

The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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20th April 2025 Easter Sunday, Year C

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SATURDAY 19th April: Vigil Mass (LS) 21.00 Mass For the people of our parish

SUNDAY 20th April: Easter Sunday

(LS) 09.00 Mass

(LS) 11.00 Mass Pacita Balbona + 15.30 Mass in Polish

MONDAY 21st April: Easter Octave

(LS) 11.00 Mass Fr Colin OP

TUESDAY 22nd April: Easter Octave

No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 23rd April: Easter Octave

(LS) 09.30 Mass Sheeja Xavier +

16.30 Mass at Hinchingbrooke Hospital

THURSDAY 24th April: Easter Octave

(LS) 09.30 Mass Patricia Bedford

FRIDAY 25th April: Easter Octave

(LS) 09.30 Mass Thomas Breen +

SATURDAY 26th April:

(LS) 09.30 Mass Joseph O'Reilly +

Vigil Mass at St Michael's 18.00

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

EASTER COLLECTION: is given in the orange buckets near the doors & the card reader in the GS Room & QR code: the collection is the offering to your priest.

<u>LENT COLLECTION</u> our collection this year for Aid to the Church in Need, https://acnuk.org/ and Humanitarian Aid for Ukraine, Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal came to a grand total of £1217.51 including £555.00 from the card reader and £140.00 from the Monday soups lunches.

Thank you for your very generous support of these two charities.

FRIDAY ABSTINENCE from meat is dispensed this week because of the Easter Octave.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Martin Ahern, Rita Anand, Peter Ashcroft, Francesca Bastow, Purgi Bloomfield, Pauline Brown, Eileen Dolan, Bridget Gaynor, Romualda Grabiene, Molly Hazell, Patrick Moore, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington, Rita Swann, Yoli Wells, Fr Ivan Weston, Ann Wilson. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur this week: Mary Kimber, Phyllis Wareham, Alan Taylor, Patrick Savage, Janice Brown, Jan Wiktorowicz, Gerald McGovern, Bishop Charles Grant, Mary Hehir, Fr George Grace, Alfred Coleman and Philip Devlin. May they rest in peace.

MARLON WOLFF who was baptised and received Confirmation & Holy Communion at the Easter Vigil, welcome to the Church and may you continue to grow in faith.

MILAN MALDONADO-PERA who was baptised this week, with the help of family & godparents may he grow in faith.

NEE BARNOR, AMANDA GILBERT & HANNAH POLEHONSKI who were received into Full Communion with the Catholic Church and received Confirmation and Holy Communion at the Easter Vigil; welcome to the Catholic Church, may you continue to grow in faith.

Nation Cycle of Prayer: during the season of Easter please pray for the following intentions: new members of the Church, vocations to priesthood & religious life, human work, right use of the media and the Church.

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. <u>VERY MANY THANKS</u> for your generous help and support through Lent and Holy Week. Thanks to those who have spent much time decorating the church with beautiful flowers to mark the Resurrection of the Lord. Thanks to our servers and musicians for their service, not just this week, but throughout the year; thanks to our church cleaners for keeping the church looking so tidy. Thanks to those who minister in any way, readers, Eucharistic ministers, church counters and those who care for the garden. Thanks for all your service to make our parish a welcoming community. God bless you all.

Fr Philip



PILGRIMAGE TO
WALSINGHAM is on
Monday 5th May, this is
a pilgrimage to one of
the designated sites for
the Holy Year
Pilgrimage, a wonderful
opportunity to share in
the Jubilee of Hope.
There will be a coach
leaving St Michael's at

8.00 to get us to Walsingham in time for the start of the rosary walk. Mass will be at **12.00**, followed by picnic lunch, then Service of Reconciliation and Confessions at 14.00 and ending with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction at 15.00. Please sign the list if you wish to join the coach; the coach will be free, but donations are welcome. Posters on the boards, sign in the GS Room.

MINISTERS & READERS: please note the rotas are being prepared now, if you wish to make any changes to your service, please let me know.

ST GEORGE'S DAY SUPPER we will celebrate St George's Day, our national feast day on Saturday 26th April with a supper in the GS Room, an English supper of shepherd's pie followed by apple pie & custard. I hope many of you will come to enjoy a lovely evening. If you can help with the food, please let me know. Tickets are on sale today. The feastday will be celebrated on Monday 28th April, not during the Easter Octave. Tickets on sale today.

QR CODE: to make it easier for you at the card reader, there is a QR code in various places around the church to help you to make your donations, just scan and make your donation. It is also on the newsletter. Thanks

<u>CLEANERS THIS WEEK:</u> members of the Syro-Malabar community by **Saturday 26**th **April.** Thanks

IGNITE FESTIVAL - HELP NEEDED We already have over 300 young coming to the Ignite Festival (held in Bury St. Edmunds) and bookings are still open! As numbers are higher than we were expecting, we are appealing for people to help with night stewarding, through the night (or some of it) on 3rd and 4th May. You need to have a DBS done by the Diocese of East Anglia or a Catholic School in East Anglia. Please email Hamish on dys@rcdea.org.uk if you are interested in serving our young people in this way. Many thanks.

Last Sunday Collection

Huntingdon: £317.76
Standing Orders £425.50
Dona £280.00
Total £1,023.26

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

<u>COFFEE MORNING</u> after Mass on Wednesday as usual this week, do stop for a chat.

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

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



Нарру Easter

