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The Parish Magazine for the parishes of
St Catherine and **Holy Trinity** Ventnor and **St Boniface** Bonchurch



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Morning Prayer

Tuesday at 9.30am and Thursday at 9.15am at Holy Trinity
Wednesday at 9.30am at St Catherine's
Friday at 9.00am St Boniface Parish Church

Midweek Services

St Catherine's - Wednesday - 10.30am Holy Communion
Holy Trinity - Thursday - 10.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Sunday Services

Please see inside Link for details of Sunday Services

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Reader Training

It has been suggested that I share my journey through the application process for Reader Training.

The parishes have supported me through training courses previously, to be a lay pastoral assistant and a lay worship leader, and I have tried to be useful in these roles. But I still felt I could do more, that my Christian service was incomplete. It therefore didn't take a very hefty push by an astute member of the Ministry team to get me talking to firstly Rodney Fox and then to the Archdeacon about applying for Reader Training. I was quite daunted by these discussions, feeling that I was somehow inadequate. Although everyone has been very encouraging, it felt like a giant step in shoes three sizes too big.

The application forms are lengthy and demand a lot of thought and prayer; writing my personal Faith Story required candid bravery and self-awareness. Then I needed the backing of all the PCCs as well as references from inside Church life and outside. These I duly sent off, and then I waited.

On Saturday 28th April, I stepped off the train at Rowlands Castle with another candidate, and following a map we wandered over the village green in search of St. John-the-Baptist Church, where the Reader Selection conference was taking place. We had agreed between us that being almost an hour early was preferable to only having ten minutes to find a church in a foreign place. We had an outline itinerary for the day and were prepared to give a talk and answer questions on a subject unrelated to the church or ministry.

The day lasted from ten until four. The morning was devoted to individual interviews, each of half an hour duration, with different readers. The interview topics were Spirituality, Educational issues and Pastoral issues. Then there was a splendid lunch where other members of the Readers Board joined us, followed by a role-play exercise with the candidates as a group. Our scenario was a PCC discussion and presentation in answer to a dramatic change in the Village which the church served, a relevant and multifaceted problem that was quite tricky to navigate within the boundaries of the exercise. Finally, we had to give our individual talks.

It would take at least a week before we would know either way whether

Reader Training was felt to be the right step for us at this time, or whether something else was more appropriate. The Bishop has the final say after the discussions of the board.

So it was with some trepidation that I opened the email ... but I have been accepted, and will start my studies in September. I thank you all for the encouragement I have had, and the prayer and support that I know will sustain me as I train, and without which I could not go forward.

Jo Nicholson

HOLY TRINITY NEWS

I was away for the month of May, staying for the most part at my caravan in North East England. Tim joined me for some of the time so that we could have a fortnight's holiday, and we were lucky enough to have excellent weather for almost the whole time. One of our trips out was to Carlisle where we visited the Cathedral. Neither of us had been there before, but it was somewhere I particularly wanted to go as it has a connection (rather tenuous!) with Holy Trinity. Or at least I thought it was pretty tenuous but it turns out that perhaps there is rather more of a link than I thought.

The benefactors of our church were three sisters: Agnes, Louisa and Ellen Percy. They were the nieces of the Duke of Northumberland by virtue of their father being his brother. More importantly in this context, their father, Hugh Percy, was Bishop of Carlisle from 1827 until his death in 1856.

Although Holy Trinity was consecrated in 1862, the plans for its construction would have started a few years earlier and it seems fairly clear to me that the three sisters (three of eleven children altogether) would probably have come into an inheritance on the death of their father, resulting in some money being available to found Holy Trinity.

I was therefore curious to have a look at Carlisle Cathedral as, effectively, it was likely to be a church the three sisters knew quite well. Agnes was the oldest of the three, born in 1809; Ellen was born in 1815 and Louisa was born in 1819. Louisa had married Henry Tuttiett, who

was a well respected medical practitioner in Ventnor, and both of them are buried at St Catherine's. Perhaps it was Louisa who persuaded her two older sisters to contribute to the building of Holy Trinity.

Whatever the reason for its construction, I discovered at Carlisle that Holy Trinity and Carlisle Cathedral have one feature in common: the ceiling of both chancels is painted in a similar fashion being gold stars on a dark blue background. I was so struck by this similarity that I took photos of both of them. When I am sitting in the choir at Holy Trinity I often look at the ceiling and so I felt very at home in the Cathedral. Of course, many churches may have chancel ceilings painted like this, but I like to think that ours was influenced by the one which would have been familiar to the three sisters. Fanciful perhaps, but I rather like the idea.



Carlisle Cathedral
Chancel roof.



Holy Trinity
Chancel roof

BONCHURCH EVENTS

Firstly, thank you so much for all your support for our St Boniface Day celebrations.

The choir sang so well at our Evensong on Sunday the 3rd, such a lovely service. There was a terrific turnout for the Coffee Morning which was a very happy occasion. This was followed by a procession to the Grotto for a traditional well blessing. The Grotto is supplied by water from the well on the Downs which is now inaccessible. We brought flowers to decorate it with. We were joined by members of the Dickens Society who were on a little trip to Bonchurch.

The day concluded with a tranquil service of Holy Communion led by Gregory Clifton – Smith.



Bonchurch Parish Church

Cream Tea

Sunday July 15th 2pm-5pm

£3.50 each

Please come and help us raise the funds we need to restore the beautiful stained glass windows in the South Trancept.



Bonchurch Parish Church

First Tuesday of the month

10am – noon

Bonchurch Community Association

BONCHURCH OPEN GARDENS

Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th July

1pm - 5pm

Two days of Horticultural Heaven!

£4.50 to visit all the gardens over both days.

Delicious strawberry cream teas served at the old Pond Stores. 1.30pm - 5.30pm

Bus service running from top of The Shute to Shore Road carpark with stops in between.

Tickets for sale at each garden and the old Pond Stores

HAPPY RETURNS

On 20th July 1986, sixteen months after her birth at St. Mary's Hospital, Esther Danielle White was baptised at St. Catherine's Church by the Reverend Malcolm Pickering.

Esther has made frequent visits to the Island since then, but her most recent one was extra special. Along with her American husband, Steve Mullens, and following an overnight journey from their home in Norman, Oklahoma, she arrived with eight month old daughter Kathryn Suzanne Mullens.

Esther and Steve are meteorologists, moving in July to continue their careers at the University of Florida in Gainesville.

Despite her adventurous life, Esther retains a deep affection for the Island, and especially for Ventnor, where she lived in Kent Road for her first three years. Her brother Ben, baptised at St. Catherine's on 30th November 1986, lives in Kent.

Esther's mum Sue (Suzanne) went to be with the Lord in May 1995, but her dad, Bob, now married to Maxine, returned to the Island in 2014 and lives in Lake. If you venture up to Carisbrooke Priory you may well find Bob and Maxine, who'll be pleased to treat you to a drink in the lovely tea room.



From Bob White (Vicar's Personal Assistant at St. Catherine's, 1985-88)

A PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING.

My dear Lord Jesus, thank you for all the great things you have given to me during my lifetime.

Thank you for my Mum and Dad who were responsible for introducing me to your glorious world, to share with my Brothers, Sister relatives and Friends.

Thank you for all my loving dependents, my Teachers and this beautiful world in which we live.

I often reminisce upon my fortunes, never forgetting that all these gifts are from you, my Lord, for which I give in return my humble thanks and praise.

Your love, patience and understanding are insurmountable I, in return try to reflect these things in my daily life, to all whom I contact, especially to my Children and their descendants.

My beloved late wife Irene used to sing a variety of songs to the children at St Catherine's Home, especially at bath times and they would all join in . The singing was wonderful with songs such as : "I do like that doggie in the window, the one with the waggily tail." And lots of others which were modern at that time....."Ah ! So many lovely memories.

True peace of mind and happiness are brought about by Your good grace, dear Lord.

You are our mainstay, We always turn to you when we are in trouble, but wait, we must not forget to say thank you.

Let us give thanks now....at this moment. For all that you give to us, dear Lord.

Yes, we can speak with our Lord, our Father, saviour and friend at any time.....

Ted Busbridge



THE VENTNOR HORTICULTURAL SHOW

1st SEPTEMBER - 2pm St Catherine's Church

Ventnor Horticultural Society's Summer Show schedules are now



available at Crave Ice Cream in Spring Hill, Ventnor and at St Catherine's Church.

There is a **prize of £10** for the **largest Pumpkin**.

The show date is the 1st of September so there is plenty of time to sew, grow and make your entries. Look out for the classes sponsored by Crave Ice Cream. Children up to and including the age of 14 have their own section in the schedule, winners will receive Crave Ice Cream voucher. Contact details can be found in the schedule.

You do not have to live in Ventnor to take part.

‘TRY PRAYING’

Every TUESDAY afternoon

between 2:30pm - 3:30pm

in St Catherine's Church. We will be praying for our community, businesses, people, churches and all that is going on.

Do drop in for a short time and add your concerns or needs to our prayers.

Come when you can.

WHO CARES ?

A concert with the
Undercliff Singers
Friday 13th July at 7pm

St Catherine's Church

Guest: Cameron Tarry & Polly Green
saxophone, piano & voice.

Raffle.

Free Entry - retiring collection for the



We work with carers who either live on the Isle of Wight or care for someone living on the Isle of Wight. As a charity, we have supported carers for 30 years. We are here to work with carers to ensure they receive the right support and information at the right time, enabling Carers to carry on looking after their relatives, friends and neighbours.

If you require information about your role as a carer please do ring us on **533173**.

Doug Alldred & The Silver Lining

Doug Alldred & The Silver Lining mix singer/songwriter sensibilities with soaring melodies, earning their last EP 'A Little Knowledge' airplay on BBC Radio 2, Union Jack Radio, and BBC Introducing. They return to Ventnor Fringe after a sold out show in 2017. The beautiful surroundings of Bonchurch Old Church will again play host to a very special candlelit acoustic performance from the band, fresh from sets at The Isle of Wight Festival & Rhythmtree Festival.

Thursday 9th August - 9.15pm Tickets £7.50 Under 25/Over 65 £6 All Ages

The Signalman

Don't miss Origins Theatre's haunting stage adaptation of the last story Charles Dickens ever completed. This short play explores what happens when a Victorian traveller finds a signalman working in a remote location. He's intelligent and eloquent, but why is he so disturbed? What is it about the dark tunnel entrance, and the red danger light, that seems to unnerve him?

Friday 10th and Saturday 11th August - 8pm

Tickets £8.00 Under 25/Over 65 £6.50 12+

Coppersmith

Glenn and Linda have been working together for 12 years. Glenn writes the songs and plays guitar and Linda provides harmonies and whistle. Beginning in theatre, where Glenn wrote several plays, then moving into music they gained a grounding in traditional folk before creating an all original set. They have gained a name for themselves locally playing folk clubs and festivals.

TBC August - 8pm Tickets £8 12 +

www.vfringe.ventnorexchange.co.uk

A Classical Afternoon with...

Earl Grey, a pianist of high regard has toured the world. Now often to be found wandering in nature, he has been enticed back into the world of show by the promise of a bottle of good wine and the chance to play some really good music. For the last few years Duke Box, a clarinettist and Ventnor based bon vivant, has been enjoying the glitz and glam of cabaret but now he's looking forward to returning to his classical roots. Join them as they perform together for the first time and enjoy a relaxed and unstuffy look through the world of clarinet chamber music.

Wednesday 8th August - 1pm Tickets: £5.00 All Ages

Tiresias

Tiresias may be blind, but he has seen more than you or I if we lived six life times. When Hera rips out his eyes, Zeus grants Tiresias a gift more precious than a thousand burning torches in the darkness – he is given the gift to predict the future. A forerunner of fortune or a man who is helpless to what he has seen? The play follows Tiresias journey as he lives through countless Greek myths and legends.

Heady Conduct weave together text, live music and physicality to tell Tiresias tale in their potent and intoxicating style.

Thursday 9th - Saturday 11th August - 5pm

Tickets: £10.00 Under 25/ Over 65 £8.00 12+

Five Tales of Love and Madness

Five compelling short stories told through some of Handel and Purcell's most sublime music. Starring international opera singer, Alice De Ville, accompanied by world-class pianist, James Longford, and featuring actor Jon Gabriel Robbins, this staged recital explores compelling new ways for audiences to enjoy some of the world's most beautiful and moving classical music. Five Tales of Love and Madness re-imagines the recital for a modern audience combining highest-quality musical integrity with bold and exciting storytelling.

Thursday 9th and Saturday 11th August - 8pm Tickets: £10.00

All Ages

Fringe events are subject to change.

Trinity Theatre - Trinity Church Hall

A Beautiful Day Forever

Fame is everything nowadays. We're slaves of the desire of 'being someone', we lack our own identity. Every action we make is to claim the attention of the cameras and the coveted immortality that comes with them. But what are we actually ready to do for all this? What sacrifices are we ready to make? Will fame and success actually grants us immortality? Or do we need something more? And once we finally reached notoriety, can we go back? Become a human being once again and not just a "product" for the masses? These questions serve as a framework for "A Beautiful Day Forever".

Thursday 9th August 2pm and 8pm.

Friday 10th August - 8pm Tickets £6.00 16+

Laughter Lines

New show. Double comedy trouble from 'furiously fabulous' Donna Jones MBE and Joan Ellis. Older but not wiser, every line tells a story. A 'funny yet poignant' mix of poetry and prose for ladies who laugh. But not too much, just in case.

Thursday 9th August - 9pm Tickets: £7.00 18+

The Turning Tide Plays

Don't underestimate the forces of nature. The turning Tide plays are two new pieces by the Bonchurch Theatre Company. They both explore what happens when a person can't take anymore. Played to sell out audiences in 2017.

Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th August 2pm Tickets £5 12 +

Died Blondes

Marilyn Monroe. Ruth Ellis. Infamous women. Famous last words. Marilyn Monroe, movie star. Ruth Ellis, murderer. Infamous women.

Famous last words, reimaged. Written and performed by award-winning writer, Joan Ellis pieces together the latest theories creating two dramatic monologues which enable these so-called dumb blondes to find their voice moments before they die.

Saturday 11th August - 6pm Tickets £6.00 18 +

Fringe events are subject to change.

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Holy Trinity Church - Ventnor
A Concert of Organ Music
19th August at 2.30pm
with Paul Rosoman

Followed by cream tea



International Concert Organist, Paul Rosoman was born and educated in New Zealand, and is currently Director of Music at St Luke's Church in Wellington.

He tours every summer in Europe performing in major concert venues and festivals, and also plays regularly in New Zealand and Australia. This year's concert tours will take him to Great Britain, Germany and the Netherlands, and he was an artist as part of the 2018 New Zealand Festival in a sell out concert in the chamber music series.

St Catherine's Church
7th July - 2.00 - 4.00 pm.

The Friends of St Catherine's Church
have arranged a
Strawberries and Cream Tea
£5 per adult.

Visit "Ventnor Day" then come along.

Fringe Dates for your Diary. St Catherine's Church

Ryan Young & Jenn Butterworth: Fringe Warm Up Concert

In this special pre-festival Concert Island promoters and Fringe regulars Vaguely Sunny present a very exciting young talent in Scottish traditional fiddle player Ryan Young. Ryan holds a first-class honours degree and a Masters degree from the Conservatoire of Scotland.

Sunday 5th August - 7:30pm Tickets £12.00 All Ages

Charlie Dore & Julian Littman

A very special evening of eclectic, contemporary folk as Charlie Dore, one of the UK's most respected songwriter's teams up with multi-instrumentalist Julian Littman of Steeleye Span and virtuoso double bass player Gareth Huw Davies. The newest album Dark Matter, described as a cocktail of speculation, stories and dreams served up in a hand-blown glass includes the songs Two Thousand Hour Lightbulb, Breakfast of Neutrinos, 15 Minutes with Danny Kaye and Personal Hell.

Thursday 9th August - 7:30pm Tickets: £10.00 All Ages

Songs of the Rivers & Seas

Immerse yourself in a sea of human voices...

Be lured in by fabulous world watery harmonies performed by The Brave Souls - the planet's newest pop-up choir with members from across the Island who have learned the full repertoire in just one day. Wowzers!

Friday 10th August Tickets £4/£3 Conc. All Ages

Rosalie Deighton & Edwina Hayes

IW Venue campaign presents a sublime evening of acoustic live folk music from Rosalie Deighton Edwina Hayes with support from Kindred Spirit. Don't miss this show after a sell out for IW Venue Campaign's Charlie Dore show at Ventnor Fringe 2017, which was much loved by audiences of all ages.

Rosalie's song writing heroes comprise all the classic names from Tom Waits to Bob Dylan. Among her fellow female artists, unsurprisingly she's a huge fan of Emmylou Harris. But she also cites Maria McKee, Mary Margaret O'Hara, Bonnie Raitt and Dolly Parton as inspirations.

Friday 10th August - 7:30pm Tickets £10.00 All Ages

Fringe events are subject to change.

Evening Services at Bonchurch



The very popular 8 p.m. Sunday Candle-lit Evening Services will begin on 1st July in Bonchurch Old Church. These are short services, with music and

are led by different people each week. They are usually well-attended by both holiday-makers and local people, and give a chance to worship in an ancient and beautiful church in lovely surroundings.

All are welcome

Monday Evening 7.45pm

Contact Jenny Holder 852575

Tuesday Evening - 8.00pm

At Mick and Nava Young's St Andrews, Belgrave Road. 852680



***During summer months Home Groups will be taking a break.
Please phone to find out when they will stop and restart.***

RIDE and STRIDE 2018

This year's sponsored Ride and Stride in aid Hampshire & Isle of Wight historic churches is on **Saturday 8th September**, 10am to 6pm. Please take part weather on foot, by bike, bus, horseback or even car and help raise funds towards the upkeep of the region's 900 historic and beautiful church buildings. Half the money you raise goes to the church of your choice. The other 50%, plus Gift Aid, will enable Hampshire & the Island Historic Trust (HIHCT) to allocate much-needed grants and loans to churches of all denominations.



First Thursday of the month at 9am,
St Catherine's Church. A warm welcome to
breakfast and a friendly chat.
For further information contact Steve 856953

Ventnor Townswomen's Guild

18th July - 2.15pm

“Ventnor Heritage Museum”

Janet Griffin

Resident's Lounge. Knights Court, High Street, Ventnor.

Secretary - Mrs J Walters - 855892

Social Studies Group

2nd July - 2.15pm

ROMAN PLANTS - Ann Evans

Held in the Resident's lounge at Byrnhill Grove, Park Avenue

For more information contact Mrs Barbara Joyner - 651577

£1 per meeting including refreshments

ST ALBANS THE MARTYR CHURCH

SUNDAYS - JULY

1st- 5th after Trinity. 8th- 6th after Trinity and Sea Sunday

15th- 7th after Trinity & St Swithun & Feast day.

22nd- 8th after Trinity & Feast of St Mary Magdalene

29th- 9th after Trinity

9.30am SOLEMN SUNG MASS with Communion Motets.

WEDNESDAYS

4th, 11th, 18th & 25th JULY

9.30am HOLY COMMUNION (said). Traditional Rite.

SUNDAYS - AUGUST

5th- 10th after Trinity, 12th- 11th after Trinity & Feast of St Care,

19th- 12th after Trinity & 26th- 13th after Trinity.

9.30am SOLEMN SUNG MASS with Communion Motets.

WEDNESDAYS

1st (Lammas Day), 8th, 15th (Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary),

22nd & 29th August. 9.30am HOLY COMMUNION (said). Traditional Rite.

SUNDAY 19th AUGUST: The Annual Betjeman Birthday Party.

3.30pm Sung Evensong. 4.30pm CELEBRATORY TEA.

5.15 -6pm (approx) "Sweet Songs of Zion". Donations for St Alban's Church welcome.

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Articles for the **September Magazine** should be handed in by **August 10th** please. You can hand it in at the Hub or email it to Joan Garlick at **ventnorcofe@hotmail.co.uk**

Hand written reports/articles are accepted if you **do not** have access to a computer.

VENTNOR WEATHER JUNE

The mean maximum temperature of 18.7C was the hottest on record! Twelve days had more than 20C. The hottest day was the Bank Holiday Monday 28th with 24.4C. The hottest night was the 29th 15.5C. The coldest night was the 1st with only 4.2C. The nights were cooler which meant that daily mean temperature of 14.6C was only the 3rd hottest on record.

Rainfall of 45.1mm was 98% of the average of 45.87mm. The wettest day was the 29th with 15.8mm.

Thanks to Mike Wood for our weather information for Ventnor.



'Pitch up at the Pub!'

At The Winter Gardens. A friendly social afternoon!

2 - 4 pm

Last Monday of each Month (except August)

*Book Swap * Chat!!! * Fun Quiz * Raffle / Bingo.

Pop in for a friendly welcome and good company.

All ages welcome, the more the merrier!

Contact Nina for information,
or if you require transport locally: 07736 151630

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the new look **@CofE Portsmouth.**

Issued quarterly.

Messy Church

The next Messy Church
Will be in September

St Alban's Church - Upper Ventnor

The **Second** of the SEASONAL CONCERTS at St Alban's is on **Friday, 20th July at 7pm.**

When an inaugural PIANO RECITAL will be given by the award-winning pianist, THOMAS LUKE (Ryde School). FREE entry. Refreshments available. Retiring donations appreciated.

The **Third** of the SEASONAL CONCERTS at St Alban's is on **TUESDAY 28th August at 7pm.**

"A Cornucopia of Colours" with Guests - the BRADING COMMUNITY CHOIR and the return of CHRISTOPHER PICKETT (piano soloist) from Arreton; also with Andrew Pellow and George Wescott. Donations only. Admission FREE.

Trinity Folk



"Trinity Folk"

20th July

Trinity Church Hall

***10th August**

***Trinity Church**

7.30pm - 10pm

Worship for August

August 5th The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church

10.45a.m. **CARNIVAL SERVICE**, St Catherine's Church

10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church

8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

August 12th The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Morning Worship, Holy Trinity Church

10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Catherine's Church

10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church

6.30p.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church

8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

August 19th The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church

10.45a.m. Morning Worship, St Catherine's Church

10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church

8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

August 26th The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church

10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Catherine's Church

10.45a.m. Morning Worship, St Boniface Church

8.00p.m. *Holy Communion, Bonchurch Old Church*

Bible Readings for August

August 5th The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

Ephesians 4:1-16

St John 6:24-35

August 12th The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

1 Kings 19:4-8

Ephesians 4:25-5:2

St John 6:35, 41-51

August 19th The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Proverbs 9:1-6

Ephesians 5:15-20

St John 6:51-58

August 26th The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

Ephesians 6:10-20

St John 6:56-69

Worship for July

July 1st The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church
10.45a.m. Morning Worship, St Catherine's Church
10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church
8.00p.m. *Holy Communion, Bonchurch Old Church*

July 8th The Sixth Sunday after Trinity, Sea Sunday.

9.30a.m. Morning Worship, Holy Trinity Church
10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Catherine's Church
10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church
6.30p.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church
8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

July 15th The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church
10.45a.m. COME AND SEE, St Catherine's Church
10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Boniface Church
8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

July 22nd St Mary Magdalene

9.30a.m. Holy Communion, Holy Trinity Church
10.45a.m. Holy Communion, St Catherine's Church,
10.45a.m. Morning Worship, St Boniface Church
8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church*

July 29th The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

UNITED SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION,
at St CATHERINE'S CHURCH 10.45a.m.
8.00p.m. *Evening Service, Bonchurch Old Church.*

Bible Readings for July

July 1st The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Lamentations 3:23-33

2 Corinthians 8:7-end

St Mark 5:21-end

July 8th The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

Ezekiel 2:1-5

or Readings for Sea Sunday

2 Corinthians 12:2-10 (Holy Trinity)

St Mark 6:1-13

July 15th The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Amos 7:7-15

Ephesians 1:3-14

St Mark 6:14-29

July 22nd Mary Magdalene.

Song of Solomon 3:1-4

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

St John 20:1-2, 11-18

July 29th The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

2 Kings 4:42-end

Ephesians 3:14-end

St John 6:1-21

BEREAVEMENT GROUP....Can we help you?

We are aware that there are a number of people who have been bereaved and might like someone to talk to.

If this is YOU or someone you know, please contact any of the Bereavement Group from St Catherine's, Holy Trinity and St Boniface, by telephoning 01983 853729 or visit the Hub at St Catherine's any morning between 10.30 am and 12.30pm. If you'd rather leave a note, there's a box in the Coffee Shop. Anything you wish to discuss will be treated with absolute confidentiality.

**Is something worrying you?
Want someone to listen to you?**

Come in on Mondays - 11am - 2pm.

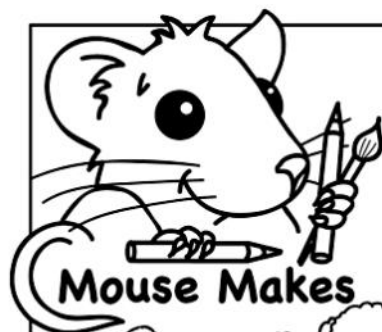
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The Living Room - 82-83 High Street, Newport
We have trained Acorn Christian Listeners you can talk to.

LISTEN IN TRAINING

We are running a one day Acorn Listen in course on 1st September at 10am to 4pm at the Priory at Cost £5 per person. However if you volunteer once or twice a month at the Living Room in Newport then it will be free.

Please contact Nava for an application form on 852680
or navayoung@aol.com



LOST AND FOUND

Jesus told three stories to help us to understand God's love and forgiveness.

The first is about a missing sheep that the shepherd did not give up looking for.

The second is about a lost coin that the owner kept searching for until it was found.

The third is about a young man who returned home after he realised he had made a mistake by wanting to go his own way.

Read the 'Lost and Found' parables in **Luke 15**



Can you find the lost COIN, the lost SHEEP and the lost SON in the word search? Can you find these other words from the Lost and Found parables too?

HEAR • JESUS • HUNDRED • LOST • LOOK • FOUND
REJOICE • SINNER • REPENT • TEN • ONE • LAMP • SWEEP • SEARCH
FATHER • JOURNEY • SPENT • HUNGRY • PIGS • BACK • HOME • RAN
ROBE • RING • CALF • EAT • CELEBRATE • DEAD • ALIVE

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When it was Mrs Wilson's turn to do the
flower arrangements, she always kept
the vicar's hay fever in mind