

The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SATURDAY		6th September: Vigil Mass
	18.00 Mass	For the people of our parish

SUNDAY (LS) 09.00 Mass Thanksgiving (S) (LS) 11.00 Mass Nikola Novakovic + 15.30 Mass in Polish 18.00 Syro-Malabar Mass

MONDAY 8th September: Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

(LS) 09.30 Mass Galang family

TUESDAY 9th September: Feria
No Mass today

WEDNESDAY 10th September: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Rosily George

THURSDAY 11th September: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Sahji & Mini, Wedding Anniv

(LS) 10.00 Midweek meditation(LS) 19.00 Confirmation Mass

FRIDAY 12th September: Feria

(LS) 09.30 Mass Sarah Ward

SATURDAY 13th September:

St John Chrysostom

(LS) 09.30 Mass Marlon Wolff 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.

<u>COFFEE MORNING</u> as usual on Wednesday this week after Mass.

<u>CLEANERS THIS WEEK:</u> members of the Filipino community by **Saturday 13th September.** Thanks.

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: Peter O'Sullivan, Iris Bevan, Klare Tighe, Mary O'Brien, Gerald Hutchinson, Beryl Stocking, Frederick Ingram and Stefano Cacchioli. May they rest in peace.

JOHN HUMPHREYS & FRANCIS WOODS who died recently, may they rest in peace; may the Lord comfort & console their families & friends.

Nation Cycle of Prayer: during Ordinary Time from September to Christ the King please 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 you if you do not tell us where they are. Thank you.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: we welcome Bishop Peter for the Confirmation Mass on **Thursday 11th September at 19.00**. You are welcome to attend and join our young people to support and pray for them as they take this important step in their faith life. After Mass there will be some light refreshments in the GS Room and garden and a chance to meet Bishop Peter.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS: our next collection for the foodbank is **Sunday**, 7th **September**. There will be a box near each door, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donation.

PARISH FEAST DAY this year falls on a Monday, we will celebrate our feast day on **Sunday 28**th **September**, please put the date in your diary. We will have an international shared lunch and with a barbecue available for you to bring meat to cook or you will be able to buy some cooked meat from the bbq. Lunch will begin at 12.30 in the GS & garden.

<u>NATION FLAGS</u>: we shall use our nations flags at Mass for a feastday on Sunday 28th September. There is a list of the flags we have, if you have arrived in our parish recently and have not met anyone from your country, please check the list on the board in the GS room and your country so we can buy your flag.

Recent Sunday Collections				
Sunday 24 th August				
Huntingdon:	£259.55			
Standing Orders	£520.00			
Dona	£182.50			
Total	£962.50		•	
Sunday 31st August				
Huntingdon	£160.61			
Standing Orders	£520.00			
Dona	£182.50			
Total	£863.11			

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

<u>VERY MANY THANKS</u> to all who were involved in the concert last month; to all the wonderful musicians who are part of the community who worship here in St Michael's who entertained us so well and to all who brought the vision of the concert to reality, well done.

The total amount of money raised for our parish was £735.00, so very well done to all who attended, that is an amazing amount for our parish.

<u>MANY THANKS</u> to those who saw that the garden needed tidying up and the church brass needed cleaning, and who got on with it, without being asked, would that more of you did the same. Many thanks.

NEW EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS our community needs some new people to serve as Eucharistic Ministers at our Sunday Masses and some who would be able to take Holy Communion to people in their own homes. If you would be willing to do this, please send in your name by email to the parish office. Many of you work shifts, which means that sometimes you have time during the day when you could visit one or two of our housebound people. If you take on this ministry for others, you will need to attend two training sessions before being commissioned to serve as a Minister. Dates for training will be many and varied to accommodate you all around your work commitments.

STANDING ORDER REVIEW: standing orders are the best way in which to support St Michael's Church, if it is possible for you to do this. That is a monthly/weekly payment made direct from your bank to the parish bank on a date of your choice. This means you know how much you are giving, according to your circumstances, and the parish has a regular income. If you pay UK income tax, you can then make your gift worth 20% more by signing a Gift Aid form, enabling us to reclaim the tax already paid by you on your gift, this is a great help to us as it increases your donation without costing you anything. If you do not currently Gift Aid, but do pay UK tax, please ask for a form, it can be completed at church very easily.

After checking the amount being donated in Standing Orders, the weekly amount has now risen to £520.00 per week. Many thanks to all who support us through this means of donating.

<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.

Prayer of the Jubilee Year of Hope

