

SAINT JOHN FISHER COMMUNITY

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

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Week beginning: Sunday 3rd March 2024 – 3rd Sunday of Lent

(Year B; Psalter Week 3)

DATE	OBSERVANCE/ INTENTION	MASS	EVENTS/NOTES
Sat 2 nd Mar	Bernhard Hadeler+	16:30 Rosary 17:00 Holy Mass	Stations of the Cross after Mass + Bake Sale
Sun 3 rd Mar <u>3rd Sunday of Lent</u>	Nelson Desouza+	17:00 Holy Mass	
Mon 4 th Mar	Maiekkeith Malgapo+	12:30 Holy Mass	
Tue 5 th Mar	Silga's Father+	12:30 Holy Mass	
Wed 6 th Mar	Archbishop Peter Smith+	12:30 Holy Mass	
Thu 7 th Mar	Intentions of Ines & Antonio	18:30 Holy Mass	Seeds of Change 16:30-18:00 (Annex)
Fri 8 th Mar	St Felix	18:30 Holy Mass	Benediction and Confession after Mass
Sat 9 th Mar	A Day with Jesus	17:00 Holy Mass	SJF Lent Retreat Day. Stations of the Cross after Mass
Sun 10 th Mar <u>4th Sunday of Lent</u>	John and Clara D'mello+	17:00 Holy Mass (Laetare Sunday)	

Parish Donations: please give using: contactless machine, cash at Offertory, this QR code, or BACS to our SJF Barclays account: 33031454, sort: 20-17-20. Cambourne donations to Fr Charles MSP (17/18 Feb) £438 + share of £790 DONA



Welcome to Visitors!

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

Mass Ministries

SATURDAY: we use SPOND for planning help with 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.

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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

SJF Lent Retreat Day

A Day With Jesus: Experience the power of fire Sat 9th March at Cambourne Church.

10:30-16:30 followed by 17:00 Mass.

Well-known Catholic evangelist

Derek Williams will be conducting this retreat with his team. Come and experience the healing and power of the Holy Spirit.

To register, email: najram@hotmail.com

First Holy Communion Bake Sale

Sat 2nd March after 5pm Mass. Please bring baked donations and cash to support our young people fundraising for CAFOD.

Sympathies

Silga's Father passed away on Thu 29th Feb in India. Our sympathies with her and her family.

Rachel's Vineyard

Rachel's Vineyard offers Catholic retreat weekends for those who are suffering after an abortion(s). 8th-10th Mar in Suffolk.

Contact: sona@rachelsvineyard.org.uk or visit: www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk

SJF Young People's Enrichment Day

'How do I know God, and how does He reveal Himself to me?' Sat 16th March, 15:00-16:45 in the Annexe with

Sr. Catherine COLW. Registration now open! Email Michelle: info@seeds-of-change.org.uk

Our Lady of Lourdes Quiz Night

Fri 22nd March: 19:00 for 19:30 start, OLOL Church Hall, Sawston. Suggested donation £5 (or more if you like!) proceeds to Mary's Meals (feeding school children in developing world). Up to 8 players per table, bring and share food and drinks.

Contact Bernie: bjflood@timicomail.co.uk phone/text: 07808 296383

Holy Week 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) Email: studentcross.ketteringleg@gmail.com

Mass of the Anointing of the Sick

Sat 23rd March at OLOL, 14:00 start.

For details/lift, contact Mel: 07565 972427

Chrism Mass

Tue 26th March, 11.30, St John the Baptist Cathedral, Norwich, NR2 2PA. Free coach leaving Cambourne 08:30; return should be back in Cambourne around 17:00.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Mon 6th May, 12 noon onwards.

First Reading *(A reading from the Book of Exodus 20:1-17)*

God spoke all these words. He said, 'I am the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

'You shall have no gods except me.

'You shall not make yourself a carved image or any likeness of anything in heaven or on earth beneath or in the waters under the earth; you shall not bow down to them or serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God and I punish the father's fault in the sons, the grandsons, and the great-grandsons of those who hate me; but I show kindness to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

'You shall not utter the name of the Lord your God to misuse it, for the Lord will not leave unpunished the man who utters his name to misuse it.

'Remember the sabbath day and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work, but the seventh day is a sabbath for the Lord your God. You shall do no work that day, neither you nor your son nor your daughter nor your servants, men or women, nor your animals nor the stranger who lives with you. For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth and the sea and all that these hold, but on the seventh day he rested; that is why the Lord has blessed the sabbath day and made it sacred.

'Honour your father and your mother so that you may have a long life in the land that the Lord your God has given to you.

'You shall not kill.

'You shall not commit adultery.

'You shall not steal.

'You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour.

'You shall not covet your neighbour's house. You shall not covet your neighbour's wife, or his servant, man or woman, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is his.'

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm *(Psalms 18(19):8-11)*

(R) You, Lord, have the message of eternal life.

The law of the Lord is perfect, it revives the soul.

The rule of the Lord is to be trusted, it gives wisdom to the simple. **(R)**

The precepts of the Lord are right, they gladden the heart.

The command of the Lord is clear, it gives light to the eyes. **(R)**

The fear of the Lord is holy, abiding for ever.

The decrees of the Lord are truth and all of them just. **(R)**

They are more to be desired than gold, than the purest of gold and sweeter are they than honey, than honey from the comb. **(R)**

Second Reading *(A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 1:22-25)*

While the Jews demand miracles and the Greeks look for wisdom, here are we preaching a crucified Christ; to the Jews an obstacle that they cannot get over, to the pagans madness, but to those who have been called, whether they are Jews or Greeks, a Christ who is the power and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation *(John 3:16)*

Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!

God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son:

everyone who believes in him has eternal life.

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Gospel *(John 2:13-25)*

Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money-changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money-changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market.' Then his disciples remembered the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up.' The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said.

During his stay in Jerusalem for the Passover many believed in his name when they saw the signs that he gave, but Jesus knew them all and did not trust himself to them; he never needed evidence about any man; he could tell what a man had in him.

The Apostle's 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.