> Oct  
2.30pm - Hall

St Boniface Wed 11<sup>th</sup> Oct  
5.30pm - Parish Church  
St Catherine's Wed 20<sup>th</sup> Oct  
7.30pm - Church

## MEETING WITH ARCHDEACON

A meeting for PCC members (and other interested people) with Ven Peter Leonard to discuss matters of parish re-organisation in South Wight will take place on Mon October 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in St Catherine's.

## NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP

10<sup>th</sup> October  
The Nineteenth Sunday  
after Trinity

### Holy Trinity Church

9.30 a.m. No Service  
5.00 p.m. Holy Communion  
(Harvest Festival followed by  
Harvest Supper)

### St Catherine's Church

10.45 a.m. Extended Communion

### St Boniface Church

10.45 a.m. Morning Worship

### The St Catherine's Podcast

Can be found on YouTube or  
Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/Podcast-Service-112669797098491>  
or links are sent by email.

## MANY THANKS

To all who are helping with  
concerts and other events  
this weekend.