

THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK

**At English Martyrs, Cambridge:**

**SAT 25 JUN**  
 18:00 Nina Bullman (F)

**SUN 26 JUN Feria**  
 08:00 Lawrence Ward (F)  
 09:30 Jang & Eleanor Simmons (F)  
 10:45 People of the Parish  
 12:15 POLISH MASS  
 17:00 Violet & Ralph Britcher (F)  
 (Latin)18:15 Luiz Fernando Mello

**MON 27 JUN Feria**  
 07:30 LAUDS - St Andrew's Chapel  
 08:00 McAndrew Family RIP  
 12:15 Louis Madill RIP  
 17:45 VESPER - St Andrew's Chapel

**TUE 28 JUN S Irenaeus**  
 07:30 LAUDS - St Andrew's Chapel  
 08:00 George Gregory -Thanksgiving  
 12:15 Sarah  
 (New time) 16:45 Confessions -Holy Souls Chapel  
 (Vigil)18:15 Margaret & Cedric Brown (F)

**WED 29 JUN SS PETER & PAUL**  
 07:30 LAUDS - St Andrew's Chapel  
 08:00 Staff of Paston House St Mary's (F)  
 09:30 St Alban's School Mass  
 11:00 St Mary's Snr School Mass  
 12:15 Margolin & Samuels Families RIP  
 17:45 VESPER - St Andrew's Chapel  
 18:15 People of the Parish

**THU 30 JUN Feria**  
 07:30 LAUDS - St Andrew's Chapel  
 08:00 Tunde Banjoko  
 11:30 Mass at St Georges Court  
 12:15 Janet Elizabeth Trapp (F)  
 17:45 VESPER - St Andrew's Chapel  
 (Latin)18:15 Martha Harrison (F)

**FRI 01 JUL Feria**  
 07:30 LAUDS - St Andrew's Chapel  
 08:00 Judith Esthera Monica-Thanksgiving  
 12.15 Basil Porter (F)  
 17:45 VESPER - St Andrew's Chapel

**SAT 02 JUL Feria**  
 09:00 Confessions  
 10.00 Mae Clay (F)  
 10.30 Confessions  
 10:30 Rosary  
 16:30 Confessions  
 18:00 Margaret Howard RIP

**At Our Lady of Lourdes, Sawston:**

**135 High Street , Sawston, Cambs CB22 3HL**

**SUN 26 JUN**  
 08:45 Holy Souls  
 11:15 Priest's Intention

**MON 27 JUN**  
 09:30 Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion

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 09:30 Priest's Intention

**THU 30 JUN**  
 09.30 Janet Elizabeth Trapp (F)

**FRI 01 JUL**  
 09.:30 Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion

**SAT 02 JUL**  
 09:30 Confessions

**At St. Vinc ent de Paul, Ditton:**

**30 Ditton Lane, Cambridge, CB5 8SP**

**SUN 26 JUN**  
 10:15 John Campbell RIP

**At Cambourne Mass Centre:**

**Jeavons Lane, Cambourne, Cambs, CB23 6AF**

**SAT 25 JUN**  
 17:00 Bridget Barrett

**WED 29 JUN SS PETER & PAUL**  
 19:00 People of the Parish

**SAT 02 JUL**  
 17.00 Andrew Calpin RIP

**At Bar Hill Mass Centre:**

**Hanover Close, Bar Hill, Cambs, CB23 8EH**

**SAT 25 JUN**  
 18:00 Holy Souls

**SAT 02 JUL**  
 18:00 Priest's Intention

**Eucharistic Adoration At English Martyrs**

**Monday** 11:00-12:00 - Main Altar  
**Tuesday** 11:00-12:00 - Main Altar  
**Wednesday** NO ADORATION  
**Thursday** 11:00-12:00 - Main Altar  
**Friday** 11:00-12:00 - Main Altar

**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



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**NEWSLETTER**

26 June 2016 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year C Psalter Week 1

**THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS**

**1 Kings 19:16. 19-21** This story is clearly chosen by the Church to pair with the latter part of the Gospel reading - or even possibly the reverse, for Jesus' call to the unnamed disciple seems to be modelled on Elijah's call to Elisha. Elisha must have been a rich man to have twelve yoke of oxen ploughing his field – a large field and a hefty herd. Elijah's gesture of throwing his mantle over Elisha is to claim Elisha as his own. When Elijah is taken up to heaven his mantle falls on Elisha again, giving him a double share of his spirit. By slaughtering the oxen and burning the tackle Elisha destroys his own livelihood, but he is allowed to take leave of his family before taking up the life of a prophet. Elijah was a fearless prophet of Israel, inspired by the vision of God (at the cave on Mount Horeb) and uncompromisingly defending the rights of God against idolatry (by the prophets of Baal) and injustice even by the king (appropriating Naboth's vineyard). Elijah was expected to come again to herald the final coming of God, and many saw him in John the Baptist. Elisha was perhaps more a political operator, furthering God's plans by the appointment of rulers.

**Galatians 5:1. 13-18** St Paul is still, as last Sunday, warning the Galatians against regarding themselves as bound by the Jewish Law. The Law, he teaches, is an external restriction, whereas Paul wants them to be led only by the interior Spirit of God, which will lead them in the paths of love. It is important to understand correctly the distinction between the flesh and the Spirit. The sins of the flesh are not merely 'carnal' sins like sex, greed and over-indulgence. They include also such things as rivalry, jealousy, quarrels and malice. So the 'flesh' is best defined as self-indulgence and lack of self-discipline, perhaps unrestrained natural desires. Natural desires are not in themselves evil, but they need to be harnessed and directed by the impetus of the Spirit. On the other hand, the Spirit is the life of Christ in us, and motivates everything that leads to Christ, not only – as Paul here lists – 'love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, gentleness and self-control', but also everything that builds up the community in love - loving guidance, teaching, the healing touch, as well as the more striking gifts like speaking in tongues. In 1 Corinthians he explains that each member of the community has a special gift, and all of these are needed for a healthy community.

**St Luke 9:51-62** As Jesus embarks on his great journey to his death at Jerusalem, the latter half of St Luke's Gospel is marked by Jesus' teaching on the difficulties and challenges of discipleship. Right at the beginning of this section Jesus teaches the little lesson that the disciples must not be surprised or take vengeance when they are rejected. Then three lessons follow on the uncompromising demands of discipleship. These are not 'counsels of perfection', but demanded of every disciple of Jesus. First, the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head. The disciple has no right to creature comforts. Second (perhaps the most counter-cultural of all Jesus' demands), burying a dead father was regarded as a sacred duty, and yet not even this may stand in the way of a response to the call of Jesus. Third (a more rigorous condition than even Elijah demanded of Elisha), there must be no backward glance even to bid the family farewell. Not even the most sacred of natural ties may stand in the way of the demands of following Jesus. Jesus expresses his teaching with maximum vigour; these conditions may seem unfeeling and unacceptably harsh. This is partly the nature of the Semitic language (the Aramaic which Jesus spoke), which rarely uses a comparative, 'more than...' It is either day or night, no dusk! There are no half measures.

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Please note change of hours  
**Parish Office hours:**  
 09.00—16.30 Mon – Thurs  
 09.00-14.30 Fri

**COPY Deadline**  
**Wednesday 12 noon**

**THIS SUNDAY:** There will be a second collection for "Peter's Pence", in support of the Pastoral Ministry of Our Holy Father, Pope Francis.

**HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION:** We have very few Holydays of Obligation that are not observed on a Sunday but this week that of **The Solemnity of SS Peter and Paul** falls on Wednesday. Holydays of obligation are to be treated like Sunday Masses where we are expected to be at Mass.

**HOLYDAY MASSES:** The Diocesan Yearbook has an incorrect entry for the Holyday Masses. Please see the back of this newsletter for the correct times.

**WELCOME THE STRANGER** - Help for Refugees. In response to the present refugee crisis all donations to the Poor Box until Sunday 3rd July will be passed to Cambridge Ethnic Community Forum for their work with refugees - please be generous. Cambridge Calais Action Group will be collecting donations for distribution in the Calais camps at Castle Street Methodist Church 25th June 10-4pm. see list at back of OLEM or <https://cambridgecalaisrefugeeaction.org.uk> for a list of what is required and a full calendar of local events for Refugee Week (20-26th June).

**'GREEN' TEA:** In fond memory of the late Cathy (Catherine) Green, on Sunday 7th August from 14:00-18:00 in the grounds of the Margaret Beaufort Institute, 12 Grange Road to raise funds for CAFOD. Please come along and enjoy light snacks, cakes, tea, coffee and soft drinks. Entrance by donation to CAFOD.

**SVP WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE FOR THE SICK:** Yes, we are ready to take bookings for our annual pilgrimage on Sunday 3 July: as ever priority will be given to those who are sick or infirm, although we do usually have room eventually for other pilgrims. We make no charge, although any contribution to defray SVP expenses is always appreciated. Just Ring: C.232443 or C.352327/07780 856212 leaving your name and telephone number. Alternatively you may also email: [em26mcewan@btinternet.com](mailto:em26mcewan@btinternet.com) or [cfb79ten@gmail.com](mailto:cfb79ten@gmail.com) We look forward to seeing you

**WANTED:** Warehouse Manager for Cambridge City Foodbank (Volunteer) This is a senior management position with administrative responsibility for our main warehouse and satellite warehouses. The role will be appropriate for someone who has strong organisation skills. Ideally the candidate will have managed warehouse, retail or logistics operations before but this is not a requirement. The time required is two mornings a week on-site plus a few hours a week working at home. Contact: [volunteer@cambridgecityfoodbank.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@cambridgecityfoodbank.org.uk) or call 07772 538628.

**THE CATENIAN ASSOCIATION:** (founded 1908) administers a Bursary Fund which each year gives cash grants - nothing to repay - of over £100,000 to young Catholics between the ages of 16 and 24 who work as helpers on Diocesan and HCPT pilgrimages to Lourdes, or volunteer on charitable projects around the world. Recently the Cambridge Circle presented a cheque for £450.00 to a Catholic student at Jesus College for her proposed work for the Education Authority in Uganda. Information relating to the eligibility of these awards can be obtained from: [bursary@thecatenians.com](mailto:bursary@thecatenians.com). Information about the Cambridge Circle, or membership of the Association, can be obtained by email [edmundjaques@gmail.com](mailto:edmundjaques@gmail.com) or telephone Bernard Townshend on 01223 246115

**RETREAT DAY FOR READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION** Fr Benedict Jonak, OP has very kindly agreed to lead a retreat for these ministers from St Philip Howard Parish and Our Lady and The English Martyrs with Our Lady of Lourdes Parish on **Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2016** to be held at St Philip Howard.. Please put this date in your diary. Time to be announced but most likely **10h30-11h00 until 16h00**.

**CATENIAN ASSOCIATION:** The six provinces Mass for the Catenian Association will be held in Westminster Cathedral at 12.00 pm on Sunday 6th November. The celebrant will be Bishop Paul McAleenan. This will be followed by a luncheon at the Hilton Victoria Hotel. For further details contact : [edmundjaques@gmail.com](mailto:edmundjaques@gmail.com)

**INTERRING OF MARY HOLLAND'S ASHES:** On Wednesday the 29th June at 16:15 prayers will be said in the All Souls Chapel prior to the interring of Mary's ashes in the grounds of the church. A social gathering will follow in the parish centre's music room.

**PHOTOGRAPHS:** from the Marriage and Family Celebration Mass on 18th June are now available to view on the diocesan website: [www.rcdea.org.uk](http://www.rcdea.org.uk) If you would like to obtain a copy of the photo file, please email Kerry Urdzik at [mflc@east-angliadiocese.org.uk](mailto:mflc@east-angliadiocese.org.uk) quoting the numbers of the photos you wish to have..

**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

**YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS:** A monthly group for those aged 18-35. The next meeting will start at 18:30 on Monday 27 June in the parish centre behind the Church. We will be having a bring and share supper followed by a talk from guest speaker Helvi Moore on the subject of What is Authentic Happiness? In the modern world we have access to every imaginable form of entertainment and comfort, and yet we still experience insecurity, emptiness and malaise. Our talk will focus on what genuine happiness is, and how it is best achieved. Email [olemyoungcatholicadults@gmail.com](mailto:olemyoungcatholicadults@gmail.com) if you have any questions. New faces are very welcome!

**ADORATION:** On Wednesday 29th June, (The Solemnity of SS Peter & Paul ) there will be **NO** adoration.

**MUSIC AT OLEM:** Our new Music Trust is offering four choral scholarships for the academic year 2016/17. Applications are welcomed from talented singers aged 16 or above in full time education. Please contact Nigel for more information: [music@olem.org.uk](mailto:music@olem.org.uk)

**FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE:** The sale of newspapers and magazines: at OLEM will be discontinued from the end of June 2016. Parishioners wishing to continue taking the titles currently on offer are advised to place orders with their local newsagent, or to consult publishers' websites where print and/or electronic subscriptions are offered (sometimes at advantageous rates

**FOODBANK:** this weekend, 25th/26th June. Items urgently needed are 500g bags of sugar and any items from the list—which can be found on the notice boards. Volunteers are needed to help with the monthly llections.If you are interested please contact Urszula Chojnacka on 07942 385194 or email [u\\_chojnacka@hotmail.com](mailto:u_chojnacka@hotmail.com)

**THE TEXTILE GROUP:** will meet on Friday, 1st July, from 10:00 –14:00 in the Parish Centre Hall.This month we shall be having a bring and share lunch. All are welcome.

**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.

**TODDLERS GROUP:** Meet every Wednesday during term time at 09:00-11.30 in the Parish Centre

## NEWS FROM OUR LADY OF LOURDES

**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.

**SILENT PRAYER:** Please join us for silent prayer in the Church every Thursday from 19:00 to 19:30.

## NEWS FROM CAMBOURNE

**CAMBOURNE CATHOLIC CHURCH SUMMER PARTY:** On Saturday July 2nd from 18:30 onwards at the Wards' 4,Bosserts Way Highfields Caldecote. Bring something to share, but most importantly yourselves. Everyone very welcome. Contact Mel for more information on [melanie.marie.ward@gmail.com](mailto:melanie.marie.ward@gmail.com) 07565972427

## LAST WEEK'S PARISH OFFERING

Standing Orders	£ 2, 835
Offertory Collection	£ 2, 264
Second Collection:	£ 772

### Please pray for:

- Those who have been brought into God's family through the Sacrament of Baptism.
- Those who are sick, especially Nonie Hawke, Tommy Smith, 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, Martin Ward, Michael Roberson and Debbie Carminati.
- Those who have died, especially Doreen Kavanagh. May her soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.
- All whose anniversaries of death that occur at this time.

### 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.**