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Week commencing Sunday 7th August 2022

19th Week of the Year – Year C, Weekday Cycle II, Psalter Week 3

SERVICE & MASS TIMES

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 2022

Small Businesses

We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities.

Dates	OLOL Community www.ololsawston.org.uk	SJF Community http://cambournerc.com
Saturday, 06 08.2022 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD Feast	9.30 am Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for 19 th Week in Ordinary Time (Pro populo)
SUNDAY 07.08.2022 19 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Mike Paduano+) 11.15am: Holy Mass (Rex Cortez+); (Frances Brownlie+)	17.00: Holy Mass
Monday, 08.08.2022 St Dominic	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Katy Long+)	NO MASS
Tuesday, 09.08.2022 ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS VM Patron of Europe Feast	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Robert Brown+)	NO MASS
Wednesday, 10.08.2022 ST LAWRENCE DnM Feast	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Canon Patrick Grogan†)	NO MASS
Thursday, 11.8.2022 St Clare V	9.30 am Holy Mass (Rev. Ron O'Toole†)	NO MASS
Friday 12.08.2022 St Jane Frances de Chantal	9.30 am Holy Mass (Siobhan Mycock†)	NO MASS
Saturday, 13 08.2022 Ss Pontian Pp & Hippolytus P MM	9.30 am Holy Mass (Election of a bishop) 11.00 am Cantonese Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM, Solemnity
SUNDAY 14.08.2022 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM, Solemnity	8.45 am: Holy Mass 11.15am: Holy Mass	17.00: Holy Mass (Pro populo)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (Cf. Ps 73: 20, 19, 22, 23)

Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

PENITENTIAL RITE

Lord Jesus, by the power of your Cross you freed us from sins.

Lord Jesus, you ascended to the Father and gave us the gift of the Holy Spirit

Lord Jesus, you are the King of the universe and your dominion lasts for ever.

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

A reading from the book of Wisdom (18:6-9)

That night had been foretold to our ancestors, so that, once they saw what kind of oaths they had put their trust in, they would joyfully take courage.

This was the expectation of your people,

the saving of the virtuous and the ruin of their enemies; for by the same act with which you took vengeance on our foes, you made us glorious by calling us to you.

The devout children of worthy men offered sacrifice in secret, and this divine pact they struck with one

accord: that the saints would share the same blessings and dangers alike; and forthwith they had begun to chant the hymns of the fathers.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm 32(33):1,12,18-20,22

Happy are the people the Lord has chosen as his own.

Ring out your joy to the Lord, O you just; for praise is fitting for loyal hearts. They are happy, whose God is the Lord, the people he has chosen as his own. R

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. R

Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

(11:1-2,8-19)

Only faith can guarantee the blessings that we hope for, or prove the existence of the realities that at present remain unseen. It was for faith that our ancestors were commended.

It was by faith that Abraham obeyed the call to set out for a country that was the inheritance given to him and his descendants, and that he set out without knowing where he was going. By faith he arrived, as a foreigner, in the Promised Land, and lived there as if in a strange country, with Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. They lived there in tents while he looked forward to a city founded, designed and built by God.

It was equally by faith that Sarah, in spite of being past the age, was made able to conceive, because she believed that he who had made the promise would be faithful to it. Because of this, there came from one man, and one who was already as good as dead himself, more descendants than could be counted, as many as the stars of heaven or the grains of sand on the seashore.

All these died in faith, before receiving any of the things that had been promised, but they saw them in the far distance and welcomed them, recognising that they were only strangers and nomads on earth. People who use such terms about themselves make it quite plain that they are in search of their real homeland. They can hardly have meant the country they came from, since they had the opportunity to go back to it; but in fact they were longing for a better homeland, their heavenly homeland. That is why God is not ashamed to be called their God, since he has founded the city for them.

It was by faith that Abraham, when put to the test, offered up Isaac. He offered to sacrifice his only son even though the promises had been made to him and he had been told: It is through Isaac that your name will be carried on. He was confident that God had the power even to raise the dead; and so, figuratively speaking, he was given back Isaac from the dead.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

(Mt 24:42 44)

Alleluia, alleluia! Stay awake and stand ready, because you do not know the hour when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

Gospel

(Luke 12:32-48)

Jesus said to his disciples: 'There is no need to be afraid, little flock, for it has pleased your Father to give you the kingdom.

'Sell your possessions and give alms. Get yourselves purses that do not wear out, treasure that will not fail you, in heaven where no thief can reach it and no moth destroy it. For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

'See that you are dressed for action and have your lamps lit. Be like men waiting for their master to return from the wedding feast, ready to open the door as soon as he comes and knocks. Happy those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes. I tell you solemnly, he will put on an apron, sit them down at table and wait on them. It may be in the second watch he comes, or in the third, but happy those servants if he finds them ready. You may be quite sure of this, that if the householder had known at what hour the burglar would come, he would not have let anyone break through the wall of his house. You too must stand ready, because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

Peter said, 'Lord, do you mean this parable for us, or for everyone?' The Lord replied, 'What sort of steward, then, is faithful and wise enough for the master to place him over his household to give them their allowance of food at the proper time? Happy that servant if his master's arrival finds him at this employment. I tell you truly, he will place him over everything he owns. But as for the servant who says to himself, "My master is taking his time coming," and sets about beating the menservants and the maids, and eating and drinking and getting drunk, his master will come on a day he does not expect and at an hour he does not know. The master will cut him off and send him to the same fate as the unfaithful.

The servant who knows what his master wants, but has not even started to carry out those wishes, will receive very many strokes of the lash. The one who did not know, but deserves to be beaten for what he has done, will receive fewer strokes. When a man has had a great deal given him, a great deal will be demanded of him; when a man has had a great deal given him on trust, even more will be expected of him.'

The 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 for 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.

Memorial Acclamation:

We proclaim your death O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.

Communion Antiphon: (Ps 147: 12, 14)

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord, who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

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.

In Memoriam: All who have gone before us, especially those whose anniversaries occur around this week: Mary Delaney, Cecilia Flood, Fr. Patrick Shanahan, J Brannigan, Julia Sparkes, Marie Lagesse, Denys Straker, Kennelly Sander, Patricia Jago, Gerald Woodhouse, and Frederick Hall.

CONDOLENCES to the family of Frances Brownlie. May she rest in peace.

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

- **OLOL:** Standing Orders: £890; Dona: £; Cash banked: £53; Dona: £9-83; Hall donation: £30.

SJF: Standing Orders: £404; Donation for Baptism: £50; Dona: £4-92.

- 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.

+ **TEA** /**COFFEE** is served after 5pm Vigil Mass at SJF in Cambourne; and 8.45am Sunday Masses at OLOL in Sawston. Please join the serving teams or stay for a chat with friends.

GENERAL NOTICES

NO WEEKDAY MASSES in SJF (Cambourne) from Monday 8th to Friday 12th August due to building works. Masses for the weekends (5pm on Saturday 13th & 5pm on Sunday 14th August are the same as usual.

NO TEA / COFFEE after 11.15am Sunday Mass in OLOL, Sawston, until 4th of September. Hope the serving team may have good holiday and come back refreshed for this special ministry.

GOOD-BYE to Fr Antony Arokiam, and **WELCOME** Fr Tibor Borovsky as Parish Priest of St Joseph (St Neots) in our St Andrew Deanery.

RETROUVAILLE is a programme for couples, Catholics or non-Catholics, who are having difficulties in their marriages.

The next Retrouvaille programme begins with a weekend from 13-16 October 2022. It will be held online using Zoom and we will be commencing the following programme with a face-to-face weekend from 24-26 February 2023 in Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire.

Please vitsit www.retrouvaille.org.uk for further information.

PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: Friday 19th to Friday 26 August 2022. For help or more details please contact Deacon JOHN MORRILL at john.morrill@rcdea.org.uk or at 07956 536140.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE UKRAINE 14th

SEPTEMBER: is across Europe on the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. Please continue to pray for justice and peace, especially on that dedicated day.