



# Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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**23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022**

**30<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C**

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Psalter: Week 2

**SATURDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> October Vigil Mass**  
18.00 Mass Rita Swann

**SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> October**  
(LS) 09.00 Mass Neilie Whitehill +  
(LS) 11.00 Mass For the people of our parish  
15.30 Mass in Polish

**MONDAY 24<sup>th</sup> October: Feria**  
(LS) 09.30 Mass Private Intention (J)

**TUESDAY 25<sup>th</sup> October: Feria**  
No Mass today

**WEDNESDAY 26<sup>th</sup> October: Feria**  
(LS) 09.30 Mass

**THURSDAY 27<sup>th</sup> October: Feria**  
(LS) 09.30 Mass Private Intention (J)  
(LS) 10.15 *Midweek meditation*

**FRIDAY 28<sup>th</sup> October:**  
**St Simon and St Jude**  
(LS) 09.30 Mass  
18.30 Syro-Malabar Mass

**SATURDAY 29<sup>th</sup> October: Feria**  
(LS) 09.30 Mass Michael Bloomfield +

**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.

**PARISH COLLECTION:** the parish collection is the orange buckets near the door & the card machine in the GS Room. If you give regularly to our parish, please think of a Standing Order and Gift Aid.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** is kept this week, we pray for the mission of the Church to spread the gospel of Christ where it has not been heard.

If you have a red box at home, now is the time to count it & bring the money, with your name & address. If you cannot open it, just bring it to be counted.

## Your prayers are asked for:

**Our parishioners who are sick:** Rita Anand, Ellen Brown, Terry Finbow, 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:** Adam Sieradski, Anna Willment, Terence O'Neill, Shelagh Burgess and Michael Bloomfield. May they rest in peace.

**CANON PETER COLLINS** who has been appointed by Pope Francis to be our next bishop, we welcome him to our Diocese as our Bishop, and we pray for him as he prepares to begin his ministry among us.

**National Cycle of Prayer:** during ordinary time from September to the feast of Christ the King you are asked to pray for the following intentions: the care of creation; the harvest; students & teachers; the spread of the Gospel, especially on Home Mission Day & world Mission Day; prisoners & their families; all Victims of War & all our young people.

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.

## Last Sunday Collection:

Huntingdon: £290.88  
Standing Orders £425.50  
**Total £716.38**

**Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.**

**Retiring collection for Missio at all Masses.**

**WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING** resumes this week, hope you will drop in for a coffee and a chat.

**NEW BISHOP:** after almost two years of waiting, we finally have a new bishop for our Diocese, he is **Bishop-Elect Peter Collins** from the Archdiocese of Cardiff. You can read more about him on our parish website, go to **APPOINTMENT OF A NEW BISHOP FOR THE DIOCESE OF EAST ANGLIA - St. Michael the Archangel Parish Church (stmichaelrc.org)**. We welcome him to our Diocese, and we pray for him as he prepares to begin his ministry with us.

Bishop Peter will be ordained bishop of the Diocese on **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December** at St John's Cathedral in Norwich. I hope some parishioners will be able to attend, I will let you know further details nearer the time.

Please take a prayer card to prayer for our new bishop, we will use this prayer at the end of Mass. Please continue to pray for the people of Ukraine.

### **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: 23<sup>rd</sup> OCTOBER**



*The theme for World Mission Sunday this year is based on the words spoken by the Risen Jesus to his disciples just before his Ascension into heaven: 'You will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth' (Acts 1:8).*

### **'You shall be my witnesses'**

Pope Francis Message, for the full message go to: **World Mission Sunday: The Holy Father's Message - Missio**

World Mission Sunday is celebrated in every Catholic community in the world. It's a moment of grace to express solidarity with our brothers and sisters in Christ who are living in situations of poverty, violence and oppression. Every parish, school and community is invited to join this special event. And every penny, pound and prayer you give to Missio helps missionaries everywhere continue their work.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023:** our parish preparation programme for First Communion will begin with a meeting for parents on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 19.30**. This meeting is for parents only, please arrange childcare for your children. Children should be in year 3 at school, or above, please bring a baptism certificate for your child, or a photo of it.

**CLEANERS THIS WEEK:** members of the Syro-Malabar community on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October** after your Mass. Thank you.

**LISTENING & PRAYER MINISTRY:** Do you need to talk? To make an initial appointment, leave a message at **01603 957653** someone will call you within 48 hours. This is **NOT** a crisis line. Details & cards are near the doors.

*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.