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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Psalter: week 3

SATURDAY 12th July: Vigil Mass
18.00 Mass For the people of our parish

SUNDAY 13th July:
(LS) 09.00 Mass Private Intention
(LS) 11.00 Mass Joao Da Silva +
15.30 Mass in Polish

MONDAY 14th July: Feria
No Mass today

TUESDAY 15th July:
St Bonaventure
No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 16th July: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass Martinho Sarmento

THURSDAY 17th July: Feria
No Mass today

FRIDAY 18th July:
(LS) 09.30 Mass Pasquali di Fabrizio +
(LS) 10.00 Midweek meditation

SATURDAY 19th July: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass Leao & Mario Saldanha +
10.00 Confessions

Vigil Mass at 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.

QR CODE: to help you to make your donations, just scan and make your donation. Thanks.

STELLA MARIS the largest chaplaincy in the world for those working at sea, present in 353 ports offering practical pastoral & spiritual support of seafarers, fishers and families. Some of you have family working at sea. We support them today in the retiring collection and our prayers.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: 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: Oliver McDonald, Joan Ramsay, Elza Berga, Bishop Alan Clark, Lesley Carter, Julie Dooley, Gerard Lyons, Marcelle Gregoire, Grzegorz Wiacek, Florence Clarke and Ruth Brooks. May they rest in peace.

CHARLOTTE MARIA & ORLAGH CHRISTINA DERRY who were baptised last weekend; with the help of parents and godparents may they grow in faith.

Nation 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.

PARKING & CONGESTION: I have had angry complaints from one neighbour about parking and congestion in South Street, behind the church. **PLEASE** park in the car park across the road, do not try to park in the nearby streets, they are narrow and easily congested, and mostly full at weekends.

COFFEE MORNING as usual on Wednesday this week after Mass, Fr Jim will be pleased to see you.

GOLDEN JUBILEE: thank you very much for the wonderful celebration last weekend of my Golden Jubilee. It was very uplifting to see the whole worshipping community of St Michael's church involved in one event, members of Polish & Syro-Malabar communities joining the whole community. The food was wonderful & in great abundance, thank you to all those who were involved in organising the whole event, well done and very many thanks to the whole team. The gifts were much appreciated and the collection was truly amazing, thank you all very much for making it such a memorable occasion.

HAMISH MACQUEEN LIVE IN CONCERT – **Saturday 19th July** at The Narthex, St. John the Baptist Cathedral, Norwich. Hamish, Director of Youth Service, is doing a special gig, sharing about his life & faith through songs he has written over the past 30 years. Profits will go towards helping young people go on pilgrimage & training young leaders. See www.hamishmacqueen.live for more information. Tickets are expected to sell out fast. See also posters on the boards.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the African community by **Saturday 19th July**. Thanks.

CALLED TO MISSION why not join the Ignite Team working with the young people of our Diocese. Do this for your "Gap year" from school or university, proclaim the Gospel, nurture the faith of young people; accommodation, food and allowance provided. See the posters.

Last Sunday Collection

Huntingdon:	£359.46
Standing Orders	£425.50
Dona	£267.00
Total	£1,051.96



Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

This weekend retiring collection for Stella Maris.

LEFT TO THEIR OWN DEVICES an evening event to help parents raising tech-savvy kids and keeping them safe. The event is in Cambridge on 11th November, long way off, but very popular, if you wish to go please check www.cff.org.uk/owndevices I have access to free tickets, please ask for them.

EVERY LIFE MATTERS following votes in Parliament recently about assisted suicide and late abortions, you may wish to learn more about the work of SPUC, a Catholic pro-life charity. There are cards near the doors to fill in and leave here if you wish to have their newsletter sent to you. Be sure to join the fight back and sign up today.

CHURCH FRONT GARDEN is in need of some attention during the summer months when everything is growing quickly and becoming overgrown and untidy. We have a few people who take on small parts of the garden and the grass cutting, but there are some areas which are clearly in need of love and care. If you could offer some time to take on looking after one small area that would be much appreciated by our whole community. Please have a word with Fr Philip.

LISTENING & PRAYER MINISTRY:

<http://rcdea.org.uk/listening-and-prayer/>

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

Prayer of the Jubilee Year of Hope

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed *hope* for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

