OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND ST JOHN FISHER PARISH

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Week commencing Sunday, 17th NOVEMBER 2019

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – Year C, Psalter Week 1

SERVICE & MASS TIMES

Dates	OLOL Community https://www.ololsawston.org.uk	SJF Community http://cambournerc.com
Saturday, 16.11.2019 S Gertrude V	9.15 am: Morning Prayer 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Apolonia Babula †) 10.00 am Confession, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary	16.00 Confession 17.00 Vigil Mass for the 33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
Sunday, 17.11.2019 33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – World Day of the Poor	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Paul Alger†) & (Dr Branigan's Ints) 11.15am: Holy Mass (Jones/Richardson families)	17.00: Holy Mass (Deceased members in the D'mello family)
Monday, 18.11.2019 Dedication of the Basilicas of SS Peter & Paul App	9.15 am: Morning Prayer 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Krzysztof Jakubiec+)	
Tuesday, 19.11.2019 Feria	9.15 am Morning Prayer 9.30 a.m. Holy Mass (Rod Weeb+)	12.15 Holy Mass (at Blue School)
Wednesday, 20.11.2019 S EDMUND, King M Secondary Patron of the Diocese. Feast	9.15 am: Morning Prayer 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors)	
Thursday, 21.11.2019 The Presentation of the BVM	9.15 am Morning Prayer 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy Souls) 7.00 pm-7.30pm Quiet Prayer	19.15: Holy Mass followed by Rosary and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday, 22.11.2019 S Cecilla VM	9.15 am Morning Prayer 9.30 a.m. Holy Mass	19.15 Holy Mass
Saturday, 23.11.2019 S Clement 1 PopeM	9.15 am: Morning Prayer 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Kornizky & Sawicki families & Jan Siudak† (F) 10.00 am Confession, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary	16.00 Confession 17.00 Vigil Mass for 34th Sunday of the Year
Sunday, 24.11.2019 34th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro populo) 11.15am: Holy Mass	15.00 Holy Mass – (Alfred De Souza)

NOTICES

* Welcome all visitors and regular Mass participants. Please stay for coffee/tea in the foyer after SJF 5.00 pm Vigil Mass on Saturday; in OLOL Presbytery after 8.45 am Sunday Mass, and in the Church Hall after 11.15 am Sunday Mass.

In Memoriam: All who have gone before us, especially members of our communities whose anniversaries occur around this week: Florence Cornish, Teslin Cribb, Elliot Lyon, Denise Phillips, Margaret Flood, Patricia Nimmo, Mick Burgess, Suzanne Holland, Bernard Goff, Monserrat Sinijathsinghji, Annie Robertson, and Cyril Williams.

WORLD DAY OF THE POOR: Pope Francis reminds us that 'Jesus inaugurated his Kingdom by placing the poor at the centre, and has entrusted us, his disciples, with responsibility for giving hope to the poor'. He encourages us 'to seek, in every poor person, his or her true needs, not to stop at their most obvious material needs..and a few moments of our time.' 'Before all else, the poor need God and his love, made visible by "the saints next door".' "The Lord does not forget the cry of the poor." (Ps 9) (Please read the Pope's Message in full via www.csan.org.uk/worlddayofthepoor/ .)

LAST WEEK, THERE WERE 121 PEOPLE AT 5PM MASS (SJF), 135 PEOPLE AT 8.45AM (OLOL), 114 PEOPLE AT 11.15AM MASS (OLOL), AND 70 PEOPLE AT 5PM MASS (SJF). TOTAL 440 PEOPLE ATTENDING MASS IN THE PARISH.

- * COLLECTIONS: Thank you very much for your generosity.
- **OLOL: Offertory:** £288, Standing Orders: £734, Stipends: £100, Stole Fees: £100.
- **SJF:** Saturday collection: £195.20, Sunday collection: £63; Standing Orders: £215.
- * **DONATIONS:** If you would like to make a donation by cheque, direct debit, or standing order, please see below:
- CAMBOURNE: Cheques payable to SJF CHURCH. Bank transfer details: Barclays Bank UK Plc, Cambridge Branch, Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 33031454.
- **SAWSTON:** Cheques payable to **OLOL & SJF PARISH**. Bank transfer details: Barclays Bank UK Plc, Cambridge Branch, 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.

FROM DON SANDRO BARBIERI: I hope you still remember Don Sandro who stayed in our Parish for a couple of months last year to learn English. He is now working in Ethiopia, and is known as Abba Sandro according to the local custom. Here is the email he sent me recently:

Dear Father John,

Thank you very much for helping me and Abol's community. I will be happy if you can help us supporting the catholic school. In my compound there is a kindergarten with about

170 children. We started last year and we are becoming good.

There are 3 teachers with degree and 2 assistant teachers, 1 cleaner.

Their salary is

1 teacher 100 € every month for 12 months
1 assistant teacher 70 € every month for 12 months
1 cleaner 50 € every month for 12 months
If your community can contribute paying a salary of
one teacher or more, it will be wonderful
Or, if you prefer, we offer first aid every day to the
children: wounds, burns, infections, insect bites ... so
we have to buy a lot of material like disinfectant,
plasters, gauzes, antibiotic creams ...

Every months is around $200 \in$, also because we send people to the health center or to the hospital when we can't do anything. And for any thing, in Ethiopia, the people must pay.

If you need more information, don't be worry to ask

God bless you and Sawston and Cambourne communities.

I hope we will be able to do something for him. If you could help, please let me know. Many thanks. JM

SJF COMMUNITY NEWS

- + CONFIRMATION 2020 There will be a meeting for candidates and parents at 4pm on Sunday 17th November. The meeting will be held in Cambourne Church. Please bring the forms and the certificates with you to the meeting.
- + **SJF Sunday Mass:** Please come and help with the preparations for our Sunday Mass. All Sunday Masses are at 5pm except on the 4th Sunday of each month, the next being, Sunday 24 th November when Mass is at 3pm. Thank you to those of you who have already come forward to help. If not, please speak to Shanti or Anne-Lucie.
- + CHRISTIAN FORMATION: Six topics will be taught in Cambourne. The first two took place on Wednesday 6 and 13 Nov. and went very well. Cost will be £15 per session with possible subsidy by SJF Church. Accreditation possible with written assignment but certification of attendance awarded to all. Time: 7.30pm 9.30pm (with varied activities and time to socialise). Dates: 20th November The Sacraments; 26th February Living a Moral Christian Life; 4th March: The Church; 11th March The Person of Christ. (NB please note last 3 dates of this course have been amended). If interested please contact Lorretta Peck, or Mel ASAP. Email: melanie.marie.ward@gmail.com
- **+Street Children United:** There will be a fundraiser after Mass on Saturday the 16th of November for this charity.
- + **SJF** is part of a joint service (with other Christian Churches) which will take place on 24 Nov at 10:30 at the Comberton Leisure Centre. It would be lovely to see a group of us attend. Please contact Silvia Hadeler (shlucato@gmail.com) for further information.

- + MASS EVERYDAY: There may be Mass every day for SJF Community in the new calendarl year. Suggested times for Mass: Mondays at 7.15pm; Tuesdays & Wednesdays at 12.15 noon; Thursdays & Fridays at 7.15pm; Saturdays & Sundays at 5pm.
- + Invitation from the Union of Catholic Mothers: St Neots UCM Foundation celebrates our 30thAnniversary this year and we are having a Mass on Monday 9th December at 7pm at St Joseph's Church, 39 East Street, St Neots PE19 1JU. We would be delighted if some of the ladies in Cambourne parish will join us. At the Mass we will renew our promises to the UCM, and after Mass we will be having some refreshments in our Parish House. You will all be very, very welcome.
- + CAMBOURNE FOODBANK is in need of volunteers for Thursday mornings and other times. Please contact Julie Whitbread if you think you could help, even occasionally. Julie.whitbread@cambournechurch.org.uk

OLOL COMMUNITY NEWS

- * Quiet Time before Mass: It is recommended that we keep silence for a few minutes before Mass. Silence gives us the opportunity to listen to God's voice in our hearts and helps us to prepare ourselves for the Mass.
- * OUR CHRISTMAS FAYRE on Saturday 17th November went well. Many thanks to all those who participated, including those who are from other churches and the surrounding areas. Many people worked very hard to organise and to support the event. Your efforts and your donations mean a lot to those in need.
- + CONFIRMATION CLASSES 2019-2020: Anyone in Year 9 or above who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in 2020 you are most welcome to join our classes which will run every Sunday evening at 6.30 pm (term time only), beginning on Sunday 27th October 2019 in the Church Hall (this first class includes parents). For more information please contact Sophia via email at sophiacorpas@yahoo.co.uk
- + A new initiative aimed at children in the school years 1 and 2 will start soon in OLOL. The classes will be looking at the fundamental truths of the Catholic faith through the lives and teachings of our popular saints and will be held in the Parish Hall on Sundays from 10.15 to 11.00 on the following dates:-8 Dec 2019, and in 2020 26 Jan, 22 Mar, 19 May, 14 June, and 12 July. If you are interested, please e-mail Agata (agatad urso@hotmail.com or Nieva (nievacortez@gmail.com)

DIOCESAN NEWS

- + The World's Big Sleep Out December 7th: The Diocesan Youth Service and Caritas are working together to host our own sleep out event as part of 'The World's Big Sleep Out.' This is an international campaign that invites people to sleep out in solidarity with those experiencing homelessness and displacement, and raises money for homeless charities. For more information, or to donate, please see www.rcdea.org.uk/youth
- + The Diocesan Catechist's course (which is for anyone who wants to be confident in talking about Christ and Church teaching) begins at the end of October. This is a distance-learning course spread over two school years. Bishop Alan has asked that every parish in the Diocese should have someone who has completed the course! if you think you might be interested, visit www.the

annunciation.org.uk or email Carol on catholic1812@gmail.com

+A YEAR OF THE WORD' from Advent 2019:

2020 is the 1,600 anniversary of Saint Jerome's death and the 10th of Verbum Domini - Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on 'The Word of the Lord'. The Bishops of England and Wales are marking these events by designating 2020 a year of focus on the Bible. The Diocese is taking part in this. For more information, please visit: http://catholicnews.org.uk/thegodwhospeaks

OTHER NEWS

+HASLINGFIELD CATHOLIC HOUSE GROUP will

have a House Mass on Wednesday 20th November, 7.30pm, 8, The Meadows, Haslingfield. For more information please contact Christine (CB 870136) Maureen (CB 870708) Ray (CB 872733)

- + Radio Maria England is recruiting a full-time technical supervisor, based in Cambridge. Competitive salary and other benefits offered. Please contact Harry Ngatchu, Operations Manager, at radiomariaengland@gmail.com
- + HANDICAPPED CHILDREN'S PILGRIMAGE
- TRUST appeals for volunteer helpers to support disabled children from Cambridgeshire on HCPT Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 12th-18th April 2020. A week of fun, singing and service. They are also keeping a lookout for potential children. If any families whose children have disabilities or are going through a particularly hard time, who could benefit. Contact: group104@hcpt.org.uk.
- + Sawston Time Bank Timebanking is a way for people to help others in their community and be rewarded for it in time. Everyone has something to give and it is about sharing knowledge, skills and interests. To find out more see Noticeboard or look on Sawston Timebank Website or email Timebank@sawston.org.uk
- + If you are concerned about hearing then this workshop is for you. Free informal, friendly and open to all. 9 December 2019 10 am 12.30 pm Sawston Medical Centre, London Rd, Sawston, Cambridge, CB22 3HU To find out more phone 07927 128535 or 01223 849798 or book online www.Cambridgeshireheari nghelp.org.uk/living-well

+WORKING WITH MISSIONARIES OF THE POOR

Fr Michael Johnstone is again taking a group to Kingston, Jamaica in January to work as Volunteers with the Missionaries of the Poor. Anyone age over 18, male or female, is welcome to join the group. Please con tact Fr. Michael: 01603 664118. Email fr.mcjohnstone@gmail.com

CAMBRIDGE JUSTICE & PEACE GROUP:

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE? In the coming General Election, resident British, Irish and Commonwealth citizens are entitled to vote. You must have registered by 26 November: see https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote.

CAFOD has produced information on some of the issues you might like to consider in voting: https://cafod.org.uk/News/UK-news/Catholic-election-guide

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 2019

Universal:

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

Entrance Antiphon: [If no hymn is sung]

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

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 Malachi (3:19-20)

The King of the world will raise us up to live for ever.

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 97:5-9. R. Cf. v.9)

The Lord comes to rule the peoples with fairness.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians (3:7-12)

Do not let anyone have food if he refuses to work.

Gospel Acclamation: (Lk 21:36)

Alleluia, alleluia!
Stay awake praying at all times
for the strength to stand with confidence
before the Son of Man
Alleluia

Gospel: Luke (21:5-19)

Your endurance will win you your lives..

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 (Ps 72:28) [If no hymn is sung]

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.