

SAINT JOHN FISHER COMMUNITY

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

Place of Worship: Church Centre, High Street, Cambourne, Cambridgeshire, CB23 6GW

Presbytery: Our Lady of Lourdes, 135 High Street, Sawston, Cambridgeshire, CB22 3HJ

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Week beginning: Sunday 28th April – 5th Sunday of Easter
(Year B; Psalter Week 1)

| DATE | OBSERVANCE/ INTENTION | MASS | EVENTS/NOTES |
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| Sat 27 th Apr | Baptism of Alexander | 17:00 Holy Mass | |
| Sun 28 th Apr <u>5th Sunday of Easter</u> | Detlef Stuhler+ | 17:00 Holy Mass | |
| Mon 29 th Apr | Our Blessed Lady | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Tue 30 th Apr | Day of Prayer for Survivors of Sexual Abuse | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Wed 1 st May | Day of Prayer for God's blessing on human work | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Thu 2 nd May | St George, Norwich | 18:30 Holy Mass | Seeds of Change 16:30-18:00 (Annex) Bible Timeline - part II 19:00 (Blue Space) |
| Fri 3 rd May | Rizalina Baldemoro+ | 18:30 Holy Mass | First Friday Devotion after Mass |
| Sat 4 th May | The English Martyrs | 17:00 Holy Mass | 16:30 Rosary |
| Sun 5 th May <u>6th Sunday of Easter</u> | Valentine and Bessy+ and their three daughters | 17:00 Holy Mass | |

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.

In March, you gave: Offertory £1,203; Standing Orders £2,418; DONA £98



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: we use a WhatsApp group to plan help: set-up, music, readers, liturgy, offertory.

Contact Shanti: smpais12@gmail.com.

Seeds of Change

Growing through Liturgy of The Word and Music. 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

Bible Timeline – part II

Every Thursday, 19:00 at the Blue Space, Cambourne. Contact Mary (mary@mansfield.co.uk) or Najra (najram@hotmail.com)

Annual Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Mon 6th May, 12 noon onwards.

There will be a coach leaving:

Cambourne at 08:30

Sawston at 09:00

Those wishing to go please put your name on the list which Fr John will provide.

Diocesan Marriage & Family Life Mass

Sat 1st June, starting 11:30

at Norwich Cathedral, NR2 2PA.

Couples who are celebrating special wedding anniversaries this year, please email: mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk for more information.

Anointing Fire Catholic Ministries (AFCM)

First Saturday Transform Conference

Please come to a Spirit-filled afternoon on Sat 4th May at Our Lady of Lourdes,

Sawston, 16:00-19:00. Praise & Worship, Talks, Adoration and Healing Ministry, with Br Sales Sebastian, a Catholic Lay Evangelist.

Everyone welcome; free parking.

More info from Janeth (07404 241123)

Holy Rosary

Takes place before Mass on the first Saturday of each month from 16:30.

Parents and children are also most welcome. Anyone can pray the mystery in their own mother tongue if they would like.

Altar Servers

All servers must be registered with Silvia (shlucato@gmail.com). We need adults willing to oversee our servers on both Sat and Sun, as they do a great job but need consistent support and guidance. DBS and any training will be arranged. Contact Mel.

Parish Prayer

Heavenly Father, we come before You to praise You and to thank You for the great gift of our parish and the community we have here. Holy and just God, we thank you for touching the hearts and the life of each parishioner. Keep us from pure self-serving behaviour and stir us to serve people who are most in need of your mercy. Lord, grant that each family might live their specific vocation to holiness in the Church as a call to become missionary disciples, in the service of life and peace, in communion with our priests, religious, and all vocations in the Church. Amen.

First Reading *(A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31)*

When Saul got to Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him: they could not believe he was really a disciple.

Barnabas, however, took charge of him, introduced him to the apostles, and explained how the Lord had appeared to Saul and spoken to him on his journey, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus.

Saul now started to go round with them in Jerusalem, preaching fearlessly in the name of the Lord. But after he had spoken to the Hellenists, and argued with them, they became determined to kill him. When the brothers knew, they took him to Caesarea, and sent him off from there to Tarsus.

The churches throughout Judaea, Galilee and Samaria were now left in peace, building themselves up, living in the fear of the Lord, and filled with the consolation of the Holy Spirit.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm *(Psalms 21(22):26-28,30-32)*

(R) You, Lord, are my praise in the great assembly.

My vows I will pay before those who fear him.

The poor shall eat and shall have their fill.

They shall praise the Lord, those who seek him.

May their hearts live for ever and ever! **(R)**

All the earth shall remember and return to the Lord, all families of the nations worship before him; They shall worship him, all the mighty of the earth; before him shall bow all who go down to the dust. **(R)**

And my soul shall live for him, my children serve him.

They shall tell of the Lord to generations yet to come, declare his faithfulness to peoples yet unborn: 'These things the Lord has done.' **(R)**

Second Reading *(A reading from first letter of St John: 3:18-24)*

My children, our love is not to be just words or mere talk, but something real and active; only by this can we be certain that we are children of the truth, and be able to quieten our conscience in his presence, whatever accusations it may raise against us, because God is greater than our conscience and he knows everything.

My dear people, if we cannot be condemned by our own conscience, we need not be afraid in God's presence, and whatever we ask him, we shall receive, because we keep his commandments and live the kind of life that he wants.

His commandments are these: that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ, and that we love one another as he told us to. Whoever keeps his commandments lives in God and God lives in him. We know that he lives in us by the Spirit that he has given us.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation *(John 15:4,5)*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Make your home in me, as I make mine in you.

Whoever remains in me bears fruit in plenty.

Alleluia

Gospel *(John 15:1-8)*

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in me that bears no fruit he cuts away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes to make it bear even more. You are pruned already, by means of the word that I have spoken to you.

Make your home in me, as I make mine in you. As a branch cannot bear fruit all by itself, but must remain part of the vine, neither can you unless you remain in me.

I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me, with me in him, bears fruit in plenty; for cut off from me you can do nothing. Anyone who does not remain in me is like a branch that has been thrown away – he withers; these branches are collected and thrown on the fire, and they are burnt.

If you remain in me and my words remain in you, you may ask what you will and you shall get it. It is to the glory of my Father that you should bear much fruit, and then you will be my disciples."

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, *(all bow)* 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.