

**Parish Newsletter:**  
17<sup>th</sup> Oct to 25<sup>th</sup> Oct 2020

**St. Catherine of Alexandria Roman  
Catholic Church**

**Year A**

Saint Catherine of Alexandria



Prayer

Glorious St. Catherine, virgin, and martyr help me to imitate your love of purity. Give me strength and courage in fighting off the temptations of the world and evil desires. Help me to love God with my whole heart and serve him faithfully. O St. Catherine, through your glorious martyrdom for the love of Christ, help me to be loyal to

Daily Readings and the Daily Homily are available to view on our parish website, also Gift Aid information.

CONFESSIONS BY APPOINTMENT

**St. Joseph's Convent**

Public masses and visits remain suspended until further notice.

**Please pray for those who are unwell**

**Mary Bond, Deidre Currell,  
Simon Hobson, Gloria Bird,  
Flora Gardener Reeves, and  
Michael Keaveney.**

**REQUIEM AETERNAM**

**Please pray for Fr. Albert van der Most, Jacqueline Wythe and Ruth Brown  
May they rest in peace. Amen.**

Saint Vincent de Paul Society Our Saint Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) administered the Voucher Scheme organised by the Catholic Bishop's Conference for this parish. £300 worth of vouchers were issued to our parish and have been given to needy persons in the form of £10 food vouchers. The scheme is not being continued. However, the SVP can direct people or provide emergency help if needed. Their e mail is: stcatherinessvp@gmail.com and emergency phone number is: 07554 060625

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The winner for September is  
Marianna Pik Y Se with number 17.  
Well Done

**Parish Priest: Father Carl Davies**  
**Parish Deacon: Rev Adrian Burnett**  
**Parish Secretary: Mrs Sue Pegrum**

**Parish Telephone no: 01903 – 731171**

**Website: [www.stcatherineschurchlittlehampton.org](http://www.stcatherineschurchlittlehampton.org)**

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**Mass Intentions at St Catherine's this week**

SATURDAY 17 <sup>th</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
SUNDAY 18 <sup>th</sup> OCT <u>11.00 AM</u>	LITURGY OF THE WORD AND HOLY COMMUNION	29 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MONDAY 19 <sup>th</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
TUESDAY 20 <sup>th</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
WEDNESDAY 21 <sup>st</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
THURSDAY 22 <sup>nd</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
FRIDAY 23 <sup>rd</sup> OCT	NO MASS	
SATURDAY 24 <sup>th</sup> OCT	NO MASS	British Summertime Ends – Clocks go back 1 hour
SUNDAY 25 <sup>th</sup> OCT <u>11.00 AM</u>	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	30 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

World Mission Sunday [this Sunday] supports missionaries who work alongside poor and needy communities abroad, regardless of their background or belief. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can to sustain the future of our Church. **Please call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit Missio's website [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk)** to give a single gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation, if possible.

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2020 – FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CANONISATION OF THE FORTY MARTYRS OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

The 11.00am Mass at St. Catherine's that morning will take the form of a Votive Mass of the Forty Martyrs of England and Wales.

Advance Notice: On Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 11.00 The Parish Requiem for Fr. Albert van der Most will take place here at St. Catherine's. Government Guidelines will prevail.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT MASKS (FACE COVERINGS)  
MUST BE WORN AT ALL SERVICES**

## **CORONAVIRUS PRECAUTIONS – INFORMATION**

Please use hand sanitizers provided

Wait to be shown to your seat

Communion under one kind (in the hand only)

No physical sign of peace

No Holy water in the stoops

Please do not touch or kiss the statues.

Hymn books will not be distributed

Anyone with cold and flu like symptoms should not attend.

No collection plate will be passed around – please place your offertory in the box provided near the exit door or in the basket held by a steward

No catering or refreshments will be served

Toilets will be closed

If you feel unwell, please raise your hand and a steward will attend to you

Please sit down and only stand for the Gospel

No votive candles

Please wear suitable clothing as all doors will be propped open for air flow

If after attending Mass, you come down with any flu like symptoms please let the Parish Secretary know.

Apart from responses please keep silent in the church and outside

Bring and wear a face mask or face covering.

Please take all belongings with you when you go to communion so you can leave the church immediately (if for any reason you do leave anything behind you will have to wait until the church has emptied before returning to collect)

There will be no paper newsletter for the present time

Please respect social distancing at all times (2 metres – 6 feet)

Thank you for your co-operation in these matters – keep well – stay safe.