OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND ST JOHN FISHER PARISH Roman Catholic Diocese of East Anglia Charity No. 278742

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Week commencing Sunday, 9th August 2020

19th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - Year A, Weekday Cycle II, Psalter Week 3

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 2020. The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

### ENTRANCE

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

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.

### 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: 1 Kings 19: 9, 11-13

#### Stand on the mountain before the Lord

When Elijah reached Horeb, the mountain of God, he went into the cave and spent the night in it. Then he was told, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord.' Then the Lord himself went by. There came a mighty wind, so strong it tore the mountains and shattered the rocks before the Lord. But the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind came an earthquake. But the Lord was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake came a fire. But the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire there came the sound of a gentle breeze. And when Elijah heard this, he covered his face with his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave.

**Responsorial Psalm:** (Ps 84:914. R. v.8)

R. Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and send us your saving help.

I will hear what the Lord God has to say, a voice that speaks of peace. His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land. **R** 

Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embrace. Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven. **R** 

The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit. Justice shall marh before him and peace shall follow his steps. **R** 

### Second Reading: Romans (9: 1-5)

I am willing to be condemned if it could help my brothers.

What I want to say now is no pretence; I say it in union with Christ – it is the truth – my conscience in union with the Holy Spirit assures me of it too. What I want to say is this: my sorrow is so great, my mental anguish so endless, I would willingly be condemned and be cut off from Christ if it could help my brothers of Israel, my own flesh and blood. They were adopted as sons, they were given the glory and the covenants; the Law and the ritual were drawn up for them, and the promises were made to them. They are descended from the patriarchs and from their flesh and blood came Christ who is above all, God for ever blessed! Amen.

### Gospel Acclamation: (Lk 19:38)

Alleluia ! Alleluia ! Blessings on the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens! Alleluia !

### Gospel: Matthew (14:13-21)

Tell me to come to you across the water.

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side while he would send the crowds away. After sending the crowds away he went up into the hills by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, while the boat, by now far out on the lake, was battling with a heavy sea, for there was a head-wind. In the fourth watch of the night he went towards them, walking on the lake, and when the disciples saw him walking on the lake they were terrified. 'It is a ghost' they said, and cried out in fear. But at once Jesus called out to them, saying, 'Courage! It is I! Do not be afraid.' It was Peter who answered. 'Lord,' he said 'if it is you, tell me to come to you across the water.' 'Come' said Jesus. Then Peter got out of the boat and started walking towards Jesus across the water, but as soon as he felt the force of the wind, he took fright and began to sink. 'Lord! Save me!' he cried. Jesus put out his hand at once and held him. 'Man of little faith,' he said 'why did you doubt?' And as they got into the boat the wind dropped. The men in the boat bowed down before him and said, 'Truly, you are the Son of God.'

### **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.

### **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.

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*In Memoriam:* All who have gone before us, especially members of our communities whose anniversaries occur around this week, including: Marie Lagesse, Denys Streaker, Kennelly Sander, Gerald Woodhouse, Patricia Jago, Frederick Hall, Johny Sweeney, and Siobhan Myock.

Please contact the Parish Office by Wednesday 12th August if you would like your intentions for yourselves, or for your loved ones - living or deceased - to be included in our prayers & Mass this coming week.

PRIVATE PRAYER in CHURCH: Please ring the Office mobile (07754-227468) to say when you will be visiting the church, in order to conform to the Government's regulations on church cleaning after use.

### HOLY MASS IS NOW IN CHURCH & ON FACEBOOK & YOUTUBE

It is necessary to reserve a seat by calling or texting the Office mobile (07754-227468). For own safety and protection of other people, it is compulsary to bring and wear a facemask in church.

All our Masses will be live streamed:

- on Facebook: Cambourne Catholic Church

or YouTube (new camera): **Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher Parish**  Saturday 8th August: 9.30am (St. Dominic), and 7.15pm (Vigil Mass for 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time).

- Sunday 9th August: (19th Sunday in Ordinary Time) 8.45am (Monica & Cyril Morris+; Baby Joachim+, and Family), and 11.15am (Pro populo).

- Monday 10th August (St. Lawrence) : 9.30 am, and 7.15pm (Fr Freddie Jackson+).

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> August (St. Clare):- 9.30am, and 7.15pm (P.K. John+)

- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August: 9.30am, and 7.15pm (Benefactors)

- Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> August: 9.30am, and 7.15pm (John & Clara DeSouza+)

- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August (St Maximilian Mary Kolbe): 9.30am (Josie Mountains+), and 7.15pm (Alfred DeSouza+)

- Saturday 15th August: 9.30am and 7.15pm (Vigil Mass of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary).

- Sunday 16th August: (The Assumption) 8.45am, and 11.15 am (Pro populo)

+ TRAINING FOR VOLUNTEERS The link to the training for stewards and volunteers involved in reopening churches is now on the diocesan website on the safeguarding page. www.rcdea.org.uk/safeguarding/

+ FACE COVERING: To conform to the Government's latest regulations, the Conference of Bishops has given new guidelines about wearing a face covering in church, raising it from 'strongly encouraged' to 'compulsory'. PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN FACE COVERING though our Parish still supplies face masks in case of emergency. It is greatly appreciated if some face masks (disposable, or re-usable) could be donated to church. Many thanks.

+ SUNDAY COLLECTIONS: In the current circumstances it is no longer practical to take a cash collection each week, therefore, if you wish to give an offering, could you please give

by standing order or make a Bank transfer to our bankers. Obviously, if this is impossible for a parishioner we will accept cash or cheque placed in an envelope. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

- **Cambourne:** Standing Order £306; Lenten Alms: £50 (bank transfer); Donations: £100 (bank transfer).

- Sawston: Standing Order £767; Camera: £50 (bank transfer); Mass stipends: £20 (cash); Donations: £10 (cash) & £150 (bank transfer); stole fees: £199 (bank transfer); Lenten Alms: £60 (bank transfer).

+ 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 bank transfer with the reference YOURSURNAME+MASS.

+ CAMERA IN CHURCH: Thank you very much for your generosity. Please keep supporting this project. The camera has now been installed. The PA system is expected to be installed this Thursday. We may need a good broadband system to ensure reliable live streaming of our Mass and other religious services. Please let the Parish Office know about the quality of our live streaming.

+ LENTEN ALMS: It is greatly appreciated if you could either:

- Count your donation in the white box and bank it yourself. Then transfer it to OLOL & SJF Parish or SJF Church accounts with reference YOUR SURNAME+LENTEN ALMS.

Or

- Bring the white box with you when you attend Mass at OLOL Church. Please mark the box as from Cambourne or Sawston communities.

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

- 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.

+ CONFIRMATION MASS: Bishop Alan will come to OLOL Church, Sawston, at 6pm on Sunday 27th September to confirm 8 of our candidates. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

+ FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASS: There will be some lessons online for children and parents. It is hoped that our children could receive First Holy Communion in October. Please watch this space.

+ As we do not own the building, we have to patiently wait for the Cambourne Church Administrators to re-open the church building for public worship. Hopefully they will re-open the church building for hirers in the near future.

# **OTHER NEWS**

+ CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN TO ARTHUR RANK HOSPICE & ADDENBROOKE'S HOSPITAL: Please ask the staff to contact Fr Adrian for the sacraments. He can visit a patient if he is called by the hospice/hospital.

+ Red Boxes: To make a donation, please visit www.missio.org.uk/redbox

+ Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology (MBIT) just produced their course brochure for 2020/21, ranging from short courses, workshops and seminars, to certificates, undergraduate and graduate programmes. For further information please visit www.margaretbeaufort.cam.ac.uk