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~ 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

Midweek Services

~~~~~ 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

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

News from our Churches

**Today we celebrate: the Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity
26th September 2021**

The Collect

Almighty God,
you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city
where we shall see you face to face;
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

Lord, we pray that your grace
may always precede and follow us,
and make us continually to be given to all good works;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Today's readings

First Reading Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29 St Catherine's page 770

Moses tires of the burden of leading the whining, complaining, ungrateful people;
so God allows Moses to choose elders to help to share the responsibility.

Second Reading James 5:13-20 St Catherine's page 1216

James urges Christians to exercise their faith actively by praying in every
situation, whether alone or with and for others. Helping fellow Christians stay
faithful is precious and significant ministry.

Gospel Mark 9:38-50 Catherine's page 1013

Jesus teaches that discipleship involves welcoming all who acknowledge the
power of his name, and determinedly shunning any sin that threatens their own
and others' call to God's kingdom.

HARVEST FESTIVALS

Last week St Boniface celebrated a wonderful Harvest Festival, with many thanks due to the decorators, especially Michael. St Catherine's will celebrate Harvest next week at 'Come and See' and Holy Trinity on Oct 10th at 5pm followed by a Supper in the Hall.

Parish re-organisation in the Diocese

Live | Pray | Serve Deanery Conference, Isle of Wight.

Deanery Conference to allow PCC members, leadership teams and congregation members to continue to re-imagine church and how to live out our purpose in each local context.

- Tuesday 28th September
- 7pm to 9pm
- Newport Minster, IoW

FLOWER FESTIVAL

All Saints Church
Freshwater

October 1st - 4th

"God's Creation"

Everyday Faith Group

**Monday 27th September
at 10.30am.**

We will be meeting in the side-hall at St Catherine's, every other Monday.

Everyone is welcome. Each session includes some Bible study and discussion. We particularly focus on how our faith is relevant to our everyday lives – and how we can share our faith with others.

If you would like more information, please contact Nicola: 852412

THE FRIENDS OF ST CATHERINE'S CHURCH FILM NIGHT FRIDAY 1ST OCTOBER 'DOWNTON ABBEY'

St Catherine's Church
7.00pm

Free Entry - Refreshments - Raffle

Please join us for a great night out

All donations much appreciated

SUNDAY OCTOBER 31st

From 30th 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 31st 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.

PCC

Holy Trinity Tues 5th Oct
2.30pm - Hall

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

Church Prayer Week

We meet on zoom every other Thursday at 10.30am. We will next meet by Zoom on Thursday 2nd September. Do join us. Contact Nava for zoom link.
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NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP

3rd October

The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Holy Trinity Church

9.30 a.m. Holy Communion

St Catherine's Church

10.45 a.m. "Come and See" Café Church

St Boniface Church

10.45 a.m. Holy Communion

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.

Courage Choir

an award-winning women's choir from Wiltshire, are ready to entertain you with funky show tunes, popular classics and heartfelt harmonies.

A toe-tapping treat for all the family!

Saturday 2nd October 2021
at St Catherine's Church,
Ventnor

7.30-8.30pm followed by refreshments