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Week commencing Sunday, 7th February 2021

**FIFTH WEEK OF THE YEAR – Year B, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 1
 SERVICE & MASS TIMES**

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR FEBRUARY 2021

Violence Against Women

We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.

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, 06.02.2021 St Paul Miki & Comps.MM	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Barry Wallmant)	17.00: Vigil Mass for Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, 07.02.2021 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time –	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro populo) 11.15 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Holy Mass
Monday, 08.02.2021 St Jerome Emiliani (St. Bakhita - Day of Prayer for Victims of Trafficking)	9.30 am: Holy Mass (David+ & Ann Blackadder (F))	12.30: Holy Mass (Holy souls)
Tuesday, 09.02.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Apolonia & Roman Babula+)	12.30: Holy Mass (P.K. John+)
Wednesday, 10.02.2021 St Scholastica V Mem	9.30 am: Holy Mass	12.30 Holy Mass (Thanksgiving to St. Martin de Porres)
Thursday, 11.02.2021 Our Lady of Lourdes World Day of Prayer for the Sick	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Victims of Pandemic)	12.30: Holy Mass
Friday, 12.02.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors)	19.15: Holy Mass
Saturday, 13.02.2021 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, 14.02.2021 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Day of Prayer for the Unemployed	8.45 am: Holy Mass 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Anne Brown+)	17.00: Holy Mass (Pro populo)

ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (Ps 94:6-7)

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

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: book of Job (7:1-4, 6-7)
Restlessly I fret till twilight falls.

Job began to speak:

Is not man's life on earth nothing more than pressed service, his time no better than hired drudgery?
Like the slave, sighing for the shade, or the workman with no thought but his wages, months of delusion I have assigned to me, nothing for my own but nights of grief. Lying in bed I wonder, 'When will it be day?'
Risen I think, 'How slowly evening comes!' Restlessly I fret till twilight falls. Swifter than a weaver's shuttle my days have passed, and vanished, leaving no hope behind. Remember that my life is but a breath, and that my eyes will never again see joy.

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 146:1-6. R. v.3)

R. Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted.

Praise the Lord for he is good;
sing to our God for he is loving;
to him our praise is due. **R**

The Lord builds up Jerusalem
and brings back Israel's exiles,
he heals the broken-hearted,
he binds up all their wounds.
He fixes the number of the stars;
he calls each one by its name. **R**

Our Lord is great and almighty;
his wisdom can never be measured.
The Lord raises the lowly;
he humbles the wicked to the dust. **R**

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians (9: 16-19, 22-23)
I should be punished if I did not preach the Gospel

I do not boast of preaching the gospel, since it is a duty which has been laid on me; I should be punished if I did not preach it! If I had chosen this work myself, I might have been paid for it, but as I have not, it is a responsibility which has been put into my hands. Do you know what my reward is? It is this: in my preaching, to be able to offer the Good News free, and not insist on the rights which the gospel gives me.

So though I am not a slave of any man I have made myself the slave of everyone so as to win as many as I could. I made myself all things to all men in order to save some at any cost; and I still do this, for the sake of the gospel, to have a share in its blessings.

Gospel Acclamation: (Jn: 8:12)

Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the light of the world, says the Lord,
anyone who follows me will have the light of life.
Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark (1:29-39)
He cured many who were suffering from diseases of one kind or another.

On leaving the synagogue, Jesus went with James and John straight to the house of Simon and Andrew. Now Simon's mother-in-law had gone to bed with fever, and they told him about her straightaway. He went to her, took her by the

hand and helped her up. And the fever left her and she began to wait on them.

That evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were sick and those who were possessed by devils. The whole town came crowding round the door, and he cured many who were suffering from diseases of one kind or another; he also cast out many devils, but he would not allow them to speak, because they knew who he was.

In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house, and went off to a lonely place and prayed there. Simon and his companions set out in search of him, and when they found him they said, 'Everybody is looking for you.' He answered, 'Let us go elsewhere, to the neighbouring country towns, so that I can preach there too, because that is why I came.' And he went all through Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and casting out devils.

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 106: 8-9)

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

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 unfailing 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: Owen Meehan, George Sylvester, Ida Jones, Louisa Lockwood, George Jezierski and Robert Handley

+ 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; Offertory £104, Mass Stipends: £60; Stole Fee: £199; Missio £30; Donation: £25.

- **SJF:** Standing Orders: £299; Donations: £140 (online) + £130 (cash); Mass stipends: £155.

+ Please contact the Parish Office by 12 Noon on Tuesday 16th February 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 always book in advance of coming to church on the Parish mobile **07754-227468**.

+ Second collections: As you know, we contribute to a range of good causes through second collections. However, in the current circumstances this is difficult because of the limits on mass attendance. Whilst there will be an opportunity to contribute to each second collection on the appropriate date, you may wish to contribute to all of the collections for the year, either by a standing order or a one-off donation. We will spread such offerings equally across the list of second collections, unless you tell us that you would like to distribute your gift differently. The second collections are as follows:

January – Pax Christi
February – Racial Justice
February – CAFOD (Lent Fast Day)
Good Friday – Holy Land Shrines
April – Vocations
May – Catholic Communications Network
June – Life Charities
June – Peter's Pence
July – Apostleship of the Sea
September – Catholic Education Service
September – Home Mission
October – CAFOD (Harvest Fast Day)
October – Prison Advice and Care Trust
October – World Mission (Missio)
November – CARITAS/St Edmund's fund (Diocesan social outreach)
November – Diocesan Youth Service
December – Dependent Priests' Fund

And one or two special appeals.

If you donate through a Standing Order or one-off bank transfer please make sure to include "2nd coll" in the reference. If you contribute through cash or cheque in an envelope please label the envelope accordingly. Thank you for your support to these good causes.

SJF NEWS

One Zoom Social planned for anybody and everybody! Just come and watch or offer an 'act' from craft

workshops to magic – we've had it all:

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

* **YEAR OF THE FAMILY:** On 19 March 2021, the fifth anniversary of the Apostolic Exhortation *Amoris laetitia*, Pope Francis will inaugurate the Year "*Amoris Laetitia* Family," which will conclude on 26 June 2022 on the occasion of the 10th World Meeting of Families in Rome.

* **CANA AT HOME:** is designed around these challenging times of social restriction and home-working, and which promises support and enrichment for couples. The YouTube link is: <https://youtu.be/yacBMtYjcKQ>. It will run for a number of weeks with 6 episodes.

And the **Valentine** is coming soon. Please email cana.valentine@outlook.com if you would like to join a free session. Every couple welcome.

* **Aquinas on the Trinity Zoom course:** by Sr. Magdalene Eitenmiller, O.P. 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 11th February:** Pope Francis writes: 'We think in particular of those who have suffered, and continue to suffer, the effects of the 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 in the way we would like, let us focus more on prayers for ourselves and our loved ones during this challenging time.

ST JOSEPHINE BAKHITA – DAY OF PRAYER FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING (8th Feb) - Please pray for all victims of human trafficking – their suffering has been greatly magnified by the pandemic. More information on: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/day-of-prayer-for-victims-of-human-trafficking/>