

# Weekly Pew Sheet for the benefice of Newport and Carisbrooke with Gatcombe



Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021 - All Saints Day

*Welcome to our benefice! If you are visiting one of our churches for the first time, please introduce yourself to us!*

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## **Collect**

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **New Testament Reading: Revelation 21; 1 - 6**

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

“See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.”

And the one who was seated on the throne said, “See, I am making all things new.” Also he said, “Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.” Then he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.

## **Gospel Reading: John 11; 32 - 44**

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, “Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.” When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, “Where have you laid him?” They said to him, “Lord, come and see.” Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, “See how he loved him!” But some of them said, “Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?”

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, “Take away the stone.” Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, “Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days.” Jesus said to her, “Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?” So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, “Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may

believe that you sent me.” When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, “Lazarus, come out!” The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, “Unbind him, and let him go.”

### **Post Communion Prayer**

God the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### What's on in our parish?

#### **All Soul's; A service of remembrance for the departed**

This evening at 6pm, Newport Minster will be hosting a service for our parishes, where we will be remembering all those who have died in recent times. You are warmly invited to attend.

- St John's Midweek Service takes place on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 11am. This week the service is Morning Prayer.
- St. John's will be holding their Christmas Fair on the 27<sup>th</sup> November. Please save the date.
- Newport Minster will be holding their Christmas Fair on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Please save the date.

Newport Minster Book shop has cards for all occasions with Scripture readings, book marks, music cd's and various assorted Christian themed gifts. (situated by the Minster coffee shop).

We need more volunteers for the Newport Minster coffee shop on 20<sup>th</sup> November please speak to one of the church wardens.



## Chatterbox returns in January!

We will meet on Monday mornings at St John's Church Hall from 9.30-11am with toys, snacks and singing for adults and children.

**Volunteer:** Do you have Monday mornings free? Would you like to join the exciting team to host conversation and offer hospitality to all those who attend?

**Donate:** Do you have any clean, undamaged and good quality toys that your children no longer need? Or would you like to donate to buying new toys or to running costs for a term?

Contact [hannah.barracough@cofenewportandcarisbrooke.org](mailto:hannah.barracough@cofenewportandcarisbrooke.org) for more information

## The Prayer Course with Pete Grieg

In Person:

When: continues each Tuesday afternoon until November 16<sup>th</sup>.

Where: St Mary's Church Hall

What time: 2-3pm

Online:

When: continues each Thursday evening until November 18<sup>th</sup>.

Where: Zoom

What time: 7-8pm

Anyone interested in joining the 100 Club.

Please contact Rob or Janet Holliday for further information at [janet.holliday@cofenewportandcarisbrooke.org](mailto:janet.holliday@cofenewportandcarisbrooke.org)

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