



# The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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**Corpus Christi Sunday: Year A**

Psalter: week 2

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<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> June: Vigil Mass</b>
	18.00 Mass
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> June: The Most Holy Body And Blood Of Christ, Solemnity.</b>
	08.30 Mass Thanksgiving: Brigid Gaynor
(LS)	10.00 Mass For conversion
(LS)	11.30 Mass Vicky Peters
	15.30 Mass in Polish
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> June: Feria</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> June: Feria</b>
(LS)	18.15 Mass Beatris D'Silva+
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> June: Feria</b>
	09.30 Mass: Private Intention
	16.30 Mass at Hinchingsbrooke Hospital
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> June: St. Barnabas Ap.</b>
(LS)	09.30 Mass: Thanksgiving: Tony Thomas
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> June: The Most sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity.</b>
	09.30 Mass: Susan Pereira +
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup> June: The Immaculate Heart of the BVM. Mem.</b>
	09.30 Mass: Cletus Lean +
	<b>Vigil Mass at St Michael's 18.00</b>

**We invite all our parishioners for the Spiritual awakening/ spending time with Lord Jesus on the 20th of June from 14.30 to 17.30 at St. Michael's Church. Followed by Mass at 18.00.**

**Food Bank Donations:** Our collection for the food bank is on Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> June. There will be a box near each door, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donations.

**Your prayers are asked for:**

**Our parishioners who are sick:** Jane Barker, Rita Anand, Francesca Bastow, Purgi Bloomfield, Eileen Dolan, Bridget Gaynor, Molly Hazell, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington, Rita Swann, Fr Ivan Weston, Ann Wilson, Yoli Wells. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

**For those whose anniversaries occur this week:** Alec Hawes, Mary Townsend, Cyril Lancaster, Frances Besant, Rose Bowkis, Rosina Cribb, Isabella La Touche, Bridget O'Leary, Margaret Hardy, Daisy Wesley, Kathleen Mann, Frederick Reid, Henrietta Lee, David Clancy, Margaret Feehily, Joseph Lee, John Clark, Shane Thurnherr, Mary Moran. May they rest in peace.

If you are going into hospital, please let Fr Peter 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.

**Pope's Intention for the Month of June.**

For the values of sports

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

**Bishop Peter** has asked each Deanery to have a Corpus Christi Procession this year, it being our Diocese's 50th Anniversary. Our deanery has settled a date for Sunday the 7<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 14:30 leaving from Fisher House, Cambridge and gradually reaching OLEM for the final blessing. Please do take part in the Blessed sacrament Procession.

**CLEANERS THIS WEEK:** Members of the Filipino Community by 13th June. Many thanks.

**Marriage Celebration Mass** on Saturday 13th June 2026 at 11.30am at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist in Norwich. All are welcome!

Those who are celebrating significant anniversaries (one year, five years and every multiple of five years thereafter, until 60 years where we celebrate each year) will receive a certificate from the Bishop.

Refreshments will follow the Mass.

For more details and if you would like to register, please go to:

<https://www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-registration/> or email [mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk](mailto:mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk)

### **Diocesan Jubilee 2026 – EA50**

**Bishop Peter:** I am delighted to share more details regarding our main diocesan celebration of the Jubilee Year, that being the Mass marking the Feast of the Dedication of the Cathedral on the 26th of June at midday.

We look forward to a historic celebration with the Apostolic Nuncio to Great Britain, several of my brother bishops, as well as local dignitaries, having already confirmed their attendance.

Our parish has been allotted only 16 members. Those who wish to attend the celebration, please sign the list placed in the GS hall. The Coach will leave for Norwich at 9.30 am.

**COFFEE MORNING:** coffee morning as usual this week, after Mass on Wednesday; all welcome for a drink and a chat.

### **Magnifica Humanitas:**

Magnifica Humanitas, the first encyclical released by Pope Leo XIV, marks a qualitative leap beyond its predecessors. John Paul II spoke of the media, Benedict XVI of the digital continent, and Francis of the technocratic paradigm and AI at the G7.

Leo XIV integrates AI into the very structure of social teaching, using it as a lens to rethink all its principles — from the common good to social justice.

The real wager is not whether artificial intelligence will ever become human, but whether human intelligence will remain human in the face of the temptation toward absolute performance.

The narrative coup of the encyclical appears in its opening pages, when Leo XIV places two biblical icons at the center of the text: the Tower of Babel and the rebuilding of Jerusalem's walls in the Book of Nehemiah.

#### **Last Sunday Collection**

Huntingdon:	£401.05
Standing Orders	£520.00
Dona	£210.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>£1,131.05</b>

**Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.**

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

*We Celebrate, The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus of Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> June. After the 9.30 Mass, we have 30 mins Adoration before the blessed Sacrament. Abstinence this Friday is dispensed.*