OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND SAINT JOHN FISHER PARISH

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Week commencing Sunday, 3rd October 2021

27th WEEK OF THE YEAR - Year B, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 3

SERVICE & MASS TIMES

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER 2021

Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptised person will respond to the call to follow Jesus Christ in their lives and witness to others the transforming power of his Gospel.

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, 02.10.2021 The Holy Guardian Angels.	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy souls)	17.00: Vigil Mass for 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 03.10.2021 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time-	08.45 am: Holy Mass (Evangeline Sandajan - sick); 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Rev. Donald Faux†)	17.00: Holy Mass (Fr John Mansell†)
Monday, 04.10.2021 St Francis of Assisi	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Fr Francis Armstrong†)	12.30: Holy Mass (Fr Cyril Henslow†)
Tuesday, 05.10.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors)	12.30: Holy Mass
Wednesday, 06.10.2021 St Bruno	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Canon Robert Pate†)	12.30. Holy Mass (Fr Malcolm Cowen†)
Thursday, 07.10.2021 Our Lady of the Rosary	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Private intentions)	12.30 Holy Mass (Holy souls)
Friday, 08.10.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Thanksgiving)	19.15 Holy Mass
Saturday, 09.10.2021 ST JOHN HENRY NEWMAN FEAST	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Welcome the Icon of Saint Joseph to our Parish)
Sunday 10.10.2021 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Welcome the Icon of Saint Joseph to our Parish)	08.45 am: Holy Mass (Fr William Lowndes†) 11.15 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Holy Mass (Pro populo)

ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (Cf. Est 4:17)

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

PENITENTIAL RITE

You were sent to heal the contrite of heart: You came to call sinners: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us:

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 praver: 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: Genesis (2:18-24)

They become one body.

The Lord God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone. I will make him a helpmate.' So from the soil the Lord God fashioned all the wild beasts and all the birds of heaven. These he brought to the man to see what he would call them; each one was to bear the name the man would give it. The man gave names to all the cattle, all the birds of heaven and all the wild beasts. But no helpmate suitable for man was found for him. So the Lord God made the man fall into a deep sleep. And while he slept, he took one of his ribs and enclosed it in flesh. The Lord God built the rib he had taken from the man into a woman, and brought her to the man. The man exclaimed:

'This at last is bone from my bones, and flesh from my flesh!
This is to be called woman, for this was taken from man.'

This is why a man leaves his father and mother and joins himself to his wife, and they become one body.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 127. R. v.5)

R. May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

O blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways!
By the labour of your hands you shall eat.
You will be happy and prosper. **R**

Your wife like a fruitful vine in the heart of your house; your children like shoots of the olive, around your table.**R**

Indeed thus shall be blessed the man who fears the Lord. May the Lord bless you from Zion in a happy Jerusalem all the days of your life! May you see your children's children. On Israel, peace! R

Second Reading: Hebrews (2:9-11)

The one who sanctifies, and the ones who are sanctified, are of the same stock.

We see in Jesus one who was for a short while made lower than the angels and is now crowned with glory and splendour because he submitted to death; by God's grace he had to experience death for all mankind.

As it was his purpose to bring a great many of his sons into glory, it was appropriate that God, for whom everything exists and through whom everything exists, should make perfect, through suffering, the leader who would take them to their salvation. For the one who sanctifies, and the ones who are sanctified, are of the same stock; that is why he openly calls them brothers.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: (Cf. Jn 17:17)

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark: (10:2-16)

What God has united, man must not divide.

Some Pharisees approached Jesus and asked, 'Is it against the law for a man to divorce his wife?' They were testing him. He answered them, 'What did Moses command you?' 'Moses allowed us' they said 'to draw up a writ of dismissal and so to divorce.' Then Jesus said to them, 'It was because you were so unteachable that he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation God made them male and female. This is why a man must leave father and mother, and the two become one body. They are no longer two, therefore, but one body. So then, what God has united, man must not divide.' Back in the house the disciples questioned him again about this, and he said to them, 'The man who divorces his wife and marries another is quilty of adultery against her. And if a woman divorces her husband and marries another she is guilty of adultery too.'

The Niceno-Constantinopolitan 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 (Lm 3:25)

The Lord is good to those who hope in him, to the soul that seeks 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 TO ST JOSEPH

St Joseph, watch over me and care for me, just as you cared for Jesus when he was a child: and by your help may I come to know Jesus, the Son of God, and so grow in love, strength and wisdom. Amen

NOTICES

In Memoriam: All who have gone before us, especially those whose anniversaries occur around this week: Fr John Short, Patricia Mary Ash Herbert Gannon, Phoebe Smith, Marjory Oliver, Sheila Addison, and Wladyslaw Suchocki.

+ 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: £837; Mass stipends: £30; Donation: £70.
- **SJF:** Standing Orders: £381; Donation: £110; Church rent: £120; Mass stipends: £80.
- 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.

N.B: Those who would like to gift aid your donations, please contact Fr. John. Many thanks.

- + All scheduled Masses in Cambourne are live streamed on Facebook: **Cambourne Catholic Church** and YouTube: **St John Fisher Church**.
- + All scheduled Masses in Sawston are live streamed on YouTube: **Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher Parish**, unless otherwise stated.
- + Please contact the Parish Office by 12 Noon on <u>Tuesday 5th</u>, <u>October 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 in the coming week.
- + In light of the latest guidance, it is now possible to bring Holy Communion to the housebound. Please let Fr John know if you or your loved ones would like to receive HC at home. Due to the restrictions, we need more Special Ministers to carry out this ministry.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CLASSES IN CAMBOURNE AND SAWSTON

Parents of all children wishing to make their First Holy communion in 2022 should download the relevant form from the appropriate websites and give it to Fr John with a copy of their Baptism certificate (Confirmation: FHC certificate) at Mass, or by post to 135 High Street, Sawston, Cambridge, CB22 3HJ, as soon as possible.

OTHER NEWS

- * Welcome the Icon of Saint Joseph to our Parish during the weekend of 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time.
- * SJF MOTHERS PRAYER GROUP will start on Tuesday 5th of October at 6.30pm. Please contact Najra at najram@hotmail.com.
- * OLOL READERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS for 8.45 am Mass: Margaret Donohoe is compiling new rotas, starting from the first Sunday in October. Please email Margaret at mmdonohoe@btinternet.com In addition, please let Margaret know if you would like to join the Eucharistic Ministers' Rota for the 8.45 am Mass.
- * Mass attendance on Sundays at OLOL continues to grow; last Sunday's numbers were 8.45 am: 70 and 11.15 am: 83. The SJF Community: 21 at the Vigil Mass and 43 on Sunday.
- * HALL CLEANERS REQUIRED: The Parish Hall has had a deep clean, in readiness for Hall bookings and therefore we need a new rota of volunteers to help clean it in the coming weeks. The more help we can get the

easier the load. If you can help in any way please contact Pat Wallman on **07754-227468**. Many thanks.

*OLOL CHURCH MEMORIAL GARDEN This area at the back of the church and car park would greatly benefit from a tidy up before Winter sets in. Anyone able to give some time could they contact Julie Ball on C 834141.

*OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILDSHOE BOX APPEAL I now have a supply of shoe boxes if anyone would like to

I now have a supply of shoe boxes if anyone would like to support this good cause. Last year as a Parish we filled over 40 shoe boxes. It would be great if we could equal if not better that target! Please contact Pat Wallman on 07754-227468 if you would like to know more about this Appeal.

- *SUBANEN CHRISTMAS CARDS: The indigenous Subanen people of the Philippines face eviction from their homes by logging and mining companies. Buying their traditionally crafted cards would help them. Tel: 01564 772096 or email office@ columbans.co.uk to place an order for packs of 10 cards @ £10 plus postage.
- *POOL TABLE AND TABLE TENNIS TABLE, CURRENTLY IN THE CHURCH HALL FREE TO A GOOD HOME. Please call Parish Mobile: 07754 227468.
- * SEASON OF CREATION, from the Justice & Peace Group: Time for Action: On 4th October, the Feast of St Francis, the Vatican will begin offering 'Laudao Si' Action Plans to guide us to the integral ecology described in the encyclical. It will be launched in stages throughout 2021 and 2022. https://laudatosiactionplatform.org/about/
- * DIOCESAN MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE organises two special Masses at OLISE Church in Newmarket:
- A Mass for those who have experienced miscarriage (Sunday 10th October 2021, 12 noon). Families are welcome.
- A Mass for those affected by infertility (Saturday 6th November 2021, 11 am.) Followed by a talk on treatment options for Catholic couples with infertility by Dr Phil Boyle. We respectfully ask that children do not attend this November Mass.
- * SCHOOLS MEDIA COMPETITION organised by Columban Missionaries for students (Year 9 to Year 13) to submit an original piece of writing or an original image on the theme: 'ANYONE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE' (Who in the world today is doing something about inequality, injustice, exclusion, and environmental degradation? What can they teach us?) For information and entry guidelines see www.columbancompetition.com or email hello@columbancompetition.com Deadline: Friday 11th February 2022.