

Liturgies this week

At English Martyrs, Cambridge:

SAT 12 MAR
18:00 Ethel Page (F)

SUN 13 MAR Lent Feria
08:00 Sheila Conklin RIP
09:30 J Leach (F)
10:45 Tony Scott RIP
12:15 POLISH MASS
17:00 Rita Tringali (Sick)
18:15 People of the Parish

MON 14 MAR Lent Feria
08:00 Omolaraeni Adadevoh Thanksgiving
12.15 Emily Gallagher (Sick)

TUE 15 MAR Lent Feria
08:00 Rita Tringali (Sick)
17.30 Confessions
18.15 Emily Gallagher (Sick)

WED 16 MAR Lent Feria
08:00 Edward Hung (F)
12.15 Michael Rogowitzow RIP

THU 17 MAR S PATRICK
08.00 Thanksgiving
12.15 Janina Margas (F)

FRI 18 MAR Lent Feria
08.00 Tessie & Arthur Jones (F)
10.30 Requiem-Tony Roberts RIP
12.15 Rita Tringali (Sick)
19.30 Stations of the Cross

SAT 19 MAR S JOSEPH
09:00 Confessions
10.00 Alessio Maiorana RIP
10.30 Confessions
16.30 Confessions
18.00 Harold Lister (F)

At Our Lady of Lourdes, Sawston:

SUN 13 MAR
08:45 Priest's Intention
11:15 Holy Souls

MON 14 MAR Lent Feria
09:30 Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion

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THU 17 MAR S PATRICK
09.30 C M Maphai RIP

FRI 18 MAR Lent Feria
09.30 Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion
19.30 Stations of the Cross

At St. Vincent de Paul, Ditton:

SUN 13 MAR
10:15 Eileen Deane RIP

At Cambourne Mass Centre:

SAT 12 MAR
17:00 Priest's Intention

SAT 19 MAR
17:00 Priest's Intention

At Bar Hill Mass Centre:

SAT 12 MAR
18:00 Patricia Elliott RIP

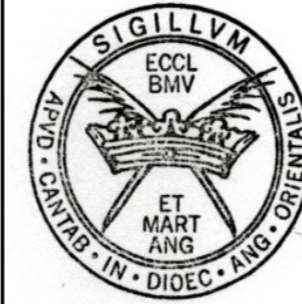
SAT 19 MAR
18.00 People of the Parish

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AT ENGLISH MARTYRS

Monday/Tuesday /Friday 14.30 – 15.30
Wednesday 10.30 – 11.30 and 14.30 – 15.30
Thursday 10.30 – 11.30 and 14.30 – 15.30
Saturday 10.30 – 11.30

OTHER MASSES IN THE PARISH

Blackfriars Priory, Buckingham Road, Cambridge
Sundays at 08.15, 09.15 (Extraordinary Form), 11.00, 18.00
Weekdays at 07.30. Saturdays at 09.30
St. Edmund's College, Mount Pleasant, Cambridge Sundays
at 10.30



Parish of Our Lady & the English Martyrs, Cambridge and Our Lady of Lourdes, Sawston

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NEWSLETTER

13 Mar 2016 Fifth Sunday in Lent: Year C Psalter: Week 1

This Sunday marks the third anniversary of the election of Pope Francis. His papacy has been marked by a focus on openness, forgiveness and mercy – summed up, perhaps, in his oft quoted remark: 'Who am I to judge?' So prevalent is his focus on God's mercy that Pope Francis has declared this a Jubilee Year of Mercy – a special year to receive blessings from God and remission of sins. Many of us will make pilgrimage to one of the holy doors in our diocese – St. John's Cathedral, Norwich and the Slipper Chapel at the National Marian Shrine at Walsingham. Pope Francis encourages us to seize the opportunity and to open wide the doors of our heart.

TODAY'S MASS

FIRST READING: -ISAIAH 43:16-21
See, I am doing a new deed, and I will give my chosen people drink.

PSALM PS 125 R.3

RESPONSE:

What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

SECOND READING: PHIL 3:8-14

Reproducing the pattern of his death, I have accepted the loss of everything for Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

*Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!
Seek good and not evil so that you may live,
and that the Lord God of hosts may really be with you.*

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

GOSPEL: JOHN 8:1-11

*If there is one among you who has not sinned,
let him be the first to throw a stone at her..*

Please pray for:

- Those who have been brought into God's family through the Sacrament of Baptism .
- Those who are sick, especially Antoinette Askin, Nonie Hawke, Cathie Green, Fr Pat Shanahan, Olwyn Bagstaff, Christopher Browne, Maria Haynes, Mary Wallace, , Rita Tringali, Teresa Foley, Mike Gilpin, Fr David Hennessy, Ronald Mackie, Matthew Morgan, Maureen Rogers , David Evans, Louis Barbara and Debbie Carminati.
- Those who have died, especially Tony Roberts & John Harney. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.
- Those who are to be baptised, Alysha Buttress, Caroline Smith & Ruby Thurston.
- Those who are to be received, Janet Mercer-Wall, Oliver Rudland, Joseph Scott, Grecia Margarita Gonzalez, Gabriele Voto & Daniel Vera Lias Martins.
- All whose anniversaries of death that occur at this time.

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COPY Deadline
Wednesday 12 noon

FR. PETER. After six years with us the Bishop has given Fr. Peter six months sabbatical leave, beginning on Low Sunday (the Sunday after Easter – 3rd April), his first sabbatical leave in thirty-eight years as a priest. After this Fr. Peter will receive a new appointment. In due course we will have an opportunity to say farewell to Fr. Peter and to express our appreciation for his ministry in Cambridge. A plan is in place, by which Bishop Alan will ensure a smooth changeover and the continuing pastoral care and leadership of our parish.

FR. ANTHONY SMMM is moving to Great Yarmouth parish on Monday to assist Fr. Philip Shryane, who has care of two parishes, Yarmouth and Gorleston. Fr. Anthony's help is urgently needed, not just in Holy Week and Easter, but permanently. We thank Fr. Anthony for his ministry among us and wish him every blessing. Fr. Anthony will shortly be joined by another SMMM Father and be given pastoral charge of one of the parishes.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS. These will be celebrated at OLEM every Friday during Lent at 19.30.

PARISH PENITENTIAL SERVICE: with confessions will be celebrated on Monday 21st March at 19.30.

MASS OF ANOINTING: Will be celebrated at 15.00 on Saturday 19th March at **Our Lady of Lourdes in Sawston**, followed by the usual tea in the Parish Hall. The Society of St Vincent de Paul are able to offer transport to and from Mass. Please phone the Rectory between 09.00 and 14.00 on weekdays if you require assistance. Anointing of the Sick is the Sacrament by which those who have health worries, or bear the burden of the years receive comfort, strength and the grace of healing.

EASTER LILIES: You are invited to dedicate a lily in memory of a relative or friend as part of the Easter celebrations. Names will be recorded in a Book of Remembrance and Mass offered on your behalf. Please send your donation of £5 per lily to Jeremy Wong at the Rectory together with your clearly written dedication. Cheques should be made payable to OLEM.

DIOCESAN NEWSPAPER: Copies of the Easter edition are available from the back of church.

THE DOMINICANS at Blackfriars Priory on Castle Hill are holding an evening session for Young Adults on **'How to Evangelize'**, on Tuesday March 15th at 18.15. Led by Fr Nicholas Crowe, O. P., it will begin with Vespers and Benediction and end with a Buffet Supper. Anyone in the 18 to 35 age range is warmly invited to attend.

VOCATIONS: On Sunday 20th March at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist, Norwich, for those interested in learning more about a vocation to the priesthood, come and meet with Bishop Alan, the Vocations Directors and other likeminded enquirers who want to learn more about the priesthood and perhaps the possibility that God might be calling them to this vocation. The day begins with Mass in the Cathedral at 11.00, celebrated by Bishop Alan, then lunch together and time for informal discussion. We will end at 15.30 with Benediction. Please e-mail frmichaelcollis@hotmail.co.uk for more details or to confirm attendance.

ORGAN TUNERS: will be in church on Tuesday 15th March. Please note there will be no Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

THE CHRISM MASS will be celebrated on Tuesday, 22nd March (Tuesday of Holy Week) at 19.00 at St. John's Cathedral, Norwich. A FREE coach will depart at 17.00 from St. Philip Howard Catholic Church, Walpole Road where there is ample car parking, thus avoiding rush hour congestion in the city centre. Please phone the parish office to reserve your FREE seat.

HOLY WEEK DISCERNMENT RETREAT IN SWAFFHAM: The Daughters of Divine Charity invite young women aged 16-35 for a weekend retreat of prayer, workshops and spiritual direction from the evening of 18th to 3pm on 20th March. For more information please email fdc-sisters@gmail.com or phone Sister Linda 07768 780959.

THE DIOCESAN YOUTH SERVICE: wish to appoint three people to join the Ignite team. These are full-time residential positions, sharing the Gospel Message in schools and parishes, in a way young people can relate to including using music, drama and tech. Please see www.rcdea.org/youth for more information.

MEDJUGORJE: Our 2016 Medjugorje visit has been arranged for the 20th-27th September. Flying from Stansted airport to Split, the cost of the trip is £539 per person. If you are interested and would like further details, please call Nessa Tjinakiet on 01223 860871 or e-mail tjinakiet@hotmail.com.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Saturday 23rd March, St George's Day. Afternoon tea and entertainment, more details to follow.

ADDENBROOKES HOSPITAL: To arrange Holy Communion or a visit contact the Chaplaincy office directly on 01223 217769. Please check with the Ward Clerk that the patient is registered as a Catholic and that the patient has ticked the box giving their permission for a priest or a member of the Chaplaincy team to visit

NEWS FROM OUR LADY & ENGLISH MARTYRS

CARDS SUITABLE FOR EASTER: handstitched by Albanian Women will be on sale at the back of the church, after the Sunday morning Masses as long as supply lasts. We hope you will support the charity 'Mary Ward Loreto Foundation'. Thank you.

TRAIDCRAFT STALL; this week the Justice and Peace group hold our monthly stall in the Parish Hall after 09:30 and 10:45 Masses. Please visit us for a wide range of fairly traded goods.

YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS: A monthly group for those aged 18-35. The next meeting will start at 18:30 on 21 March (Monday of Holy Week) in the parish centre behind the Church. New faces are very welcome! We will begin with a short bring and share supper, followed by watching a film together starting from 7pm sharp. Email olemyoung-catholicadults@gmail.com if you have any questions.

HOLY WEEK 7-UP EVENTS: On Saturday 19th /Sunday 20th there will be a sleepover which starts at 19.30 and includes games, supper and watching a film. Pick up after the 10.45 Mass. On Good Friday after the Liturgy of the Lord's Passion you are invited to the Hot Cross Bun making session in the Parish Centre. For more information please e-mail enquiries@7-up.org.uk

TEA/COFFEES AFTER MASS: Please join us in the Parish Hall for tea or coffee, following the 09.30 and 10.45 Masses each Sunday

ROSARY & PRAYER GROUPS: The Rosary Group meets on Saturdays from 10:45. The Prayer Group meets on Mondays at 12:45. Please join us in the Parish Centre Music Room

NEWS FROM OUR LADY OF LOURDES

APF/MISSIO : box holders - Please leave the red boxes at the back of the Church ready for counting, and take the Spring edition of Mission Today home with you. You donated £901.90 in 2015 which will make a huge difference to Churches in developing countries around the world. Thank you for your continued generosity

MORNING PRAYER : Morning prayer will be said from Monday to Friday throughout Lent in the Church at 09:15.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS : The Way of the Cross will be celebrated in Malayalam every Friday during Lent at 17:30. and in English at 19.30.

SILENT PRAYER : Please join us for silent prayer in the Church every Thursday from 19:00 to 19:30. During Lent this will be accompanied by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

TEA/COFFEE AFTER MASS : Please join us for tea or coffee in the house after 08:45 Mass, and in the Hall after 11:15 Mass on Sunday.

NEWS FROM ST VINCENT DE PAUL

TEA/COFFEE & CAKE: will be served after Mass today. Please join us if you can!

THE BIG PICTURE COURSE: if you pre-ordered a copy, these are now available from Debbie or Gerard after Mass. If you are interested in following the course, either individually or in a small group, you can start the course at any time. Spare copies of the book and DVD are available – cost £10.

LAST WEEK'S PARISH OFFERING

Standing Orders	£ 3,140
Offertory Collection	£ 2,657

HOLY MATRIMONY AND BAPTISM
By appointment with the Clergy. For holy matrimony, 6 months' notice is required.

**For safety reasons, ALL children MUST
be accompanied to the toilet by a parent or adult
carer.**

MARRIAGE CARE
The local Marriage Care Centre
for Cambridge and Newmarket
Contact Number 0800 389 3801