



The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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Second Sunday of Christmas Year A

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SATURDAY	3rd January: Vigil Mass
18.00 Mass	Holy Souls
SUNDAY	4th January:
08.30 Mass	For the people of our parish
(LS) 09.45 Mass	Deceased Dos Santos family.
(LS) 11.15 Mass	Arnaldo Da Silva +
15.30 Mass	in Polish
18.00	Syro-Malabar Mass
MONDAY	5th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Thanksgiving (M)
TUESDAY	6th January:
	Epiphany of the Lord
(LS) 10.00 Mass	For the people of the parish
20.00 Mass	Private Intention
WEDNESDAY	7th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Helen Healy
16.30	Mass at Hinchingsbrooke Hospital
THURSDAY	8th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Holy Souls (R)
FRIDAY	9th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	All patients & carers
SATURDAY	10th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Private Intention
10.00	Confessions

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 PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: our pilgrimage to Lourdes is **Wednesday 10th June – Saturday 13th June:** booking closes on **5th January.** The cost will be around £330 - £350 pp, sharing rooms: single supplement £30 per night. Please email to the office with your name as it appears in your passport, give your mobile number for booking.

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD is a holy day of obligation, a day we try to get to Mass to complete our Christmas celebration.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Rita Anand, Ray Arthurs, Jane Barker, Francesca Bastow, Purgi Bloomfield, Eileen Dolan, Bridget Gaynor, Helene Harrison, Molly Hazell, Anthony Hunt, 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: David Millard, Elsie Lee, Joseph Leatherbarrow, Eileen Day, Simone Morell, Camillo Gentile, Mary McDonnell, Jacob Jablonski, Frank Scott, Mary Pett, Kellie Shortt, Andrew Waldron, Gillian Pugh, Agnes Manderson, John Kiely, Lena Partridge, Derek Mulcahy, Josef Jtouski and Joan Finan. May they rest in peace.

DAVID BURNS who died this week, may he rest in peace and may the Lord comfort his wife and family at this time.

Nation Cycle of Prayer: during Advent and Christmastide we are asked to pray for the following intentions: Migrants & Refugees and Expectant Mothers.

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.

*Thank
you!*

A big thank you for the Christmas Day & retirement collection which came to £1916.94 on the day and through Dona £787.00, total **£2,703.94.** Thank you so much for a very generous offering and for your wonderful support of me as your priest. Thank you.



FOOD BANK DONATIONS: our next collection for the foodbank is **Sunday, 4th January**. There will be a box near each door, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donation.

COFFEE MORNING coffee morning after Mass on Wednesday as usual, all are welcome.

Last Sunday Collection		
Huntingdon:	£250.96	
Standing Orders	£520.00	
Dona	£174.00	
Total	£944.96	
Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.		

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

CHRISTMAS SALE & RAFFLE please collect your prizes today from the kitchen in the GS Room, the following prizes still to be collected. Thank you. Third Prize: number 646. And then: 4th Gerry Velasquez; 5th number 784; 7th Elo; 10th Jinu; 11th Brey; 14th Jovvy; 15th Shirley.

MARK THE DATE: those of you who attended the Burns Night Supper earlier this year will remember what a splendid evening it was. We will have a Burns Night Supper on **Friday 23rd January at 19.00** in the GS Room. Tickets will be on sale in the next couple of weeks, adults £7.50 and children £3.00. Please bring your own drinks.



READERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS new rotas have been sent out this week, please look for them on email, or in your spam mail. If you do not receive one, please see the rota on the notice boards.

DIOCESAN YEARBOOK for 2026 has now arrived and is available at both doors of the Church.

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME continues on **Thursday 8th January at 18.00** in the GS Room, please try to be on time for the class.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: new sets of offertory envelopes will be available next weekend for 2026. If you want a set of envelopes to use through the year, please send an email to the parish office. You can always ask for envelopes any time during the year.

PLEASE GIFT AID YOUR DONATION to our parish to maximise your gift. If you pay tax, we can claim 25% extra on your donation, at no extra cost to you: £1.00 will be £1.25: £5.00 will be £6.25: £10.00 will be £12.50. All you have to do is complete a short form and allow us to track your gift. Forms still available.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the Polish community on **Saturday 3rd January**. Thanks.

GETTING MARRIED IN 2026? If you are getting married in 2026, either here or abroad, please make sure you let Fr Philip or Fr Peter know as soon as possible, there will be preparation and paperwork to do for you wherever you are getting married, please do not leave it to the last minute.

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

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

