OUR LADY OF LOURDES AND SAINT JOHN FISHER PARISH

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Week commencing Sunday, 31st October 2021 31st WEEK OF THE YEAR – Year B, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 3

SERVICE & MASS TIMES

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 2021

People who suffer from Depression

We pray that people who struggle with depression and all forms of mental illness may find support in us all and allow a healing light to enter their lives.

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, 30.10.2021 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Chris Koe+)	17.00: Vigil Mass for 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 31.10.2021 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time - ALL SAINTS	08.45 am: Holy Mass (John De Boer†) & (Con Crowley†) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Pro Populo)	17.00: Holy Mass
Monday, 01.11.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy souls)	12.30: Holy Mass
Tuesday, 02.11.2021 ALL SOULS DAY	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Deceased members of Mendoza family)	12.30: Holy Mass (Mgr. Canon Joseph McShee†)
Wednesday, 03.11.2021 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Fr Robert Allan†)	12.30. Holy Mass (Thanksgiving)
Thursday, 04.11.2021 St Charles Borromeo B	9.00 am: Holy Mass (Benefactors) [PLEASE NOTICE THIS UNSUAL TIME]	12.30 Holy Mass (Private intentions)
Friday, 05.11.2021 Feria	11.30 am: Holy Mass (Deceased clergy of St Andrew's Deanery) [PLEASE NOTICE THIS UNSUAL TIME]	19.15 Holy Mass (Graham Cheetham+)
Saturday, 06.11.2021 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass	17.00: Vigil Mass for 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 07.11.2021 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	08.45 am: Holy Mass (Deceased members of Agata's family) 11.15 am: Holy Mass(Pro populo)	17.00: Holy Mass (Alfred De Souza†)

ORDER OF MASS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Let us all rejoice in the Lord, as we celebrate the feast day in honour of all the Saints, at whose festival the Angels rejoice and praise the Son of God.

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 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: Apocalypse (7:2-4,9-14)

I saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language

I, John, saw another angel rising where the sun rises, carrying the seal of the living God; he called in a powerful voice to the four angels whose duty was to devastate land and sea, 'Wait before you do any damage on land or at sea or to the trees, until we have put the seal on the foreheads of the servants of our God.' Then I heard how many were sealed: a hundred and forty-four thousand, out of all the tribes of Israel.

After that I saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language; they were standing in front of the throne and in front of the Lamb, dressed in white robes and holding palms in

their hands. They shouted aloud, 'Victory to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!' And all the angels who were standing in a circle round the throne, surrounding the elders and the four animals, prostrated themselves before the throne, and touched the ground with their foreheads, worshipping God with these words, 'Amen. Praise and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and strength to our God for ever and ever. Amen.'

One of the elders then spoke, and asked me, 'Do you know who these people are, dressed in white robes, and where they have come from?' I answered him, 'You can tell me, my lord.' Then he said, 'These are the people who have been through the great persecution, and they have washed their robes white again in the blood of the Lamb.'

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps 23: 1-6 R. Cf v.6

R. Such are the men who seek your face, O Lord.

The Lord's is the earth and its fullness, the world and all its peoples. It is he who set it on the seas; on the waters he made it firm. **R**

Who shall climb the mountain of the Lord? Who shall stand in his holy place? The man with clean hands and pure heart, who desires not worthless things. **R**

He shall receive blessings from the Lord and reward from the God who saves him. Such are the men who seek him, seek the face of the God of Jacob. **R**

Second Reading: 1 St John (3:1-3)

We shall see God as he really is.

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are.

Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us. My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him because we shall see him as he really is. Surely everyone who

entertains this hope must purify himself, must try to be as pure as Christ.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: (Mt 11:28)

Alleluia, alleluia! Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: Matthew: (5:1-12)

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them:

'How happy are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Happy the gentle: they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Happy those who mourn: they shall be comforted.

Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right: they shall be satisfied.

Happy the merciful: they shall have mercy shown them.

Happy the pure in heart: they shall see God.

Happy the peacemakers: they shall be called sons of God.

Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right:

'Happy are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.'

The Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed

theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

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 (Mt. 5: 8-10)

Blessed are the clean of heart, for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

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.

A PRAYER for the COP26 CLIMATE TALKS

Loving God, We praise your name with all you have created.

You are present in the whole universe, and in the smallest of creatures.

We acknowledge the responsibilities you have placed upon us as stewards of your creation.

May the Holy Spirit inspire all political leaders at COP26 as they seek to embrace the changes needed to foster

a more sustainable society.

Instill in them the courage and gentleness to implement fairer solutions for the poorest and most vulnerable, and commit their nations to the care of Our Common Home.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

NOTICES

In Memoriam: All who have gone before us, especially those whose anniversaries occur around this week: Jane Cooke, Kathleen Cracknell, Con Crawley Mafalda Burgess, Arthur BurtSister Monica, Holy Family Sisters, Marcia Flett, Kitty Rouch, Charles Erwood, Mary Goggin, Percy Manders, Annie Robertson, Kenneth Wilkins, Ann Price, Patricia Little, William Moriarty, Robert Anthony Thorp, Laurie Morgan, Mary Robinson and Thelma Harvey.

+ 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; Donations: £35; Prison charities: £12.50; Missio: £12.50; CAFOD: £15.
- SJF: Standing Orders: £381; church rent: £110.
- 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.
- + 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**.
- + Please contact the Parish Office by 12 Noon on

Tuesday 2nd, November 2021 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.

SJF NEWS

- * November Month of the Holy Souls. A reminder that we have our annual memorial display of those who have gone before and prayers and any other intentions are welcome.
- *First Holy Communion preparation starts on Sat 6 h November please pray for the families that they are drawn closer to Christ snd our community this year.

*SJF CAMBOURNE IGNITE YOUTH EVENT 2.00PM UNTIL LATE -27th NOVEMBER.

OTHER NEWS

- * MASS ATTENDANCE: Last weekend: at SJF 5pm on Saturday: 28, and 49 at 5pm on Sunday; at OLOL on Sunday: 71 at 8.45 am, and 89 at 11.15 am. Total: 237 people.
- * OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILDSHOE BOX APPEAL: Shoe boxes, are still available if anyone would like to support this good cause. I have left a few empty boxes in the kitchen if there are none there please give Pat Wallman a call on 07754 227468.
- * **DEPUTY HEADTEACHER** required at St Alban's Catholic Primary School Cambridge. This post is from February half term 2022. For details please email office@stalbans.cambs.sch.uk or visit www.stalbans.cambs.sch.uk
- * A special Mass at OLISE Church in Newmarket for those affected by infertility on Saturday 6th Nov. 2021, at 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 Mass.
- * World Youth Day: All young people Year 7 upwards are invited to 'World Youth Day East Anglia' held at the Cathedral on Saturday 20th November, 12pm 8pm. To book a place and for more information, please visit our diocesan website www.rcdea.org.uk/youth
- * HCPT Volunteer helpers needed to support disabled children from Cambridgeshire on Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 17th-23rd April 2022. A week of fun, singing and service. Contact group104@hcpt.org.uk