

SAINT JOHN FISHER COMMUNITY

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

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Week beginning: Sunday 12th May – 7th Sunday of Easter
(Year B; Psalter Week 3)

| DATE | OBSERVANCE/ INTENTION | MASS | EVENTS/NOTES |
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| Sat 11 th May | John and Clara Desouza+ | 17:00 Holy Mass | |
| Sun 12 th May <u>7th Sunday of Easter</u> | World Communications Day | 17:00 Holy Mass | Second collection: Catholic Communications |
| Mon 13 th May | Hong's Sister | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Tue 14 th May | St Matthias | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Wed 15 th May | Our Blessed Lady | 12:30 Holy Mass | |
| Thu 16 th May | St Luke, Peterborough | 18:30 Holy Mass | Seeds of Change 16:30-18:00 (Annex) Bible Timeline - part II 19:00 (The Hub) |
| Fri 17 th May | For the Formation of Religious, Monks, Nuns, and Seminarists | 18:30 Holy Mass | |
| Sat 18 th May | For our First Communicants and Their Families | 17:00 Holy Mass | FHC Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| Sun 19 th May <u>Pentecost Sunday</u> | For The Church | 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 April, you gave: Offertory £580; Stand. Orders £2,517; DONA £138, Donations £10,755



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

now at **The Hub**, Cambourne.

Contact Mary (mary@mansfield.co.uk) or Najra (najram@hotmail.com)

Children's Walsingham Pilgrimage

In the Half Term Holiday: Tue 28th May FREE coach leaving Cambourne at 07:30, Sawston at 08:00. Those wishing to go, put your name on the list which Fr John has. The day will end with a trip to the seaside, subject to favourable weather conditions!!

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.

Fr John's Silver Celebration

On Sat 22nd June, after 17:00 Mass, we will celebrate Fr John's 25 years since ordination with a SJF Community dinner gathering and party.

To be part of the organising team, please contact Shanti: smpais12@gmail.com.

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.

Not to be Served, but to Serve

Those supporting and training our fantastic altar servers are having to step down and we urgently need someone(s) to oversee and encourage them and enable parents to supervise them each week.

Contact Fr John ASAP if you can help.

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 1:15-17,20-26*)

One day Peter stood up to speak to the brothers – there were about a hundred and twenty persons in the congregation:

‘Brothers, the passage of Scripture had to be fulfilled in which the Holy Spirit, speaking through David, foretells the fate of Judas, who offered himself as a guide to the men who arrested Jesus – after having been one of our number and actually sharing this ministry of ours. Now in the Book of Psalms it says:

Let someone else take his office.

‘We must therefore choose someone who has been with us the whole time that the Lord Jesus was travelling round with us, someone who was with us right from the time when John was baptising until the day when he was taken up from us – and he can act with us as a witness to his resurrection.’

Having nominated two candidates, Joseph known as Barsabbas, whose surname was Justus, and Matthias, they prayed, ‘Lord, you can read everyone’s heart; show us therefore which of these two you have chosen to take over this ministry and apostolate, which Judas abandoned to go to his proper place.’

They then drew lots for them, and as the lot fell to Matthias, he was listed as one of the twelve apostles.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm (*Psalms 102 (103):1-2,11-12,19-20*)

(R) The Lord has set his sway in heaven.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord all my being, bless his holy name.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord and never forget all his blessings. **(R)**

For as the heavens are high above the earth so strong is his love for those who fear him. As far as the east is from the west so far does he remove our sins. **(R)**

The Lord has set his sway in heaven and his kingdom is ruling over all.

Give thanks to the Lord, all his angels, mighty in power, fulfilling his word. **(R)**

Second Reading (*A reading from first letter of St John 4:11-16*)

My dear people, since God has loved us so much, we too should love one another. No one has ever seen God; but as long as we love one another, God will live in us and his love will be complete in us.

We can know that we are living in him, and he is living in us because he lets us share his Spirit. We ourselves saw and we testify that the Father sent his Son as Saviour of the world. If anyone acknowledges that Jesus is the Son of God, God lives in him, and he in God.

We ourselves have known and put our faith in God’s love towards ourselves. God is love and anyone who lives in love lives in God, and God lives in him.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation (*John 14:18*)

Alleluia, alleluia!

I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord;

I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy.

Alleluia

Gospel (*John 17:11-19*)

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said:

‘Holy Father, keep those you have given me true to your name, so that they may be one like us. While I was with them, I kept those you had given me true to your name. I have watched over them and not one is lost except the one who chose to be lost, and this was to fulfil the scriptures.

But now I am coming to you, and while still in the world I say these things to share my joy with them to the full.

I passed your word on to them, and the world hated them, because they belong to the world no more than I belong to the world. I am not asking you to remove them from the world, but to protect them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world any more than I belong to the world.

Consecrate them in the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world, and for their sake I consecrate myself so that they too may be consecrated in truth.’

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.