

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

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1st March 2020 1st Sunday in Lent Year A

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SATURDAY 29th February

Parish Church, Papworth Everard, CB23 3QN 17.00 Mass Tommy Hill +

SUNDAY 1st March

09.00 Mass For the people of the parish

11.00 Mass Finan family intentions

15.30 Mass in Polish

MONDAY 2nd March: Lent Feria

09.30 Mass Fr Anthony Shryane

11.00 Funeral service: Maria Burbidge +

TUESDAY 3rd March: Lent Feria

No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 4th March: Lent Feria

16.30 Mass at Hinchingbrooke Hospital Staff and Patients

THURSDAY 5th March: Lent Feria

09.30 Mass Patrick Wymbs +

10.00 – 11.00 *Adoration*

FRIDAY 6th March: Lent Feria

11.00 Requiem Mass: Pauline Thompson

18.30 *Stations of the Cross*

SATURDAY 7th March: Lent Feria

09.30 Mass Frank Cullen +

10.00 Confessions

17.00 Mass: Vigil Mass.

Parish Church, Papworth Everard

LENT FAST DAY is kept on **Friday 6th March**, you are invited to have a simple meal and donate the saving to CAFOD. Gift Aid envelopes are at the back of the Church for the collection next weekend.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER presented by the women of Zimbabwe on the theme "Rise! Take up your mat and walk". The local service is at Trinity Free Church, Buttsgrove Way, Huntingdon at 19.00. All are welcome.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: George Aldridge, Margaret Antoniades, Ellen Brown, Joan Clancy, Lily Donald, Bridget Gaynor, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington and Patricia Shockledge. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time: John McDonald, Christopher Pyne, Charles Smith, John Dooley, Sydney Sandells, Helena Wasik, Denis Williment, William O'Leary, Hertha Norton, Mark Connolly, Keith Sterling, Maureen Joy, Edna Britten and Francis Cullen. May they rest in peace.

PETER McNAMARA who died this week, may the Lord give him eternal rest. We pray for his family at this time, may the Lord console them.

LISA PIKE, JAMES WHITEHILL & AUSTIN WHITEHILL who are preparing to become members of the Catholic Church and receive the Sacraments for the first time at the Easter Vigil. Today they go to the Rite of Election at St John's Cathedral in Norwich to be presented to the Bishop. Please keep them in your prayers throughout Lent.

National Cycle of Prayer: during the season of Lent please pray for the following intentions: candidates preparing for the Sacraments at Easter; the needy and hungry of the world; Women's World Day of Prayer; penitents and wanderers and all victims of sexual abuse.

If you are going into 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.

LENT COLLECTION this year is for Aid to the Church in Need and for SVP East Anglia, the collection is the blue bowl on top of the font.

SEASON OF LENT is a time of renewal of our life of faith through many different ways of acknowledging God in our everyday life and being more aware of his presence wherever we may be. Our parish will mark this season with times of devotion, adoration and stations of the cross each week, but also a Lent course to deepen our understanding and appreciation of the Bible. Some of these things begin this week, there is a leaflet to outline how our parish will celebrate Lent 2020.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS: we will collect for the Food Bank next **Sunday 1**st **March**. There will be a large box in the porch at the main door, under the table, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donation.

<u>CATECHISM</u> <u>FOR</u> <u>THE</u> <u>YOUNGER</u> <u>CHILDREN</u>, will meet again in the Presbytery on **Sunday 1**st **March**, at 10.10. The next meeting will be on **Sunday 15**th **March**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION next meeting will be on **Sunday 8th March** in the Presbytery at 10.10.

<u>JOURNEY IN FAITH:</u> continues on Friday 6th March at 19.00 in the GS Room.

ACROSS PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: have sent details of their pilgrimage holidays, if you are interested to travel with them or to volunteer to work on one of their groups, details are by both doors, please take a brochure.

Last Sunday's Collections:

Papworth Everard: £51.70 Huntingdon: £391.40 Standing Orders £300.00 Total £743.10

Thank you for your support of our parish. Retiring collection next weekend for CAFOD for the Lent Fast Day. Gift Aid envelopes are available today.

<u>CLEANERS</u> <u>THIS</u> <u>WEEK:</u> congregation attending the Polish Mass on **Saturday 7**th **March**. Many thanks.

"SET YOUR FAITH ALIGHT AT GLOW": A dynamic day of faith for 12 – 18 year olds at St. Laurence's Primary School, Arbury Road, Cambridge, CB4 2JX on Sunday 15th March, beginning with Sunday Mass at 09:30, ending at 17.00. An event run by the Ignite Team including music, workshops & prayer. Book online & find out more at www.rcdea.org.uk/youth/events We hope to have a group going to this event, so please sign in the GS Room today.

<u>LENT QUIET DAY</u> on Saturday 21st March at the Margaret Beaufort Institute, 12 Grange Road, Cambridge. A chance to reflect on God's love for us and our love for God, 10.00 – 15.00, includes input sessions and one to one options and space for prayer. The cost is £15, please bring your own lunch: book via mbitdm@hermes.cam.ac.uk Details on both boards.

<u>HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE</u> with March and surrounding parishes, $15^{th} - 22^{nd}$ March 2021. If you are interested there is a presentation evening on **Thursday 26th March** at St Peter's Church in March at 19.00. Details on both boards.

MANY THANKS to all who supported the Pancake Supper last Tuesday, it was a lovely social evening; thanks to all the helpers. We also raised £103.50 for our parish, well done and thank you.

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

