

OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND ST JOHN FISHER PARISH
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Week commencing Sunday, 24th January 2021

THIRD WEEK OF THE YEAR – Year B, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 3
SERVICE & MASS TIMES

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY 2021

Human fraternity

May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions,
 praying for one another, open to all.

Dates	OLOL Community https://www.ololsawston.org.uk YouTube: Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher Parish	SJF Community http://cambournerc.com YouTube: St John Fisher Church Facebook: Cambourne Catholic Church
Saturday, 23.01.2021 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, 24.01.2021 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – Sunday of the Word of God	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro Populo) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Susan Piercet)	17.00: Holy Mass (Mervin de Rozario)
Monday, 25.01.2021 Conversion of St Paul Ap. FEAST	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Christian Unity)	12.30: Holy Mass
Tuesday, 26.01.2021 Ss Timothy & Titus BB Mem	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Mgr Mark Langham+)	12.30: Holy Mass (Private Intentions)
Wednesday, 27.01.2021 St Angela Merici V	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Antoinette Askin+)	12.30 Holy Mass (Thanksgiving to St. Martin de Porres)
Thursday, 28.01.2021 St Thomas Aquinas PD Mem	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy souls)	12.30: Holy Mass
Friday, 29.01.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors)	19.15: Holy Mass
Saturday, 30.01.2021 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, 31.01.2021 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro populo) 11.15 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Holy Mass

ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (Cf. Ps 95:1,6)

Sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.

PENITENTIAL RITE

Priest: Have mercy on us, O Lord.

All: For we have sinned against you.

Priest: Show us, O Lord your mercy.

All: And grant us your salvation.

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,

we bless you,

we adore you,

we glorify you,

we give you thanks for your great glory,

Lord God, heavenly King,

O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

you take away the sins of the world,

have mercy on us;

you take away the sins of the world,

receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father,

have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,

You alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High,

Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father. Amen

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: prophet Jonah (3:1-5,10)

The people of Nineveh renounce their evil behaviour

The word of the Lord was addressed to Jonah: 'Up!' he said 'Go to Nineveh, the great city, and preach to them as I told you to.' Jonah set out and went to Nineveh in obedience to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was a city great beyond compare: it took three days to cross it. Jonah went on into the city, making a day's journey. He preached in these words, 'Only forty days more and Nineveh is going to be destroyed.' And the people of Nineveh believed in God; they proclaimed a fast and put on sackcloth, from the greatest to the least.

God saw their efforts to renounce their evil behaviour,

and God relented: he did not inflict on them the disaster which he had threatened.

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 24:4-9. R. v.4)

R. Lord, make me know your ways

Lord, make me know your ways

Lord, teach me your paths.

Make me walk in your truth, and teach me:

for you are God my saviour. **R**

Remember your mercy, Lord,
and the love you have shown from of old.
In your love remember me,
because of your goodness, O Lord. **R**

The Lord is good and upright.

He shows the path to those who stray,

He guides the humble in the right path,

He teaches his way to the poor. **R**

Second Reading: Corinthians (7:29-31)

The world as we know it is passing away

Brothers: our time is growing short. Those who have wives should live as though they had none, and those who mourn should live as though they had nothing to mourn for; those who are enjoying life should live as though there were nothing to laugh about; those whose life is buying things should live as though they had nothing of their own; and those who have to deal with the world should not become engrossed in it. I say this because the world as we know it is passing away.

Gospel Acclamation: (Mk: 1-15)

Alleluia, alleluia!

**The kingdom of God is close at hand;
believe the Good News.**

Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark (1:14-20)

Repent, and believe the Good News.

After John had been arrested, Jesus went into Galilee. There he proclaimed the Good News from God. 'The time has come' he said 'and the kingdom of God is close at hand. Repent, and believe the Good News.'

As he was walking along by the Sea of Galilee he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net in the lake – for they were fishermen. And Jesus

said to them, 'Follow me and I will make you into fishers of men.' And at once they left their nets and followed him.

Going on a little further, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John; they too were in their boat, mending their nets. He called them at once and, leaving their father Zebedee in the boat with the men he employed, they went after him.

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and our salvation he came down from heaven, **(please bow)** and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Communion Antiphon (Cf Ps 33.6)

Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love you above all things and I

passionately desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE ELECTION OF A BISHOP

O God, Eternal Shepherd who govern your flock with unflinching care grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

NOTICES

In Memoriam: All who have gone before us, especially those whose anniversaries occur around this week: Susan Pierce, Doreen Miller, Peggy Morgan, Teresa Murphy, Laurence Cribb Patricia Ball, Joseph Monko, William Silver, and Lily Evans.

+ Our condolences and prayers for the family of Andrew Lewandowski, who sadly died on 7 January.

+ SUNDAY COLLECTIONS: In the current circumstances it is no longer practical to take a cash collection each week. If you wish to give an offering, please give by standing order or make a bank transfer. If this is impossible for you, we will accept cash or cheque placed in an envelope. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave:

- **OLOL:** Standing Orders: £785; Mass Stipends: £10; Offertory: £10; Fr Sandro: £30.

- **SJF:** Standing Orders: £299; Mass stipends: £25.

+ Please contact the Parish Office by 12 Noon on Tuesday 26 January 2021 if you would like your intentions for yourselves, or for your loved ones - living or deceased - to be included in our prayers and Mass this coming week.

+ All Masses in Cambourne are live streamed on Facebook: **Cambourne Catholic Church** and YouTube: **St John Fisher Church**.

+ All Masses in Sawston are live streamed on YouTube: **Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher Parish**.

+ Please continue to book in advance of coming to church on the Parish mobile **07754-227468**.

+ **MASS INTENTIONS:** If you would like to make a donation to SJF Church or OLOL Church for a Mass or prayers at your request, please use the provided envelop for cash and cheque, or by BAC with the reference YOURSURNAME+MASS

* **DONATIONS:** If you would like to make a donation by cheque, direct debit, or standing order to SJF Community (Cambourne), or OLOL Community (Sawston). For reference, please put YOUR SURNAME+DONATION.

- **CAMBOURNE:** Cheques payable to **SJF CHURCH**. Bank transfer details: Barclays Bank UK Plc., Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 33031454.

- **SAWSTON:** Cheques payable to **OLOL & SJF PARISH**. Bank transfer details: Barclays Bank UK Plc., Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 03187187. Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

* **LEGACY & WILLS:** If you would like to leave a legacy or include the Parish in your will, please contact Fr. John or a member of the Finance Committees.

* **OLOL FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS** starts this Sunday. Last call to parents with children in Year 3, please contact Fr John asap for registration. If your children are a little older than the groups, please let Fr John know.

SJF NEWS

Two Zoom Socials planned for anybody and everybody! Just come and watch or offer an 'act' from craft workshops to magic – we've had it all:

- **Sat. 23rd Jan** a general social with chat, our regular 'DIY Cabaret' get practising!

- **Sat 13th Feb** FUNDRAISING QUIZ NIGHT for us all! With help from our Confirmation group! More details to come. Contact Mel 07565 972427 or Lorretta 07594 222207.

- **WHATSAPP PRAYER GROUP** is 24/7 - do join us our send intentions to Loretta or Liz - no need or gratitude too small! Lpeck229@gmail.com or Beljuchristy@yahoo.co.uk

OTHER NEWS

* **Sunday of the Word of God:** On 30th September

2019, Pope Francis published his Apostolic Letter "Aperuit illis". It officially establishes that "the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be devoted to the celebration, study and dissemination of the Word of God". Let us make this Sunday special through our love for the Bible, and pray for the courage to apply the Word of God in our daily life.

* **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity:** Pope Francis explained that this year the theme highlights "Jesus' request that we abide in His love so that we might bear much fruit". He went on to note that the week will conclude on 25 January with the celebration of Vespers in the Basilica of St Paul's Outside-the-Walls in Rome, "together with the representative of the other Churches and Christian communities in Rome". In these days, concluded the Pope "let us pray together so that Jesus' desire might be accomplished – that all might be one: unity, which is always higher than conflict".

* The new Nuncio for Great Britain, **Archbishop Claudio Gugerotti** has written to the Chapter of Canons about the process for the new Ordinary of our Diocese. Bishop Alan is still our diocesan Bishop until the new one is in place. He asks us to pray for his successor. This Sunday, 24th January, is the anniversary of Bishop Alan's Episcopal Ordination (2003). Let us pray for his happy retirement when his successor officially takes possession of the See of East Anglia.

* **Aquinas on the Trinity Zoom course:** by Sr. Magdalene Eitenmiller, O.P. started last Friday, January 22, at 7:30 pm. The course will run for 8 weeks, for a requested £40 donation for the Dominican Sisters here in Cambridge. Please contact Thomisticstudies@gmail.com for more information.

* **World Day of the Sick:** Pope Francis writes: 'The celebration of the XXIX World Day of the Sick on 11 February 2021, the liturgical memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Lourdes, is an opportunity to devote special attention to the sick and to those who provide them with assistance and care both in healthcare institutions and within families and communities. We think in particular of those who have suffered, and continue to suffer, the effects of the worldwide coronavirus pandemic. To all, and especially to the poor and the marginalized, I express my spiritual closeness and assure them of the Church's loving concern.'

It is also the patronal Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes Community in Sawston. Though we cannot celebrate it the way we like, let us focus more on prayers for ourselves and our loved ones during this challenging time.