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THE TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – 1ST SEPTEMBER 2024

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2024

FOR THE CRY OF THE EARTH

“Let us pray that each of us hears with the heart the cry of the Earth and victims of natural disasters and climate change, personally committing to care for the world we inhabit.”

Dates	OLOL MASS TIMES	SJF MASS TIMES
SATURDAY 31.08.2024 S Aiden B & Saints of Lindisfarne	9.30 am: Holy Mass: (Holly's marriage to Peter in Provence; Bernard Dore+, William McGinley+, Mabel Roseveare+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro Populo)
SUNDAY 01.09.2024 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation	8.45 am: Holy Mass: (Valentine Esteban+; James Garner+; Thanksgiving) 11.15 am: Holy Mass: (Gwendolen Jean Cann+; Benefactors; Holy Souls)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Young people returning to school)
MONDAY 02.09.2024	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Thomas Maley+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Arthur Wallace+)
TUESDAY, 03.09.2024 ST GREGORY THE GREAT PpD Feast	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Peter Flynn+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Thanksgiving)
WEDNESDAY 04.09.2024 St Cuthbert	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Theo Tsentides (F), Pearl Cassidy, Eberhard Reitter+Sr Mary Dargie 25 th Jubilee)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Michael Geraghty+)
THURSDAY 05.09.2024 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass: (Ignacio Mirasol+, Catherine Kerrigan+)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr James Marks+)
FRIDAY 06.09.2024 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass: (Geronimo Pausanos+, Maria Di Martino+, Irene Meade+, Margaret Rose Griffin+)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Private intentions)
SATURDAY 07.09.2024 Our Lady on Saturday	9.30 am: Holy Mass: (Constance O'Connell+, Hilda Meechan+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro populo)
SUNDAY 08.09.2024 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Education Day	8.45 am: Holy Mass: (Patricia Marchant+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass: (Romeo Rocchetti+, Paola's father)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Benefactors)

ORDER OF MASS

Entrance Antiphon: cf. Ps. 85: 3,5

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

O Lord, you are good and forgiving,
full of mercy to all who call to you.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy:
4:1-2,6-8

Moses said to the people: 'Now, Israel, take notice of the laws and customs that I teach you today, and observe them, that you may have life and may enter and take possession of the land that the Lord the God of your fathers is giving you. You must add nothing to what I command you, and take nothing from it, but keep the commandments of the Lord your God just as I lay them down for you. Keep them, observe them, and they will demonstrate to the peoples your wisdom and understanding. When they come to know of all these laws they will exclaim, "No other people is as wise and prudent as this great nation." And indeed, what great nation is there that has its gods so near as the Lord our God is to us whenever we call to him? And what great nation is there that has laws and customs to match this whole Law that I put before you today?'

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: 14(15):2-5

R. *The just will live in the presence of the Lord*

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?
He who walks without fault;
he who acts with justice
and speaks the truth from his heart;
he who does not slander with his tongue. **R.**

He who does no wrong to his brother,
who casts no slur on his neighbour,
who holds the godless in disdain,
but honours those who fear the Lord. **R.**

He who keeps his pledge, come what may;
who takes no interest on a loan
and accepts no bribes against the innocent.
Such a man will stand firm for ever. **R.**

A reading from the Letter from James:
1:17-18,21-22,27

It is all that is good, everything that is perfect, which is given us from above; it comes down from the Father of all light; with him there is no such thing as alteration, no shadow of a change. By his own choice he made us his children by the message of the truth so that we should be a sort of first-fruits of all that he had created.

Accept and submit to the word which has been planted in you and can save your souls. But you must do what the word tells you, and not just listen to it and deceive yourselves.

Pure, unspoilt religion, in the eyes of God our Father is this: coming to the help of orphans and widows when they need it, and keeping oneself uncontaminated by the world.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation: cf. Jn6:63,68

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life;
you have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark: 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered round Jesus, and they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with unclean hands, that is, without washing them. For the Pharisees, and the Jews in general, follow the tradition of the elders and never eat without washing their arms as far as the elbow; and on returning from the market place they never eat without first sprinkling themselves. There are also many other observances which have been handed down to them concerning the washing of cups and pots and bronze dishes. So these Pharisees and scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not respect the tradition of the elders but eat their food with unclean hands?' He answered, 'It was of you hypocrites that Isaiah so rightly prophesied in this passage of scripture:

This people honours me only with lip-service, while their hearts are far from me. The worship they offer me is worthless, the doctrines they teach are only human regulations.

You put aside the commandment of God to cling to human traditions.' He called the people to him again and said, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that goes into a man from outside can make him unclean; it is the things that come out of a man that make him unclean. For it is from within, from men's hearts, that evil intentions emerge: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, malice, deceit, indecency, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within and make a man unclean.'

Niceno-Constantinopolitan 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,

(Please 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.

Memorial Acclamation

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection, until you come again.

Communion Antiphon: Ps 30: 20

How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.

NOTICES

WEEKLY MASS ATTENDANCE: Sunday 25th August 2024, at 8.45 am – 140 people and at 11.15 am 85 people. **Total = 225 people.**

OLOL FINANCE: Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave: Standing Orders: £1059; Dona: £63.90; Cash Offerings: £885; Mass stipends: £20 (online).

Cheques payable to OLOL & SJF PARISH. Bank transfer: Barclays Bank, Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 03187 187. Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

CATECHISM CLASSES will run from October 2024-June 2025. **Please sign up by 15th of**

September so we can order sufficient books. Parents evenings will be held in September for both classes. Please fill out the forms found on the website and hand in to the parish office. First Holy Communion for Year 3 and above. Confirmation for Year 9 and above. Date of Confirmation: Sunday 20 July 2025 at 11:15 Mass.

THE NEW SUNDAY MISSAL will be available from the beginning of Advent. We have been offered a discounted price of £13 for this missal, if we order in multiples of 10. It would be a good book to have in your hands and could be a good gift for young people, especially candidates for Confirmation.

THE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CREATION is on 1st September, and the start of the Season of Creation. Pope Francis says "humanity must give up its claim to possess and dominate nature" as "a form of idolatry" and calls on us to pray with other Christians for God's Creation. Please visit the Facebook of the Cambridge Justice and Peace Group for more information.

ANNUAL AFRICAN MASS: You are all invited to the Annual African Mass at St Philip Howard Catholic Church, 33 Walpole Road. CB1 3TH on Saturday 28th Sept 2024 at 5.30pm prompt.

After the Mass, there will be a bring-and-share food and drinks reception followed by fundraising events (raffle, quiz, talent show, etc.) to support the church renovation.

If you have items to donate for the raffle, please reach out to Dominic (07423557593), Isaac (07751877109), or Rose (07952580467)

THE MARCH FOR LIFE UK will take place in London on Saturday 7th September 2024.

There are many attempts at the moment to further liberalise abortion in the UK and to silence those offering any alternative viewpoint, whether that's 'pills by post' abortions, 'decriminalisation', buffer zones or censorship on pro-life students at universities.

The dangers of these situations are being highlighted by the theme for this year's March for Life which is 'Abortion isn't Healthcare'. Join thousands at this family-friendly event.

Find out more at www.marchforlife.co.uk

If you are interested in attending please contact our Pro Life Rep, Katy, for local travel information from our Diocese: katytorcat@gmail.com

MAGNIFICAT with readings from the new Lectionary: Annual subscriptions for individuals are currently £49.00 per year and can be purchased via our link:

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All orders received by the 10th September can start with the October issue.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS IN OSCOTT 14TH SEPTEMBER: As there are a limited number of spaces available to the Diocese, Bishop Peter is asking for 1 priest and two lay faithful to attend from each of our deaneries. If you wish your name to be put forward, please speak to Fr. John as soon as possible. Participation is at no cost and there will be two pick-up points for the coach (Newmarket and St Lukes, Peterborough). Participants will need to make their way to one or the other and bring their own packed lunch as catering at Oscott will be very limited.

CAFOD's Talk: Join us after 9.30am Mass and the 10am coffee hub at St Laurence's Church 91 Milton Road, Cambridge, CB4 1XB on **Saturday 21 September** to find out more about this year's appeal and the story of Daniel, a carpenter from the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

All welcome, for more information contact Jane from CAFOD in East Anglia on 07779 804252 or email: jcrone@cafod.org.uk

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Welcome to Visitors!

We hope you feel welcome and will join us for tea/coffee in the Church Hall after Sunday Masses.