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 Website: http://cambournerc.com Facebook: CambourneCatholicChurch

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Week beginning: Sunday 29th September 2024 – 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B; Psalter Week 2)

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DATE	OBSERVANCE/ INTENTION	MASS	EVENTS/NOTES
Sat 28 th Sep	Our Lady on Saturday	17:00 Holy Mass	
Sun 29 th Sep 26 th Sunday	For our Young People	17:00 Holy Mass	Confirmation meeting after Mass
Mon 30 th Sep	For the Sick	12:30 Holy Mass	
Tue 1 st Oct	St Hugh of Lincoln, Buckden	12:30 Holy Mass	
Wed 2 nd Oct	For the Poor	12:30 Holy Mass	
Thu 3 rd Oct	For the Pope	18:30 Holy Mass	
Fri 4 th Oct	For Justice and Peace in the World	18:30 Holy Mass	First Friday Devotion after Mass
Sat 5 th Oct	For the work of CAFOD	16:30 Rosary 17:00 Holy Mass	CAFOD Harvest Fast Cake Sale after Mass
Sun 6 th Oct 27 th Sunday	For the Fruits of Human Work and the Reverent Use of Creation	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 August, you generously gave:

Offertory = £706; Standing Orders = £3,992; DONA = £24; Thank you!

Last weekend's SJF Mass attendances: 21st Sep = 115 22nd Sep = 64



Welcome to Visitors!

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

Mass Ministries

SATURDAY: We use a WhatsApp group to plan help: lifts, set-up, offertory, communion, and refreshments. Contact Silvia: shlucato@gmail.com We use SPOND for music, readers, and 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.

First Holy Communion/Confirmation 2025

First Holy Communion will now **not** run in 2025 due to too few registrations. People are encouraged to book early for 2026. Confirmation for candidates aged 13+ will still be running and there is a parent/candidate meeting on 29th Sep after Mass, email your interest to Paul: confirmation@cambournerc.com

'Bake, Pray, Stay & Pay' **Cake Sale for CAFOD Harvest Fast**

Sat 5th October after 17:00 Mass. Let's celebrate 'good news to the poor' in our traditional generous SJF way! Visit Cafod.org.uk to find out more about their support for vocational training. Donations of cakes very welcome indeed! (labelled with ingredients, please)

Please bring cash...

Contact Mel (07565 972427)

Radio Maria England 5th Birthday Fundraiser

Wed 9th October: St Mary's School, Bateman Street, Cambridge. Join us to celebrate the wonderful mission of our locally based Catholic radio station which spreads the gospel worldwide with hope, happiness and holiness at a Ceilidh dance and buffet. All welcome! Thank you! https://radiomariaengland.uk/events-2/

Fundraising for Missio

We will be having a Missio International Food Fundraising Sale after Mass on both Sat 19th and Sun 20th October.

Please prepare to bring in food as well as purchasing and enjoying as a community.

Altar Servers

Annie Joseph and Alwyn Lobo have kindly volunteered to oversee the servers. **ALL** parents of servers and those wishing to serve MUST be members of the SJF ALTAR SERVERS WhatsApp group to enable this. Children under 16 should not come to Mass unaccompanied, even for serving.

First Friday Devotion

On the first Friday of every month, all are invited to stay after 18:30 Mass for **Eucharist Adoration and Confession.**

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.

First Reading (A reading from the book of Numbers 11:25-29)

The Lord came down in the Cloud. He spoke with Moses, but took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the spirit came on them they prophesied, but not again.

Two men had stayed back in the camp; one was called Eldad and the other Medad. The spirit came down on them; though they had not gone to the Tent, their names were enrolled among the rest. These began to prophesy in the camp. The young man ran to tell this to Moses, 'Look,' he said 'Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.' Then said Joshua the son of Nun, who had served Moses from his youth, 'My Lord Moses, stop them!' Moses answered him, 'Are you jealous on my account? If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets, and the Lord gave his Spirit to them all!'

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm (Psalms 18(19):8,10,12-14)

(R) The precepts of the Lord gladden the heart.

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 fear of the Lord is holy, abiding for ever.

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

So in them your servant finds instruction; great reward is in their keeping. But who can detect all his errors? From hidden faults acquit me. **(R)**

From presumption restrain your servant and let it not rule me. Then shall I be blameless, clean from grave sin. (R)

Second Reading (A reading from the letter of St James 5:1-6)

An answer for the rich. Start crying, weep for the miseries that are coming to you. Your wealth is all rotting, your clothes are all eaten up by moths. All your gold and your silver are corroding away, and the same corrosion will be your own sentence, and eat into your body. It was a burning fire that you stored up as your treasure for the last days. Labourers mowed your fields, and you cheated them — listen to the wages that you kept back, calling out; realise that the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. On earth you have had a life of comfort and luxury; in the time of slaughter you went on eating to your heart's content. It was you who condemned the innocent and killed them; they offered you no resistance.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation (John 17:17)

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord: consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

Gospel (Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48)

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

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, (all 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.