



The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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Psalter: Week 4

SATURDAY	22nd June: Vigil Mass
18.00 Mass	Margaret Stanley +
SUNDAY	23rd June
(LS) 09.00 Mass	For the people of the parish
(LS) 11.00 Mass	Katarzyna Kersh +
15.30 Mass	in Polish
MONDAY	24th June:
	Birth of St John the Baptist
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Abraham & Eliam +
TUESDAY	25th June: Feria
	No Mass today
WEDNESDAY	26th June:
	Dedication of the Cathedral
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Exposto family
16.30 Mass	at Hinchingsbrooke Hospital
THURSDAY	27th June: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Gabriel & Amelia Ribeiro +
(LS) 10.00	<i>Midweek meditation</i>
FRIDAY	28th June:
	St Irenaeus
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Pacita Balbona +
SATURDAY	29th June: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Marie Haran +
10.00 – 10.30	<i>Confessions</i>
	Vigil Mass. St Michael's 18.00

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.

SUNDAY COLLECTION: in the orange buckets near the doors & the card reader in the GS Room.

MANY THANKS to Diane Kenedy, friend of mine who has painted the lovely picture behind the statue of Mary in the garden. Her artwork adds a lot to the rather dull wall in that corner and brings some colour and brightness to our prayer.

COFFEE MORNING on Wednesday, as usual.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Martin Ahern, Rita Anand, Peter Ashcroft, Purgi Bloomfield, Pauline Brown, Eileen Dolan, Bridget Gaynor, Molly Hazell, Patrick Moore, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington, Rosa Ruggiero, Wendy Shilleto, Rita Swann, Fr Ivan Weston & Nina Wiktorowicz. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur this week: Valentine Jordan, Dorothy Older, Andrew Natkariski, Lovinia Smith, Michael Bohajczuk, Carol Sheehy and Veronica Burns. May they rest in peace.

TANATSWA MBUDAYA, KATIE PALMER, LENA & OLIEWER PAWLUS & MIRA ROSE PRAVEEN who make their First Communion this weekend; we pray for them and their families, may this Sacrament deepen their faith & increase their love of Jesus.

KIERAN TOMAS COTTER & JACOB NATHAN TAGALOGON who were baptised recently; with the help of parents and godparents may they grow in faith.

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 you if you do not tell us where they are. Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: we have a few summer events coming soon, please add them to your calendar: Parish BBQ, **Sunday 28th July** at 12.30: Cream Tea, **Sunday 18th August** at 17.00.

COFFEE after 09.00 this morning in the GS Room.

CONFESSIONS OF A BUTTERFLY described by St John Paul II as a “a symbol of true religion and true morality for the world today”, Janusz Korczak is a national hero in Poland & has a huge following around the world, though little known in the UK. A prolific writer, he was first person to understand that children have rights equal to those of adults: he ran two orphanages in Warsaw, one for Catholics & one for Jews. In World War II he was forced into the Warsaw Ghetto with 200 children before being murdered with them in Treblinka in 1942.

Jonathan Salt wrote the play, *Confessions of a Butterfly*, and is performing it this August in Edinburgh at the Fringe. He is currently in rehearsals and is putting on a rehearsed script-reading in the GS Room on **Friday 28th June** at 19.30 with a Q & A afterwards. Tickets are limited and cost £5.

CALLED TO SERVE a men’s day retreat on **Saturday 6th July** 09.30 – 15.00, full timetable on the boards, at the Catholic National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. Join Fr Sean Connolly and a group of Catholic men from the Diocese of East Anglia as we discuss and reflect on our mission of service to our family, our parish and wider community. Includes confession, Mass, Holy Mile and Rosary as well as talks and discussion. Please bring your own packed lunch. Tea, coffee, refreshments included. Cost for the day is £12.50. Booking on EventBrite, or email Marriage & Family Coordinator on mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk or [Booking Link Here](#) Full details are on the poster on both boards.

Last Sunday Collection

Huntingdon:	£264.24
Standing Orders	£425.50
Card Reader	£95.00
Total	£784.74

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

This weekend there will be a retiring collection for Peter’s Pence.

SVP PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM: a coach will leave from the Sacred Heart Church, St Ives at on **Sunday 7th July at 09.30** for the pilgrimage. Lunch and tea will be provided by the St Ives Conference. There is **NO CHARGE** for the coach. There will be Mass and Benediction during the day, the Sacrament of the Sick will be Administered to those who are frail or sick. Return to St Ives at 18.30 approx. Contacts; Elizabeth Barker 01480 383608 ebarker857@gmail.com or Ian Wallace 07723 594383 reside123@hotmail.com **Not later than 17th June.** A family member or friend may come to assist you if needed.

PETER’S PENCE: today we take our annual retiring collection to support the missionary work of Pope Francis. This work supports many poor Dioceses around the world and gives them grants to continue their work of spreading the gospel.

THE WALK OF KINDNESS is a pilgrimage and fundraising project created by homelessness charity, Emmaus Norfolk & Waveney. Companions (residents) living at Emmaus have all experienced homelessness; this summer 4 companions, are walking 450 miles from Wales to South Norfolk to help other people have a safe home at Emmaus. They will be raising money to open a social enterprise B&B on the former All Hallows site in Ditchingham. Support the Walk of Kindness by sponsoring a mile or doing a fundraising challenge. For more details see <https://emmaus.org.uk/norfolk-waveney/wok/>

This is an excellent charity doing wonderful work with homeless people, they have a branch in Cambridge with a very good charity shop on the A10, I have furnished two presbyteries from them, please support them if you can.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: Marie Cowie, Irene Muttock, Clare Elias & Mary Newman by **Saturday 29th June.** Thanks

LISTENING & PRAYER MINISTRY:
<http://rcdea.org.uk/listening-and-prayer/>

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

