OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND SAINT JOHN FISHER PARISH

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Week commencing Sunday, 28th February 2021

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT – Year B, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 2 SERVICE & MASS TIMES

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MARCH 2021

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

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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, 27.02.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Thanksgiving of Natalie's Birthday)	17.00: Vigil Mass for Second Sunday of LENT (Priscila Yamaguti; Anna Joseph† 8 th Anniversary)
Sunday, 28.02.2021 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro populo) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Robert B. Brownlie†)	17.00: Holy Mass (Anna Joseph†)
Monday, 01.03.2021 ST DAVID, Patron of Wales, Feast	9.30 am: Holy Mass	12.30: Holy Mass (Anna Joseph†)
Tuesday, 02.03.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Chris Crowley†)	12.30: Holy Mass (Anna Joseph†)
Wednesday 03.03.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy souls)	12.30 Holy Mass (Anna Joseph†)
Thursday, 04.03.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors)	7.15pm: Holy Mass (Thanksgiving to St. Martin de Porres;(Anna Joseph†)
Friday, 05.03.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Private intentions)	19.15: Holy Mass (Anna Joseph†)
Saturday, 06.03.2021 Lent Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for Third Sunday in Lent (Jeyam Dorai Ray†; Eduardo Kilhara)
Sunday, 07.03.2021 Third Sunday of Lent	8.45 am: Holy Mass 11.15 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Holy Mass (Pro populo)
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ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (Cf. Ps 26:8-9)

Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.

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.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: book of Genesis (22:1-2,9-13,15-18)

The sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith

God put Abraham to the test. 'Abraham, Abraham' he called. 'Here I am' he replied. 'Take your son,' God said 'your only child Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah. There you shall offer him as a burnt offering, on a mountain I will point out to you.'

When they arrived at the place God had pointed out to him, Abraham built an altar there, and arranged the wood. Then he bound his son Isaac and put him on the altar on top of the wood. Abraham stretched out his hand and seized the knife to kill his son.

But the angel of the Lord called to him from heaven. 'Abraham, Abraham' he said. 'I am here' he replied. 'Do not raise your hand against the boy' the angel said. 'Do not harm him, for now I know you fear God. You have not refused me your son, your only son.' Then looking up, Abraham saw a ram caught by its horns in a bush. Abraham took the ram and offered it as a burnt-offering in place of his son.

The angel of the Lord called Abraham a second time from heaven. 'I swear by my own self – it is the Lord who speaks – because you have done this, because you have not refused me your son, your only son, I will shower blessings on you, I will make your descendants as many as the stars of heaven and the grains of sand on the seashore. Your descendants shall gain possession of the gates of their enemies. All the nations of the earth shall bless themselves by your descendants, as a reward for your obedience.'

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 115: 10,15-19. R. Ps 114.9)

R. I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

I trusted, even when I said: 'I am sorely afflicted,' O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful. **R**

Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; you have loosened my bonds.
A thanksgiving sacrifice I make;
I will call on the Lord's name. **R**

My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people, in the courts of the house of the Lord, in your midst, O Jerusalem.

R. I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

Second Reading: Romans (8:31-34)

God did not spare his own Son

With God on our side who can be against us? Since God did not spare his own Son, but gave him up to benefit us all, we may be certain, after such a gift, that he will not refuse anything he can give. Could anyone accuse those that God has chosen? When God acquits, could anyone condemn? Could Christ Jesus? No! He not only died for us – he rose from the dead, and there at God's right hand he stands and pleads for us.

Gospel Acclamation: (Mt 17:5)

R. Glory and praise to you, O Christ.

From the bright cloud the Father's voice was heard: "This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.'

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Gospel: Mark (9:2-10)

This is my Son, the Beloved.

Jesus took with him Peter and James and John and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone by themselves. There in their presence he was transfigured: his clothes became dazzlingly white, whiter than any earthly bleacher could make them. Elijah appeared to them with Moses; and they were talking with Jesus. Then Peter spoke to Jesus: 'Rabbi,' he

said 'it is wonderful for us to be here; so let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.' He did not know what to say; they were so frightened. And a cloud came, covering them in shadow; and there came a voice from the cloud, 'This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.' Then suddenly, when they looked round, they saw no one with them any more but only Jesus.

As they came down from the mountain he warned them to tell no one what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead. They observed the warning faithfully, though among themselves they discussed what 'rising from the dead' could mean.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father almighty
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father Almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the
dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Communion Antiphon (Mt 17:5

This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.

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: Peter Hand, Robert Bruce Brownlie, Lena Mary Rice, Chris Crowley, Ashley Hughes-Whiffing, Alan Wildsmith, David Ellison, Tom Kidman, and David Bleines

THE SACRED PASCHALTRIDUUM & EASTER SUNDAY MASS TIMES

OLOL

HOLY THURSDAY: 1.4.2021	20.00 hr
GOOD FRIDAY: 2.4.2021	15.00 hr
EASTER VIGIL: 3.4.2021	21.00 hr
EASTER SUNDAY: 4.4.2021	10.00 hr
	11.30 hr

SJF

HOLY THURSDAY: 1.4.2021	18.00 hr
GOOD FRIDAY: 2.4.2021	17.00 hr
EASTER VIGIL: 3.4.2021	18.30 hr
EASTER SUNDAY: 4.4.2021	08.00 hr
	17.00 hr

+ 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: £822, ; Donation: £60 (online); Second Colletion: £173.

- **SJF:** Standing Orders: £351; Donations: £20 (online); Mass stipends: £95 (online)

- 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.
- + Please contact the Parish Office by 12 Noon on Tue<u>sday 2nd March 2021</u> 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**.

SJF NEWS

- 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
- A big thank-you to **the Confirmation Group** and their supporters for organizing the Quiz on zoom. They raised **£285 for Missio**. Please see bank details of SJF Church in this Bulletin if you would like to make a donation to their good works.
- Radio Maria England Youth walked 14 miles to raise fund for CAFOD, and they'd really appreciate your support. Details for donations are on Cambourne Catholic Church Facebook, or contact Lorretta.
- Congratulations to Kevin who participated in the Rite of Election by Bishop Alan last Sunday. Please continue to support him with your prayer through his catecumenate. It is planned that he will receive the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist) this Easter.

OTHER NEWS

* In his **message for Lent 2021**, Pope Francis focuses on the three theological virtues, inviting the faithful to "renew our faith, draw from the living waters of hope, and receive with open hearts the love of God."

Grounding his reflection on the Paschal Mystery, the Pope says, "This Lenten journey... is even now illumined by the light of the resurrection, which inspires the thoughts, attitudes and decisions of the followers of Jesus."

For the full text, please visit our Parish Facebook: www.facebook.com/ Cambourne.Sawston.

* Święconka: will be celebrated at 11am at Saint John Fisher (Cambourne), and 1pm at Our Lady of Lourdes (Sawston) on Holy Saturday 3rd April.

Due to the pandemic restrictions, please book your place asap on Parish mobile 07754227468.

- * ADDENBROOKES RC CHAPLAIN: Please contact Fr Adrian Gates on (01223) 622699, or email: adrian.gates@rcdea.org.uk if you would like him to visit & administer sacraments to your loved ones in hospitals or Arthur Rank.
- * 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.
- * CHRISM MASS will be at 12 noon on Tuesday 30th March 2021. Due to the restrictions, please contact the Cathedral at www.sjbcathedral.org.uk to book your seat in advance, and arrange your own transport.
- Women In The Bible is resuming via Zoom and welcoming newcomers. A group of us meet fortnightly on Wednesday afternoons at 13:00 to discuss, learn, share our experiences, and take from the wealth of women's stories in the Bible. Why not join us? No background required. For information, email: rosinapastoral@olem.org.uk
- Cambridge Justice & Peace: Stations of the Cross, online at 19:30 each Wednesday of Lent led by the Cambridge Justice & Peace group, using images and poetic reflections, Scripture and prayers. For details on how to participate, please email sheila.speranda@gmail.com. More information on Cambridge Justice & Peace Group Facebook.
- * Radio Maria England has a new programme, 'Science & Faith', to be broadcast every week until Easter on Sundays at 5pm, Wednesdays at 2am, Thursdays at 11am and Fridays at 9pm.

Topics covered include the big bang theory, creation, evolution, genetic modifications, bioethics, neuroscience, freewill, miracles and divine actions, and the resurrection of Jesus. Several guests are world-renowned leading scientists or theologians from universities around the world. You can listen via the station's website: www.RadioMariaEngland.uk.