

MASS TIMES & OTHER EVENTS IN THE PARISH

Saturday 4th September: 1st Mass of Sunday : 23rd Sunday of the Year : Year C

6pm Mass (John Haslam RIP) St Luke's Church

Sunday 5th September : 23rd Sunday of the Year : Year C

9.15am Mass (Foley Dunn RIP) Sawtry
11am Mass (Bill McManus RIP & Eileen Wilson RIP) St. Luke's Church
1pm Baptism St. Luke's Church
6pm - 8pm Exposition St. Luke's Church
8pm - 9.30pm Parish Prayer Group St. Luke's Church

Monday 6th September – Feria

9.40am Morning Prayer St. Luke's Church
10am Mass (Alan Shutie RIP) St. Luke's Church
8pm Music Rehearsal St. Luke's Church

Tuesday 7th September – Feria

7.30pm Mass 25 Stephenson Close, Yaxley

Wednesday 8th September – Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)

9am Exposition St. Luke's Church
9.40am Morning Prayer St. Luke's Church
10am Mass (Irma Joseph RIP) St. Luke's Church
Followed by tea and coffee

Thursday 9th September – Feria

8pm SVP Meeting St. Luke's Church
8pm Sawtry Community Meeting 51 Ermine Rd, Sawtry

Friday 10th September – Feria

9.40am Morning Prayer St. Luke's Church
10am Mass (Joyce Glasswell RIP) St. Luke's Church

Saturday 11th September: 1st Mass of Sunday 24th Sunday of the Year: Year C

6pm Mass (Priesthood & Vocations) St. Luke's Church

Sunday 12th September : 24th Sunday of the Year: Year C

9.15am Mass (Rocco Stefanelli RIP) Sawtry
11am Mass (Carl Camiah RIP) St. Luke's Church
Followed by meeting for those attending the Papal Event in Hyde Park
6pm - 8pm Exposition St. Luke's Church
8pm - 9.30pm Parish Prayer Group St. Luke's Church

**Blessings: You are very welcome to come up for a blessing
if you are not receiving Holy Communion, please cross your arms**

Roman Catholic Parish of Saint Luke's serving the Parish Church of Saint Luke's, Peterborough 26 Benyon Grove, Orton Malborne, Peterborough. PE2 5XS **St. Benedict's Community, Sawtry** (Women's Institute Hall, Gidding Road, Sawtry) **St Bartholomew's Community, Yaxley and the Hamptons**

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23rd Sunday of the Year : Year C
Sunday 5th September 2010



Prayer of the Church: Psalter Week 3

Please see the hymn boards for the hymns for Mass
This week we use Eucharistic Prayer 2 and also sing
Gloria: Anderson (530) **Gospel Greeting:** Celtic Alleluia (710)
Holy Holy: Gathering Mass (481)
Mem. Acc: Gathering Mass (482)
Amen: Gathering Mass (486) **Lamb of God:** Gathering Mass (487)

We welcome any visitors to our parish this weekend
We hope you will have a pleasant stay
and a safe journey home

WEEKLY EVENTS AT ST. LUKE'S

REFRESHMENTS will be served after all Sunday Masses again from next weekend.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP meets again on Sunday at 8pm in St Lukes – all are welcome

MUSIC REHEARSAL will take place at 8pm in St Lukes on Monday. All are welcome

SOCIAL GROUP meets on Wednesday after 10am Mass. Do join us for a cuppa

SVP meets on Thursday at 8pm in St Lukes for their Meeting – new members welcome.

COLLECTIONS many thanks for your generosity to our Parish. Collections taken over the past few weeks were: Collection for 14th – 15th August £537.03; Standing Orders £106.30; Gift Aid reclaimed tax £51; Donations £144.54; Total £838.87; Collection for 21st – 22nd August £513.48; Standing Orders £106.30; Gift Aid reclaimed tax £51; Total £670.78; Collection last weekend £585.21; Standing Orders £106.30; Gift Aid reclaimed tax £51; Donations £10; Total £752.51; and £1546.63 was raised for CAFOD for the people of Pakistan. Thank you.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS This weekend there will be a special collection for the work of our Parish St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP). Next weekend we hold a special collection for the work of the Catholic Association for Racial Justice as we celebrate Racial Justice Sunday. The weekend of 2nd – 3rd October there will be a collection for CAFOD Harvest Fast Day, which is celebrated on Friday 1st October.

CHURCH CLEANING This week team 1 is Church cleaning - Mary Tierney, Anne Wilson, Frances Kelly, Chris Kirkman

SEPTEMBER MADNESS On Friday 10th September Deacon John and Pat Bedford from St Peter and All Souls Church will begin a cycle ride from London to Paris! It is 10years since their daughter Rachel and Pats brother John died so they will ride in their memory. They intent to raise sponsorship for CAFOD and sponsorship forms are at the back of the church, or go to www.justgiving.co.uk/paris-challenge.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS Bishop Michael and the following members of our parish family: Len Looby, Nancy Madden, Terri Sampson, Mary Corr, Dennis Cairns, Rose Osker, Mary Dujardin, Pauline Rushton, Jane Maniscalco, Babs Hughes, Ann Mulqueen, William Rooney, Kathleen & Ernie Baxter, Jean Moss, Ruth Brooks, Tom Berriman, Gladys Denny, Lorcan Jennings, Douglas Barns-White, Douglas Boxhall, Patrick Allanah, Christian Marrotta, Rhys Russell, Les Worsdall, Cath Metters, Ruth Bland, Drury Thompson, Lilia Bavin, George and Bridie Strong, Hugh McManus, Deirdre Culloty, Joyce Thompson, Sue Ixer, Jim Dujardin, Hurbert & Vera Gibbs. **We also pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially Mary Butterly (2002); 8th Irma Joseph (2003); 11th Ellen Crowdle (1996)**

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING The next meeting of our Parish Pastoral Council will take place on Monday 13th September at 8pm in St Lukes – all are welcome to attend.

SAWTRY COMMUNITY MEETING takes place on Thursday 9th September at 8pm at 51 Ermine Rd, Sawtry. All are welcome to come along.

NEW ASSISTANT PRIEST AT ALL SOULS Following his Ordination in July, Fr Michael Collis has been appointed as Assistant Priest at St Peter and All Souls Church in Peterborough. Fr Michael is also chaplain at St John Fisher Catholic High School. It is good to welcome Fr Michael to the deanery, please keep him in your prayers as he begins his ministry. Fr John Minh remains at St Peter and All Souls with responsibility for Peterborough Prison and the Hospitals.

BISHOP LUIS FLAVIO CAPPJO Portuguese speaking members of the community are invited to welcome and celebrate Mass with Bishop Luis Flavio Cappjo of the Diocese of Barra, Bahia, Brazil, who will be visiting St Peter and All Souls Parish on Sunday 19th September. Mass will be at 4pm.

With every blessing from Fr John

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

This September we begin a time of preparation for those seeking to be welcomed as members of the Catholic Church. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a time of prayer, preparation, celebration and welcome into the Catholic Church.

- **Are you interested in helping to welcome those who are interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church?**
- **Are you interested in praying for those who are seeking to become members of the Catholic Church?**
- **Are you interested in giving support to those learning about the Catholic Church as they prepare to be welcomed?**

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Welcome to Saint Luke's Parish If you have just moved into the area or have found us for the first time - You are most welcome. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church and would like to find out more you are invited to an informal

Welcome Evening in St Lukes Church on Friday 24th September at 7.30pm

If you wish to speak to the parish priest Fr John please do not hesitate to call him on 01733 370877 or email him at saintlukesparish@yahoo.co.uk

You can also find out more about our parish at www.saintlukesparish.org.uk

WELCOME TO CAFOD

This weekend at all Sunday Masses we welcome John Malley from CAFOD East Anglia. John is based in Norwich and is our local diocesan representative for CAFOD. John will speak at all Masses about the work of CAFOD and will have some information about the latest CAFOD campaigns.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The annual campaign for Operation Christmas Child will be launched in our parish over the weekend of 25th – 26th September at all Sunday Masses. It brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations worldwide through gift-filled shoe boxes and the Good News of God's love. Here are some ways you can make a difference in the lives of those children: PRAY. Please pray that God will touch the heart of every child who receives a shoe box gift and that He will bring many children and families to faith in Christ. PACK A GIFT. A shoe box filled with small toys and other gifts can open hurting hearts to God's love - If you have a shoebox please hold onto it or if you can obtain a shoebox or a number of shoeboxes please bring them to church. Leaflets and shoeboxes will be available over the launch weekend. For more information please visit the Operation Christmas Child website www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk

CONGRATULATIONS to Students and Staff at St John Fisher Catholic High School who have achieved their best Exams results to date.

A Level results were:

- 100% pass rate
- 33% A or B grades;
- 55% A - C grades.

GCSE results were:

- 98% pass rate
- 51 % with 5 A-C grades - a New School Record
- 31 % 5 A-C grades (including English and Maths)

POLISH COMMUNITY NEWS Fr Piotr leaves this coming week to take up another appointment in Northern Ireland. We wish him every blessing for the future. Two new Polish Priests have arrived in Peterborough to serve the local Polish Community here, and in Wisbech and Spalding – Fr Cezary Kraczkowski & Fr Roman Kossakowski. We welcome them both to the deanery.

PAPAL VISIT

Important information for those attending the Papal Events on Saturday 18th September in Hyde Park and on Sunday 19th September in Birmingham

**Hyde Park
Saturday 18th September**

Our Pilgrim Leader for the Hyde Park Event is Melanie Hurcombe (01733 562266) - You will need to be in your place by 2pm and the event will finish at 9pm. Cost will be £10 per person (this will include a Day Travel Pass for the London Underground) **Please if all money for this event can be paid by 12th September we would be most grateful (cheques to be made payable to St Lukes Catholic Parish)** You will need to make your own travel arrangements to and from London for this event. You will then have to meet up with other members of the group at a designated place and time prior to entering the event. **On Sunday 12th September after the 11am Mass in St Lukes there will be a meeting for all who have signed up to go to Hyde Park to see Pope Benedict. Please let our Pilgrim Leader for this event, Melanie Hurcombe, on 01733 562266 if you cannot attend. Thank you.**

**Birmingham
Sunday 19th September**

Our Pilgrim Leader for the Papal Mass in Birmingham is Eda Semmett (01733 245590) - The Mass for the Beatification of Cardinal Newman commences at 9.30am. Cost will be £25 per person. Travel will be by coach which is being arranged centrally with National Express, the time of the coach is yet to be announced, but the Peterborough Coach will leave from St John Fisher Catholic High School, Park Lane, Peterborough. PE1 5NJ

A Prayer Book is now available to accompany the Papal Visit – for those attending one of the Papal Events please take a copy as these will be needed to be added to your Pilgrim Pack when you receive it for the event you are attending. Copies are free but donations of £2 per copy is requested to offset the cost of production – a basket for donations is available with the copies in the porch at St Lukes and on the table in Sawtry. Thank you.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Classes to prepare for First Holy Communion and First Confession will begin at St Luke’s later this year. If your child is now in Year 3 at school or above and not yet celebrated their First Holy Communion please complete the form in this bulletin and return it to Fr John by Sunday 19th September.

The course we follow has two books one for First Holy Communion and one for First Confession – we ask for £10 as a contribution for these books. Classes will be held in St Lukes Roman Catholic Church, 26 Benyon Grove, Orton Malborne, Peterborough

**THE PARISH OF ST LUKES
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION**

Surname.....

Parents.....&.....

Address.....

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Postcode..... Phone.....

Your child’s name(s)

.....Date of Birth.....

.....Date of Birth.....

.....Date of Birth.....

.....Date of Birth.....

I/we wish my/our child/children to enrol in 2010-2011 First Holy Communion Programme.

Signature.....