



The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

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SATURDAY	17th January: Vigil Mass
18.00 Mass	David Burns
SUNDAY	18th January:
08.30 Mass	For the people of our parish
(LS) 10.00 Mass	Gavn Shockledge +
(LS) 11.30 Mass	Angelinha Xavier +
15.30 Mass	in Polish
MONDAY	19th January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Da Costa & Mendonca family
12.15	<i>Week of Prayer, All Saints, Hartford</i>
TUESDAY	20th January: Feria
No Mass today	
12.15	<i>Week of Prayer, All Saints, Hartford</i>
WEDNESDAY	21st January:
St Agnes	
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Estanislau Soriano +
12.15	<i>Week of Prayer, All Saints, Hartford</i>
16.30 Mass	at Hinchingbrooke Hospital
THURSDAY	22nd January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Jose Da Silva Nunes +
(LS) 10.00	<i>Midweek meditation</i>
12.15	<i>Week of Prayer, All Saints, Hartford</i>
FRIDAY	23rd January: Feria
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Harsha & Jobit
12.15	<i>Week of Prayer, All Saints, Hartford</i>
SATURDAY	24th January:
St Francis de Sales	
(LS) 09.30 Mass	Angelinha Xavier +
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.

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Rita Anand, Ray Biju Antony, 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: Stanislaw Nowak, Elizabeth Hastings, Sylvia Bedford, Gavin Shockledge, Florence Currie, John Brennan, Joseph Kempa, Mary Docherty, Mirelis Vucens, Ernest Bloomfield, John Massicks, Winifred Hinde, Fr Arthur Tomlinson, James Devaney and Patrick Gaynor. May they rest in peace.

ALINA CAPUTA who died recently, may she rest in peace and may the Lord comfort her family at this time.

Nation Cycle of Prayer: during Ordinary Time up to the Season of Lent: please remember these intentions in your prayers: peace on earth; Christian unity; openness to the Word of God; victims of trafficking; the sick and those who care for them and those who are unemployed.

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.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED we welcome Aloma Do Rozario to make the appeal. There will be a collection at all Masses to support this important work. If you'd like become an ACN volunteer, please contact Aloma Do Rozario at: 07908 033878 or Aloma.dorozario@acnuk.org or go to www.acnuk.org. Aloma will also bring some items to sell after all Masses.



BURNS NIGHT
SUPPER is on **Friday 23rd January at 19.00** in the GS Room. Tickets are on sale adults £7.50 and children £3.00. Please bring your own drinks. Come and enjoy a haggis supper and some wonderful Scots culture and the chance to meet other parishioners.

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

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: new sets of offertory envelopes are available 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.

Last Sunday Collection

Huntingdon:	£212.20
Standing Orders	£520.00
Dona	£271.00
Total	£1,003.20



Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the Syro-Malabar community by **Saturday 24th January**. Thanks.

HELPING OUR PARISH COMMUNITY our parish needs some help in two very different areas.

We need a few **Eucharistic Ministers** willing to take holy Communion to some of our housebound parishioners. This is ideal for someone who might be able to visit one or two people after Mass on a Sunday, or for those working shifts who could visit someone on a day you are not at work, it does not matter what day you visit those who are housebound, they are generally at home. Please volunteer to Fr Philip, training & introductions will be given.

A few people for each of the morning Masses to **set up the live streaming & operate** the remote control for the camera during Mass. You would need to be a few minutes early for Mass to switch on; training will be given; it is very simple. Please volunteer to Fr Philip. Thank you

FR PHILIP'S RETIREMENT: Fr Peter Raj will arrive in St Michael's on Monday 16th February, so my final Sunday will be 15th February. There will be a farewell international shared lunch on **Sunday 8th February** at the Commemoration Hall, High Street, Huntingdon at 13.00. I hope you will come and share lunch with me and have the chance to say our farewells.

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.

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME continues on **Thursday 22nd January at 18.00** in the GS Room, please try to be on time for the class.

PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: during the **summer 2026** our Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes marking 50 years of our Diocese. During the **summer 2027** World Youth Day in Seoul. Find out more at our Launch on February 22nd at Newmarket Parish Centre, 14 Exeter Road, Newmarket CB8 8LT. The afternoon starts at 13.00 (please bring a packed lunch) and will end by 15:00 details at www.rcdea.org.uk/youth Details on both boards.

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

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

