



Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon and community at Papworth Everard

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

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SATURDAY	19th January
Parish Church, Papworth Everard, CB23 3QN	
18.00 Mass	Bernard Power
SUNDAY	20th January
09.00 Mass	For the people of the parish
11.00 Mass	James Devanney +
15.30 Mass	in Polish
17.30 Mass	Syro-Malabar Mass
MONDAY	21st January:
St Agnes	
09.30 Mass	Janet Thomas +
TUESDAY	22nd January: Feria
No Mass today	
WEDNESDAY	23rd January: Feria
16.30 Mass	Patients & Staff. Hinchingsbrooke Hospital
THURSDAY	24th January:
St Francis de Sales	
09.30 Mass	James Devanney +
FRIDAY	25th January:
Conversion of St Paul	
09.30 Mass	Eileen Gallagher +
SATURDAY	26th January:
Sts Timothy & Titus	
09.30 Mass	Tina Rooney & Anthony Roberts
10.00	Confessions
17.30	Syro-Malabar Mass
18.00	Mass: Vigil Mass.
Parish Church, Papworth Everard	

CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK

is kept this week, please remember this important intention in your prayers.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: George Aldridge, Margaret Antoniades, Ellen Brown, Joan Clancy, Frank Cullen, Lily Donald, Bridget Gaynor, Peter Hackett, and Josephine Murphy. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

John Brennan, Joseph Kempa, Mary Docherty, Mirelis Vucens, Ernest Bloomfield, John Massicks, Winifred Hinde, Fr Arthur Tomlinson, James Devaney, Patrick Gaynor, Angela Ri Formato, Marian Kave, John Judge and Phyllis Sturgeon. May they rest in peace.

National Cycle of Prayer: during Ordinary Time until Lent you are asked to remember the following intentions in your prayer: peace on earth; racial justice; Christian unity; the sick and those who care for them and the unemployed.

If you are going into hospital, or if a relative or friend is in hospital, please let Fr Philip know so he can visit. We do not always get the names of patients & can miss people if you do not tell us they are in-patients. Thank you.

Collection for last weekend

Papworth	£61.10
St Michael's	£462.76
Standing Orders	£125.00
Total	£648.86

Thank you for your support of our parish.

Thank you also for your support of the White Flower collection for SPUC which came to **£159.86**, thank you for your generous support.

CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK daily prayer times for this year are at the Methodist Church in the High Street, **Monday to Friday from 12.30 – 13.00**. It is very easy to drop in one day if you are in town, so I hope you will try to represent St Michael's one of those days.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Bishop Alan will come to St Michael's to confirm some of our young people on **Thursday 4th July 2019**.

Our programme has now begun and continues on **Friday 25th January** at 17.30 – 19.00 in the GS Room. Anyone who still wishes to join this group must do so this Friday otherwise it will be too late.

NEW CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS: the Diocese is applying to build 3 new Catholic primary schools, two in Peterborough and one in our area, at Northstowe. We have to put in a submission by **1st February** and show that there is support among the Catholic community for such schools; any new school would open in September 2022 or 2023. By then the A14 will be open and it would be a short journey to a school in Northstowe. There are details at both doors and also a form to send in your support for these schools. To support them you do not have to be a parent, but simply be part of our community. I encourage you to fill out a form, either send it yourself or bring it back next weekend to be sent in to the Diocesan Office. Further information from www.rcdea.org.uk/vaschools.

This is a great opportunity for the Catholic community of our Diocese for the future, please register your support.

WORLD YOUTH DAY PRAYER VIGIL, is on **Saturday 26th January** at St. Oswald's Church, 933 Lincoln Road, Peterborough, PE4 6AE. Come and join the Ignite Team in prayer on the same night as the World Youth Day vigil with Pope Francis in Panama! The evening will start at 19.30 and conclude at midnight. There will be Adoration throughout with people being welcome to come and go over the course of the evening. For more information please contact the Ignite Team at: igniteteam@rcdea.org.uk.

CHILDRENS' CATECHISM CLASSES for the younger children will begin again on **Sunday 20th January** and continue on Sunday 3rd February.

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES on **Sunday 27th January**, in the Presbytery at 10.10; there will also be a **Parents' Meeting** in the Church at the same time.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: congregation attending the Syro-Malabar Mass by Saturday 26th January. Thank you.

JOURNEY IN FAITH continues on **Friday 25th January** at 19.15 in the GS Room.

MASS INTENTIONS: it is a very good and prayerful thing to have a Mass offered for your deceased relatives and also for any friends or family who are in any kind of trouble. There are some brown envelopes near both doors for you to use to request a Mass to be said, simply fill in the details on the envelope and place your donation inside and give to Fr Philip and your Mass intention will be included on the newsletter and said in due course.

FLAME 2019 this is largest Catholic youth event in the country: 'Flame Congress,' is back at Wembley Arena on the **2nd March, 2019!** It promises to be an amazing day with live music from Christian artists such as Guvna B and Tim Hughes, drama from RISE Theatre and inspiring speakers such as Robert Madu. The Diocesan Youth Service for East Anglia will be taking a group with coaches picking people up from various points across the Diocese. Tickets are £25 which includes transport. To book your place go to: www.rcdea.org.uk/youth/.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS: I guess many of you donate to the Food Bank when you can in various places. As part of our being part of our local community and reaching out to them, we will start to collect for the Food Bank on the first Sunday of each month. We will have a large box in the porch at the main door for your donations and a note in the newsletter to remind you, so we will begin on **3rd February**.

May God's blessing be with you and all your family this week.



How I wish that all men and women of good will would look at the Cross if only for a moment!

There, we can see God's reply:

violence is not answered with violence,
death is not answered with the language of death.
In the silence of the Cross the uproar of weapons
ceases and the language of reconciliation,
forgiveness, dialogue and peace is spoken.

Pope Francis