SAINT JOHN FISHER COMMUNITY

Roman Catholic Diocese of East Anglia (Charity No. 278742)

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Week beginning: Sunday 28th January 2024 – 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B; Psalter Week 4)

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DATE	OBSERVANCE/ INTENTION	MASS	EVENTS/NOTES
Sat 27 th Jan	Pro Populo	17:00 Vigil Mass	CC Barn Dance
Sun 28 th Jan 4 th Sunday	Racial Justice Day	17:00 Holy Mass	
Mon 29 th Jan	Our Blessed Lady	12:30 Holy Mass	
Tue 30 th Jan	The Pope	12:30 Holy Mass	
Wed 31 st Jan	The unemployed	12:30 Holy Mass	
Thu 1 st Feb	The sick and those who care for them	18:30 Holy Mass	Seeds of Change 16:30-18:00 Church Annexe
Fri 2 nd Feb The Presentation of the Lord	Barrett Family Candlemas Day	18:30 Holy Mass	First Friday devotion after Mass
Sat 3 rd Feb	Our SJF Community	16:30 Rosary 17:00 Vigil Mass	Steering Group meeting after Mass
Sun 4 th Feb <u>5th Sunday</u>	Victims of war and oppression	17:00 Holy Mass	

Parish Donations: please give using the DONA contactless machine, cash at Offertory, or by BACS to our SJF Barclays account: 33031454, sort code: 20-17-20. Last week (20/21 Jan), you gave: Standing Orders £440.54, Offertory £170.40, DONA £NIL

Seeds of Change

Growing through Liturgy of The Word.
Come and join the fun and fellowship! Every term-time Thursday 16:30-18:00 in the Annexe. Opportunity for the whole family.
Contact Michelle R. or Joe C. by email: info@seeds-of-change.org.uk

Racial Justice Sunday

(28th January) "Seeing one another in the life of the Church". We are called to oppose racism everywhere, and to celebrate in the Church 'the diversity of those who have led holy lives and shared God's passion for justice' (Bishop Paul McAleenan). https://www.cbcew.org.uk/racial-justice-sunday/

SJF Steering Group

Meeting after Mass on Sat 3rd Feb, please attend to have a say in and help organise our future Church. Your help is needed!

Pilgrim Cross

If you are a University student or recent graduate, please join the Kettering leg of Pilgrim Cross this Holy Week (22nd-31st Mar) We will walk 120 miles carrying a wooden cross from Kettering to Walsingham, where we will meet with other groups of pilgrims for a unique celebration of Easter. £60 for students/unwaged pilgrims, £110 for low-waged, £200 for the waged. If the price is too much, financial support may be available. For Info email: studentcross.ketteringleg@gmail.com or talk to Pedro or Ana.

Mass of the Anointing of the Sick

Sat 23rd March at OLOL, 14:00 start. For further details or a lift, please contact Mel Ward: 07565 972427

Welcome to Visitors!

We hope you feel welcome and will join us for refreshments after Saturday Mass.

Mass Ministries

Thank you to all who have volunteered.

SATURDAY: we use SPOND for planning set-up, music, readers, liturgy.

Contact Aga: iwaszka@live.com

SUNDAY: help is needed for set-up, music, readers, liturgy, offertory, servers.

Contact Shanti: smpais12@gmail.com.

Retrouvaille

Marriage guidance, hope, and growth.
For info, call or text:
07887 296983/07973 380443
Email: retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com

Rachel's Vineyard

Rachel's Vineyard offers Catholic retreat weekends for those who are suffering after an abortion(s). The next retreat to be held in this Diocese will be 8th-10th March 2024 in Suffolk. Contact Sona on: sona@rachelsvineyard.org.uk or visit: www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk

Our Lady of Lourdes Quiz Night

Fri 22nd March: OLOL Church Hall, Sawston.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Mon 6th May, 12 noon onwards.

Cambourne Church Fundraising Barn Dance Sat 27th January in the Church, doors open at 19:30. Tickets should have been booked, but it may be possible to still come by emailing:

julie.whitbread@cambournechurch.org.uk

CAFOD Co-ordinator at SJF

If you are able to help, speak to Mel Ward.

First Reading (A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy 18:15-20)

Moses said to the people: 'The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like myself, from among yourselves, from your own brothers; to him you must listen.

This is what you yourselves asked of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the Assembly. "Do not let me hear again" you said "the voice of the Lord my God, nor look any longer on this great fire, or I shall die"; and the Lord said to me, "All they have spoken is well said. I will raise up a prophet like yourself for them from their own brothers; I will put my words into his mouth and he shall tell them all I command him. The man who does not listen to my words that he speaks in my name, shall be held answerable to me for it. But the prophet who presumes to say in my name a thing I have not commanded him to say, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die."

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm (Psalms 94(95):1-2,6-9)

(R) O that today you would listen to his voice! 'Harden not your hearts.'.

Come, ring out our joy to the Lord; hail the rock who saves us. Let us come before him, giving thanks, with songs let us hail the Lord. **(R)**

Come in; let us bow and bend low; let us kneel before the God who made us: for he is our God and we the people who belong to his pasture, the flock that is led by his hand. **(R)**

'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah, as on that day at Massah in the desert when your fathers put me to the test; when they tried me, though they saw my work.' (R)

Second Reading (A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 7:32-35)

I would like to see you free from all worry.

An unmarried man can devote himself to the Lord's affairs, all he need worry about is pleasing the Lord; but a married man has to bother about the world's affairs and devote himself to pleasing his wife: he is torn two ways.

In the same way an unmarried woman, like a young girl, can devote herself to the Lord's affairs; all she need worry about is being holy in body and spirit. The married woman, on the other hand, has to worry about the world's affairs and devote herself to pleasing her husband.

I say this only to help you, not to put a halter round your necks, but simply to make sure that everything is as it should be, and that you give your undivided attention to the Lord.

The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation (Matthew 11:15)

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the Kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Gospel (Mark 1:21-28)

Jesus and his disciples went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the sabbath came he went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority.

In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit and it shouted, 'What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.'

But Jesus said sharply, 'Be quiet! Come out of him!' And the unclean spirit threw the man into convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him.

The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. 'Here is a teaching that is new' they said 'and with authority behind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.'

And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside.

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 for our salvation he came down from heaven, (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.