



Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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16th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

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Psalter: Week 4

SATURDAY	16th July	Vigil Mass
	18.00 Mass	Bishop Alan Hopes
SUNDAY	17th July	
(LS)	09.00 Mass	Camillo Gentile +
(LS)	11.00 Mass	For the people of the parish
	15.30 Mass	in Polish
MONDAY	18th July: Feria	
(LS)	09.30 Mass	Maureen Pritchard +
TUESDAY	19th July: Feria	
	No Mass today	
WEDNESDAY	20th July: Feria	
(LS)	09.30 Mass	Kevin Eastell +
THURSDAY	21st July: Feria	
	09.30 Mass	+
(LS)	10.00	<i>Midweek meditation</i>
FRIDAY	22nd July:	
	St Mary Magdalene	
(LS)	09.30 Mass	Ian Polhill +
SATURDAY	23rd July:	
	St Bridget	
(LS)	09.30 Mass	Philip Willenbrock +
	10.00	<i>Confessions</i>
	Vigil Mass. St Michael's	
	18.00 Mass:	

PARKING: please park in Riverside car park, across the road, not in the streets behind the church. This also applies if you come to evening events in the Church.

Last Sunday Collection:

Huntingdon: £301.44

Standing Orders £425.50

Total £726.94

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

Retiring collection for Stella Maris was £207.65.

Thank your generosity.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Rita Anand, Ellen Brown, Bridget Gaynor, Patrick Moore, Anne McGovern, Dave Murray, 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: Julie Dooley, Gerard Lyons, Florence Clarke, Ruth Brooks, Alexander Faupel, Peggy Jones and Patrick Ivory. 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 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.

PARISH COLLECTION: the parish collection remains the orange buckets near the door for your offering and the card machine in the GS Room. If you give regularly to our parish, please think of a Standing Order and Gift Aid, it is very easy for you and a great benefit for our parish.

HAMA: Huntingdon Area Money Advice, a local support agency run by Christian people living in the area for those needing money advice. Next Sunday we welcome a speaker to our Masses to tell us more about their work to ask for volunteer helpers for this service, there are many different roles, advisers to meet with clients, budgeting support helping clients to stay in control of their finances and a range of administrative tasks. There will also be a chance to make donations to support this work if you wish. This service is a good support during these difficult times.



PARISH BBQ is on **Sunday 24th July at 17.30**, I hope you will come along & enjoy a party in the garden, good food & the chance to sit & chat. Tickets are on sale, **adults £8** and **under 14s £4.00**. This is a fundraising event as we continue planning for our building project. **Please remember to bring your own drinks.** All the food is included on your ticket.

We will need some help for this event, before the day to help with shopping, and on the day to prepare the food and garden and to clear up. If you can offer help, please stay for a short meeting after Mass today.

CATHOLIC LISTENING & PRAYER MINISTRY: Whatever you are going through right now it can help to talk; it can ease the burden and help you to see the way through. To make an initial appointment, please leave a message at **01603 957653** calls are confidential and someone will get back to you within 48 hours. Please be aware this is **NOT** a crisis line. Details & cards are near the doors.

TRANSFORM FESTIVAL: a weekend of Faith and Friendship for 16 – 30year olds at Clare Priory in Suffolk, **9th – 11th September**. This is organised by the Diocesan Youth Service, powerful talks, passionate prayer and live music: for details see posters and **www.transformfestival.uk**

MANY THANKS a very generous donation of £100 received this week for our building work. These donations are very much appreciated, thank you.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the Syro-Malabar community by **Saturday 23rd July**. Thanks.

CREAM TEA: will on **Sunday 14th August at 17.00**, a cup of tea, scones, butter, jam, and cream. Again, I hope you will plan to come and help us raise some money for our building.

WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING: will be as usual this week after Mass on Wednesday morning.

WORLD YOUTH DAY, LISBON 2023 To guarantee a place, bookings must be received by **31st July 2022**. After this, bookings will only be accepted on a first come first served basis, subject to accommodation availability. For more information see posters on boards and to book a place, go to: **www.rcdea.org.uk/youth**

ACCOMMODATION: can anyone help with accommodation for a lady who needs a room to rent for a while. If you could help, please contact Fr Philip by email and he will link you together.

ANNUAL PARISH REPORT for 2021 is available today, it gives the full financial report and a quick look back at 2021. Please take a copy from the Church or view it on our parish website.

Wearing of masks in Church is now discretionary.

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 & 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 & justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.