

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

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15<sup>th</sup> August 2021
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
PMB p 180 Psalter: Week 4

SATURDAY 14<sup>th</sup> August: Vigil Masses

Parish Church, Papworth Everard, CB23 3QN 17.00 Mass Eugene O'Sullivan +

St Michael's, Huntingdon

19.00 Mass Bridget Shockledge +

SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> August

(LS) 09.00 Mass For the people of the Parish

(LS) 11.00 Mass David Zawalski +

15.30 Mass in Polish

20th Week in Ordinary Time

MONDAY 16<sup>th</sup> August: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Annamma Chacko +

TUESDAY 17<sup>th</sup> August: Feria

No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 18<sup>th</sup> August: Feria

(LS) 11.30 Funeral Mass: Ted Sweeney +

THURSDAY 19th August: Feria

(LS) 11.00 Funeral Mass: Vincent Kelly +

FRIDAY 20<sup>th</sup> August:

St Bernard

(LS) 09.30 Mass Bernard Cotterill +

(LS) 10.15 Midweek meditation

SATURDAY 21st August:

St Pius X

(LS) 09.30 Mass Joseph Chacko

10.00 Confessions

17.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. Papworth

19.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. St Michael's

**BOOKING FOR SUNDAY MASS:** although national restrictions are relaxed, we will continue to book for Mass & wear masks: please book via **stmichaelsbooking@outlook.com** before 18.00 on Saturday. Please use this email address for booking for Mass only. Thank you.

**PARKING:** please park in Riverside car park, across the road, not in the streets behind the church.

## Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: George Aldridge, Ellen Brown, Peggy Gaston, Bridget Gaynor, Lisa Leader, Patrick Moore, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington, Rosa Ruggiero, Fr Ivan Weston & Nina Wiktorowicz. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur at this me: Margaret Sweek, Olga Da Silva, Patrick Reid, David Zawalski, James Maile and Patricia Buxton. May they rest in peace.

**NOREEN BENNETT** who died this week, may she rest in peace; may the Lord give comfort and consolation to her husband at this time.

**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 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 where they are. Thank you.

**AFTERNOON TEA**: it is a very long time since we were able to have any kind of social event, I would like to invite you to Afternoon Tea and sale in the garden today, **Sunday 15**<sup>th</sup> **August**, at 17.00. We trust Our Lady to give us a fine day, should it be raining, we will have to cancel at short notice, no doubt you will make your own decision. There are no tickets for sale, but you can make a donation on the day.

It will be a cream tea, scones, butter jam and cream, I will provide the butter, jam, cream and tea, please bring your own scones, (and take leftovers away) then I am not left with a mountain of scones! Anyone who could help on the day, please let me know; we could also do with some young volunteers to be waiters at the tables.

**ICON OF ST JOSEPH:** this year Pope Francis has asked the whole Church to celebrate a Year of St Joseph. Our Diocese is marking this by a pilgrimage of the Icon of St Joseph to each parish, the icon will be in our parish for the week beginning **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> August.** We will welcome the icon at Masses that weekend; we will have rosary and devotions next Sunday at 18.00. If any of our different language groups wish to have a time of prayer in your own language, praying for your families before the icon, you are welcome to do so, please contact Fr Philip to make necessary arrangements.

You can find a report of the message of Pope Francis on our website on this link: Pope Francis proclaims "Year of St Joseph" - St. Michael the Archangel Parish Church (stmichaelrc.org)

<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u> are invited to return to their ministry at the altar, it would be lovely to have you serving again. If you are not planning to continue serving and have an alb at home, please could you return it for someone else to use. Thank you.

## **Last Sunday's Collections:**

Papworth Everard: £55.00
Huntingdon: £114.41
Standing Orders £397.00
Total £566.41

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

**<u>SUNDAY COLLECTION</u>** goes in the orange buckets near both of the doors of the church.

<u>CLEANERS THIS WEEK:</u> Janice Moxham and Christina Wolff by **Saturday 21st August**. Thank you.

JOURNEY IN FAITH: a programme to help to deepen our faith by looking at the Creed and the Sacraments will begin on Friday 1st October at 19.00 in the Good Shepherd Room. This programme will be ideal for people who are thinking about becoming a Catholic or seeking adult baptism or adult confirmation but is also open to any who wish to learn a little more about their Catholic faith. If you have been thinking of becoming a Catholic for a while, maybe this is the time to do something about it, put the date in your diary and come along.

OUR PLANS FOR DEVELOPMENT: we have still not had any response from the Planning Office at our District Council Offices. We were due a response in January, and it is now the end of August. I am sorry there is nothing to report, except that the cost of building has gone up dramatically over that time!

WORKING INTERESTED IN CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE? Have you recently left school or university? Deciding what to do next as 'A' Level or college results come out? Inbetween jobs? Or would like to do something different? The Diocesan Youth Service is looking for people aged 18-35 to join the Ignite Team, sharing the Gospel message with young people. These are full-time positions initially for either 12 months (September 2021 or September 2022 intake) or 6 months (January 2022 or January 2023 intake), with training, food, accommodation and a monthly allowance provided. For more information see www.rcdea.org.uk/youth.

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



God, eternal shepherd,
who govern your flock with unfailing care
grant in your boundless fatherly love,
a pastor for your Church
who will please you by his holiness,
and to us show watchful care.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives & reigns with you in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, God, for ever & ever. Amen
Our Lady of Walsingham, pray for us
St Felix, pray for us
All holy martyrs & saints of East Anglia
pray for us.