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**Week commencing Sunday, 15th October 2023**

**TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – Year A, Weekday Cycle I, Psalter Week 4**

**SERVICE & MASS TIMES**

**THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER 2023**

**FOR THE SYNOD**

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level,  
 and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

<b>Dates</b>	<b>OLOL Community</b> <a href="https://www.ololsawston.org.uk">https://www.ololsawston.org.uk</a> YouTube: Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher Parish	<b>SJF Community</b> <a href="http://cambournerc.com">http://cambournerc.com</a> YouTube: Saint John Fisher Church Facebook: Cambourne Catholic Church
Saturday, 14.10.2023 St Callistus	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Angela McGinley+) 13.00 Confessions in Cantonese 14.00 Holy Mass in Cantonese + Baptism	17.00: Vigil Mass for the 28 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (Fr Robert Middleton+)
Sunday, 15.10.2023 <b>28<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b>	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Biddy Cullen+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Lilly Summerville+)	17.00: Holy Mass (Fr Edgar Hardwick+)
Monday, 16.10.2023 St Hedwig Rel.	9.30 am: Holy Mass ( Angela Dore+), (People with physical & mental illness)	12.30: Holy Mass (Peace in the Holy Land)
Tuesday, 17.10.2023 St Ignatius of Antioch BM	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Private Ints)	12.30: Holy Mass (Michael Sellers+)
Wednesday, 18.10.2023 <b>ST LUKE, EVANGELIST Feast</b>	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Fr James Sloan+, Rev. John Steel+)	12.30: Holy Mass (Rev Martin Orme+)
Thursday, 19.10.2023 Ss John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues PP & Comps MM	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Unborn Babies) 7.00 pm – 7.30 pm SILENT PRAYER	18.30: Holy Mass (Peace in Ukraine)
Friday 20.10.2023 Feria	.30 am: Holy Mass (William Gibbs+, John Kerins+, Lucienne Quill+, & Ken Upson+)	18.30: Holy Mass (Fr W. Bainbridge+)
Saturday, 21.09.2023 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Holy Souls) 12.00 Noon – 5.00 p.m. AFCM TRANSFORM CONFERENCE	17.00: Vigil Mass for the 29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (Private Intention)
Sunday, 22.10.2023 <b>29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – WORLD MISSION SUNDAY</b>	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro populo) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Mrs Rincy John+)	17.00: Holy Mass (Thanksgiving)

## ORDER OF MASS

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

(Ps 129: 3-4)

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,  
Lord, who could stand?  
But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

where he gives me repose.

Near restful waters he leads me,  
to revive my drooping spirit. **R**

### 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.

He guides me along the right path;  
he is true to his name.

If I should walk in the valley of darkness  
no evil would I fear.

You are there with your crook and your staff;  
with these you give me comfort. **R**

You have prepared a banquet for me  
in the sight of my foes.

My head you have anointed with oil;  
my cup is overflowing. **R**

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me  
all the days of my life.

In the Lord's own house shall I dwell  
for ever and ever. **R**

### A reading from the prophet Isaiah

(25:6-10)

On this mountain,  
the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples  
a banquet of rich food, a banquet of fine wines,  
of food rich and juicy, of fine strained wines.  
On this mountain he will remove  
the mourning veil covering all peoples,  
and the shroud enwrapping all nations,  
he will destroy Death for ever.  
The Lord will wipe away  
the tears from every cheek;  
he will take away his people's shame  
everywhere on earth,  
for the Lord has said so.  
That day, it will be said: See, this is our God  
in whom we hoped for salvation;  
the Lord is the one in whom we hoped.  
We exult and we rejoice  
that he has saved us;  
for the hand of the Lord  
rests on this mountain.

The word of the Lord

### Responsorial Psalm

(Ps 22(23))

**R** *In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and  
ever.*

The Lord is my shepherd;  
there is nothing I shall want.  
Fresh and green are the pastures

### A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Phillipians

(4:12-14,19-20)

I know how to be poor and I know how to be rich  
too. I have been through my initiation and now I  
am ready for anything anywhere: full stomach or  
empty stomach, poverty or plenty. There is  
nothing I cannot master with the help of the One  
who gives me strength. All the same, it was good  
of you to share with me in my hardships. In return  
my God will fulfil all your needs, in Christ Jesus,  
as lavishly as only God can. Glory to God, our  
Father, for ever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord

### Gospel Acclamation

(Jn1:14,12)

**Alleluia, alleluia! The Word was made flesh and  
lived among us: to all who did accept him  
he gave power to become children of God.  
Alleluia!**

### GOSPEL: Matthew

(22:1-10)

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the  
people,

'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a  
king who gave a feast for his son's wedding. He  
sent his servants to call those who had been

invited, but they would not come. Next he sent some more servants. "Tell those who have been invited" he said "that I have my banquet all prepared, my oxen and fattened cattle have been slaughtered, everything is ready. Come to the wedding." But they were not interested: one went off to his farm, another to his business, and the rest seized his servants, maltreated them and killed them.

The king was furious. He despatched his troops, destroyed those murderers and burnt their town. Then he said to his servants, "The wedding is ready; but as those who were invited proved to be unworthy, go to the crossroads in the town and invite everyone you can find to the wedding."

So these servants went out on to the roads and collected together everyone they could find, bad and good alike; and the wedding hall was filled with guests.'

### **The 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 for 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:**

(Cf. Ps 33: 11)

The rich suffer want and go hungry,  
but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

## **NOTICES**

**In Memoriam:** All who have gone before us, especially those whose anniversaries occur around this week: Biddy Cullen, Lily Summerville, Angela Dore, William Gibbs, John Kerins, Lucienne Quill, Ken Upson.

**FINANCE:** Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave:

**OLOL:** Standing Orders: £876, Dona: £192.57 (since 15/9); Hall: £180; MSWFIT: £54; Offertory: 311; Home Mission £10.

**SJF:** Standing Orders: £346; Donations:£330; Offertory: £699.02 (since 15/9)

**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 03187 187. Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

## **SAINT JOHN FISHER COMMUNITY**

**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY:** Massive thanks to those who baked so beautifully and were so generous last Saturday. We raised £182 for the vital development work of Cafod. Go to Cafod.org.U.K.- learn about and pray for their vital work! Do show the images and personal stories with your children!

**OCT 15th.WAVE OF LIGHT FOR BABY LOSS AWARENESS WEEK.** Cambourne Church will be hosting a service at 6.45 on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October in the annexe to mark Baby Loss Awareness week and coincide with the Wave of Light. All are very welcome.

**SJF MINISTRIES -SATURDAY MASS** Thank you to all who have volunteered. If you have not yet received an invitation to a SPOND for group, please check your junk mail for July and/or contact Aga at iwazska@live.com for help if you need it.All those who offered to read or help set up on occasional Saturdays should ensure they've done this. We need you and are grateful for your offer!

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** We need more people to volunteer for Saturday Mass so that this can run regularly and other ministries supported. There is a book to follow and support and DBS arranged. it is hoped you may only have to lead once every six weeks or so. Contact Mary@mansfield.co.uk .

**SISTER CHRISTOPHER ANGELL C.J. RIP** There will be a memorial Mass in the Chapel at St Mary's School at 4:30 on Friday November 3rd followed by afternoon tea. Alumni and friends are very welcome. Living 106 years, a past pupil, Head girl and Head with many years in 'retirement' in our schools in Zimbabwe, she was loved by and inspired many. Please contact our Alumni Relations Officer, if you would like to attend: Emma Hanbury at 01223 224126 or [development@stmaryscambridge.co.uk](mailto:development@stmaryscambridge.co.uk)

### **ALL PARENTS OF ALTAR SERVERS AT ALL MASSES**

If you have not received an email this week, please contact [Melanie.Marie.Ward@gmail.com](mailto:Melanie.Marie.Ward@gmail.com) ASAP with your name, your child's name, age and details of previous training. This is especially important for those who are serving or wish to serve on Sundays and their parents.

Coming soon! **SEEDS OF CHANGE.** Growing through liturgy of The Word and Music. A New Group for children and young people. Begins January 2024. Watch this space!

### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR 2024 Update:**

**CONFIRMATION:** Leader Paul: email [confirmation@cambournerc.com](mailto:confirmation@cambournerc.com) First get together of parents and candidates after the 5.00 p.m. mass on 21 October. First lessons commence 11<sup>th</sup> November.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** Leader Michelle: email [FHC@cambournerc.com](mailto:FHC@cambournerc.com) There will be a meeting for parents and candidates after mass on 28<sup>th</sup> October. Classes commence on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 3pm.

**Unity Prayer** to be prayed after mass as we prepare our candidates for the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

*My Adorable Jesus,  
May our feet journey together.  
May our hands gather in unity.  
May our hearts beat in unison.  
May our souls be in harmony.  
May our thoughts be as one.*

*May our ears listen to the silence together.  
May our glances profoundly penetrate each other.  
May our lips pray together to gain mercy from the  
Eternal Father. Amen.*

**SJF SUNDAY MASS-** Could you help gather a group to help set up etc so that the burden ( and joys!) are shared? The Mass is flourishing with beautiful music and help is needed for a reverent start, offertory procession, servers support etc. If this is 'your' Mass, it is possible you can help. Great thanks to those already doing this! Contact Shanti at [smpais12@gmail.com](mailto:smpais12@gmail.com).

**Misso at SJF:** We are looking for someone to lead the Missio work at SJF. For further details please contact Silvia Hadelar.

## **OUR LADY OF LOURDES COMMUNITY**

**CATECHISM:** The deadline to sign up for this years catechism classes is October 15<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to join these classes this year, please email [cambourne.sawston@rcdea.org.uk](mailto:cambourne.sawston@rcdea.org.uk) with details of your child's name, age, and which class/classes they are interested in.

First Holy Communion year 3 and above  
Youth Group Year 4 and above  
Confirmation Year 9 and above

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – SHOE BOX APPEAL –** This message is to encourage you to get involved again, or maybe for the first time, and fill a shoebox. Each box may be the only gift a child will receive. Adding a photo or short message in the box means so much (no address).

There are various ways to get involved:

Fill a whole shoebox with the suggested items (see link below) or **Donate** one or more items or **Make** a donation which can be used to buy items or for transport costs. **Pack** an "online box" - £20, - you can choose the gifts via the website.

<https://shoebonline.samaritians-purse.org.uk>

### **Collection week is NOV 13th-20<sup>th</sup>**

Shoebboxes are available from the kitchen and filled boxes returned there. Any queries please contact Pat Wallman on the Parish mobile 07754-227468

## **GENERAL NEWS**

**Deanery Retreat & Training for Special Ministers of Holy Communion:** at St Philip Howard Church, Cherry Hinton, from 11 am to 3 pm on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2023. Please bring a packed lunch; tea/coffee will be provided. Please register with your co-ordinators (Silvia Hadelar at SJF & Pat Richardson at OLOL).

**Urgent call from Cambridge City FOOD BANK** for volunteers who are available on tuesday, wednesday or thursday mornings or afternoons to help sort and pack food donations into emergency parcels. If you, or someone you know, can support on these days, please email [volunteer@ccfb.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@ccfb.org.uk)

**RADIO MARIA:** You're invited to Radio Maria England's birthday celebration of 4 years of inspiring, educating, and connecting individuals with their faith. We will be gathering at Our Lady of the Assumption and English Martyrs on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October for a Rosary at 6 pm, Mass at 7 pm, and a "Bring and Share" reception in the hall after Mass. It's all free to attend. Full details under "Events" at [www.RadioMariaEngland.uk](http://www.RadioMariaEngland.uk)