



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

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Third Sunday of Advent Year B

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SATURDAY 12th December: Vigil Masses

Parish Church, Papworth Everard, CB23 3QN

17.00 Mass For the people of the Parish

19.00 Mass Terence O'Neill +

SUNDAY 13th December

(LS) 09.00 Mass For the people of the Parish

(LS) 11.00 Mass Thresiamma Chacko +

15.30 Mass in Polish

MONDAY 14th December:

St John of the Cross

(LS) 09.30 Mass Shryane family intentions

(LS) 10.30 *Advent reflection III*

TUESDAY 15th December: Feria

No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 16th December: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Noreen Bennett

THURSDAY 17th December: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass McCarthy family intention

(LS) 10.30 *Midweek meditation*

FRIDAY 18th December: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Oliver Gaynor

SATURDAY 19th December: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Sarah Cottrell

10.00 Confessions

17.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. Papworth

19.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. St Michael's

PARISH MASSES are now open for you to attend once more. Masses will also be 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.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: George Aldridge, Bridie Ahern, Ellen Brown, Bridget Gaynor, Daisy Indiana, Patrick Moore, 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: Emmanuel Dzockplence, Fricis Polis, James Clancy, Norah Tunesi, Thomas Lee, Eileen Pancia, William Kennedy, Mary O'Riordan, Patricia Barker, James Malone, Alice Cope, Alice Crawford and William McCarthy. May they rest in peace.

National Cycle of Prayer: during Advent and Christmastide we are asked to pray for the following intentions: Openness to the Word of God: Migrants and Refugees: Expectant Mothers.

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 where they are. Thank you.

ATTENDING MASS: We have removed the kneelers, for the time being, **please do not kneel**, it brings you much too close to the person in front of you. If you are anxious about the number of people at Mass, please think about attending another Mass:

19.00 Saturday: plenty of space

09.00 is full – very few spaces

11.00 some spaces

For your own comfort and peace of mind, why not think of changing to a Mass less busy?

Please book early to attend Mass at Christmas



POSADA PRAYER

for Advent, this family prayer for families all over the world continues on-line via zoom for those who wish to join. The prayer is 19.00 every weekday evening. To

join the zoom meeting, you need an invitation, email to stmichaelshuntingdon@yahoo.com for the invitation.

ADVENT COURSE: continues on **Monday 14th December**, at 10.30. You can join me via live stream at that time, but the talk will then be available for you to view after that to help you to celebrate the season of Advent. The theme of the talks this year is **“The Coming of Christ”**.

CAFOD WORLD GIFTS: make a real difference to families living in poverty across the world. While we have the coronavirus pandemic and lockdown here, we can still be good neighbours to our sisters and brothers overseas by giving World Gifts as Christmas presents to family & friends. Let’s spread joy & hope around the world this Christmas. The catalogue is in the porch or visit CAFOD [by clicking on this link](#).

ADVENT MESSAGE FROM BISHOP ALAN is available by following the link <https://youtu.be/r2WNY0IRcCY>

DIOCESAN YEARBOOK 2021 has now arrived and will be available next week, cost £2.00: if you want one and are not presently attending Mass please email and I will keep one for you.

Last Sunday’s Collections:	
Papworth Everard:	£87.00
Huntingdon:	£180.00
Standing Orders	£397.00
Total	£664.00
Thank you for your support of our parish.	

CHURCH PLANS have now been submitted to the Planning Authority and have been received by them, we expect their response by **21st January 2021**. You can look at the plans on our parish website, <https://www.stmichaelrc.org/church-development-plans/> or at [Simple Search \(huntingdonshire.gov.uk\)](http://Simple Search (huntingdonshire.gov.uk)) The plans are also on the wall in the GS Room where you can see them once the church re-opens for Mass.

SATURDAY EVENING MASS: we continue with the Saturday evening Mass at 19.00 in St Michael’s Church. This Mass is for a trial period with a review at the end of the January, remember no need to book for this Mass, plenty of room.

RETIRING COLLECTION this weekend for the **Dependent Priests Fund**, this fund supports our priests who have retired or are unable to work because of illness. This is an independent charity and Gift Aid envelopes are available today.

MASS TIMES FOR CHRISTMAS there will be extra Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day to give plenty of room in the Church for you to be safe when you attend Mass.

Christmas Eve, 24th December

Masses at 17.00 19.00 22.00

Christmas Day, 25th December

Masses at 09.00 11.00 15.30 Polish

The 17.00 will be for children and to safeguard the children attending it will not be live streamed, the other Masses will be live streamed.

Please book early to attend Mass, stating which Mass you wish to attend and how many seats you wish to reserve. Please book via

stmichaelsbooking@outlook.com

BOOKING FOR SUNDAY MASS: please book via stmichaelsbooking@outlook.com before 18.00 on Saturday. Thank you.



FOODBANK DONATION: ordinarily we would have had a collection to support the foodbank last weekend, as that was not possible, I made a donation from our parish of **£100** to continue our support during this very difficult time.

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

