



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

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Psalter: Week 4

SATURDAY 26th March No Vigil Masses

SUNDAY 27th March

No 9.00 Mass today

(Live Stream only)

11.00 Mass For the people of the parish

15.30 Mass in Polish

MONDAY 28th March: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Mervyn Swann +

TUESDAY 29th March: Feria

No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 30th March: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Perfecto La Rosa +

18.30 *Stations of the Cross*

THURSDAY 31st March: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Gerardo Castillo +

(LS) 10.00 *Midweek meditation*

FRIDAY 1st April: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass

SATURDAY 2nd April: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass John & Margaret Reilly +

10.00 *Confessions*

17.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. Papworth

19.00 Mass: Vigil Mass. St Michael's

FR PHILIP tested positive for covid last Wednesday morning and has symptoms, so he is self-isolating, resting and trying to get better. In the meantime, the church is closed, Masses are **ONLY** available online. Stations of the Cross is the only exception, the church will be open, and you are welcome to come and do the stations on your own at 18.30 on Wednesday. Hopefully I will be better by next weekend; please keep an eye on the website or Facebook page and let others know. Thank you for your prayers and help.

WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING: will be on hold this week as there will be only live streaming at that time.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Rita Anand, Ellen Brown, Bridget Gaynor, 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 time: Patrick Reilly, Christopher Browne, Hannah Lee, Maisie Baker, Mervyn Swann, Mary Sullivan, Edward Murphy, Margaret Hladkiwskij, Daisy Indiana, William Doherty and Bridget Gipters. May they rest in peace.

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 where they are. Thank you.

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

PLEASE CONTINUE TO WEAR MASKS IN CHURCH

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022: there is a class on **Sunday 27th March** at 10.00. Fr Philip is not involved in the classes, so they go ahead.

LENT COLLECTION is open for four weeks, it is the blue bowl on top of the font, please make your donation any time in the next few weeks. The collection this year is for Aid to the Church in Need working in Syria & Lebanon, <https://acnuk.org/>; and for St Francis Leprosy Guild, <https://www.stfrancisleprosy.org/>

SEASON OF LENT: continues towards Easter, although we do not have some of the events this week. There will be Stations of the Cross, please come and do them yourself on Wednesday, also there will be live stream adoration on Thursday.

FIRST FRIDAY PRAYERS: as I am not certain the church will be open by Friday, I suggest we postpone the rosary & prayers to next week, by which time I hope to be fully recovered and testing negative again.

Last Sunday Collection:

Papworth Everard:	£60.00
Huntingdon:	£184.66
Standing Orders	£425.50
Total	£670.16

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the Polish Community on Saturday 2nd April. Thank you very much.

PRAYER FOR UKRAINE: There will be a time of prayer for Ukraine in St Mary's Church, Godmanchester from 17.00 – 19.00 on **Thursday 31st March**. All are of course welcome.

CHRISM MASS: this Mass with the blessing of Holy Oils will be on **Tuesday 12th April** at 12.00 at St John's Cathedral in Norwich. There is a coach departing from the Cambourne church centre at 09.30, if you wish to go on it, please sign the list on the board in the GS Room. This is always a wonderful celebration.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS: our next monthly collection for the foodbank is **Sunday 3rd April**. There is a box near each door, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donation.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: after cancellation for the last two years the pilgrimage is now possible again. The dates are 19th – 26th August, if you wish to go please contact deacon John Morrill, john.morrill@rcdea.org.uk or check the pilgrimage website: [Catholic Association - Lourdes - Tangney Tours \(tangney-tours.com\)](http://Catholic Association - Lourdes - Tangney Tours (tangney-tours.com))

CAFOD: *Thank you so much for your support of CAFOD's Lent Family Fast Day, the Walk Against Hunger and the Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal. Your support means we can respond in crises such as Ukraine where our Caritas aid workers and volunteers could quickly help families fleeing conflict. It also means we're there in the long-term and can continue to respond to crises around the world, including in Afghanistan, Syria, Ethiopia, and South Sudan. We work alongside communities as they rebuild their lives once the conflict is over, as in Sierra Leone. For lots more detail on how your donations are being used, please go to the CAFOD website cafod.org.uk*

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



Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them
and protect them.

We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to
guide their choices.

We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world. Amen.