



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

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St Peter and St Paul

PMB p 170 Psalter: Week 1

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| SATURDAY | 27th June |
| Parish Church, Papworth Everard, CB23 3QN No Mass today | |
| SUNDAY | 28th June |
| 10.00 | Mass For the people of the parish |
| <i>13th Week in Ordinary Time</i> | |
| MONDAY | 29th June: Feria |
| 09.30 | Mass Domingo Gonzales + |
| TUESDAY | 30th June: Feria |
| No Mass today | |
| WEDNESDAY | 1st July: Feria |
| 09.30 | Mass Fr Michael Hazell + |
| 10.30 | <i>Midweek meditation</i> |
| THURSDAY | 2nd July: Feria |
| 09.30 | Mass Thanksgiving (L) |
| FRIDAY | 3rd July: |
| St Thomas | |
| 09.30 | Mass Dave McCormick |
| 10.30 | <i>Midweek meditation</i> |
| SATURDAY | 4th July: Feria |
| 09.30 | Mass Thanksgiving (SG) |
| 17.00 | Mass: Vigil Mass. |
| Parish Church, Papworth Everard | |

Last Sunday's Collections:

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| Papworth Everard: | No Mass |
| Huntingdon: | £50.10 |
| Standing Orders | £388.68 |
| Total | £438.78 |

Thank you for your support of our parish.

**Please check our parish website during
the week for more details of attending &
booking in advance for Mass next
Sunday.**

Your prayers are asked for:

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

For those whose anniversaries occur at this me: Veronica Burns, Brendan Forrester, Leonard Smith, Patrick McGovern and Richard Forsyth. May they rest in peace.

National Cycle of Prayer: during Ordinary Time until September please pray for the following intentions: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression and the denial of human rights; human life; Europe and seafarers.

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.

CONTACT FR PHILIP: Please don't hesitate to contact me for a chat or for any help you might need, Please, leave a message if I am out, I will probably be in the garden, I will call you back.

PARISH MASSES are now all live streamed each day through our website, www.stmichaelrc.org and follow the link, or you can search YouTube for St Michael's Parish Huntingdon and find us.

MIDWEEK MEDITATION: the meditation is a short talk based on the readings of the following Sunday, to give you a thought for the day and to help you prepare for Mass on Sunday. I record them on **Wednesday and Friday at 10.30**, you are welcome to join me live or view later.

OPENING FOR MASS: The Government has given permission for Mass to begin from 4th July, **we shall begin with Mass at Papworth at 17.00.**

To enable more people to attend, since 50 is the maximum number for our Church, for a while **there will be three Masses on Sunday morning, beginning next Sunday: 08.30, 09.45 and 11.15.** Mass will still be live streamed.

There will still not be enough room for all our usual congregation, so I ask some of you, those who are more vulnerable, who have other health issues, or who are not at work, **to come to Mass during the week, but not on Sunday.**

At the time of publishing this newsletter final arrangements for Mass are not complete, so please make sure you check our parish website, Facebook or YouTube pages. You will need to book in advance so that we do not get too many people at any one Mass. Please do not rush to attend the first week, we need to build up slowly.

The Polish Mass will resume on **Sunday 5th July at 15.30**

We will need four stewards for each Mass, please volunteer to help make this all work smoothly for the Mass you will be attending.

OPENING FOR PRIVATE PRAYER: we will continue to open this week on **Wednesday from 11.00 – 13.00** and on **Sunday from 13.00 – 16.00.** At this stage, **the toilets will not be available.**

Entrance to the Church will via the GS Room from the back door in the garden, all doors will be open, so there should be very little you need to touch, sanitiser will be available. You are welcome to wear your own mask in the church.

NATIONAL MASS for the Sick and their Families, NHS Front-Line workers and those working in Social Care. Those who are sick, and their families, are suffering many hardships of isolation from contact with those they love. The Mass on **Thursday 2nd July** at 19.00 will be celebrated by Archbishop John Wilson from Southwark Cathedral, go to <https://www.stgeorgescathedral.org.uk/>

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION a letter was sent to all parents asking how you wish to go forward for your child's First Holy Communion, so far only a few have responded. Now that we are starting to have Mass again, please let me know what you wish to do. We will need to finish the programme for those wishing to go ahead over the next few months.

CELEBRATE 7 YEARS OF POPE FRANCIS: Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology Zoom Seminar Series led by Dr Peter Coughlan. Pope Francis completed his seventh year as Bishop of Rome in March this year. This seminar – with three sessions in July and three in October - will reflect on some of the significant features of his pontificate to date.

There will be three sessions in July:

- (1) will search for the heart of Francis' pontificate. What are his hopes for the Church & its mission?
- (2) will look at *Evangelii gaudium - The Joy of the Gospel*.
- (3) will focus on 'the name of God is mercy'. Francis constantly returns to the absolute centrality of mercy.

In October there will be three sessions:

- (1) will consider ways in which Pope Francis is seeking renewal in the Church, especially through 'synodality'.
- (2) will present questions of the relationship between 'care for humanity's common home'.
- (3) the inequalities & injustice present in our world.

Wednesdays 10.00 – 12.00, **8, 15, 22 July; 7, 14, 21 October.** £20 per seminar or £100 if you sign up for all 6 seminars. To book email mbitadm@hermes.cam.ac.uk

DIOCESAN NEWS: the news from around the Diocese, is available on the Diocesan website, www.rcdea.org.uk it helps to keep you in touch with the Church. There is also a list of Churches in our Diocese who are live streaming Mass regularly.

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

