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May

**Corby Catholic Parishes of
Our Lady of Walsingham
and St John Ogilvie**

Diocese of Northampton

Pastoral Area of St Luke, North Northants

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OLW: Our Lady of Walsingham / **SJO:** St John Ogilvie

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the
Second Collection for Catholic Communications Network.

Thank you to all who participated in the Mass last Monday
as we honoured Our Lady of Fatima and offered the Our Lady of
Perpetual Succour Novena; we hope you enjoyed the chocolate!

Thank you to those who have returned "Mary's Meals"
envelopes; the deadline for doing so is today: Pentecost Sunday.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention: "In May, we pray for those
training for the Religious Life and for the Priesthood. May they
grow to be credible witnesses of the Gospel through the human,
pastoral, spiritual, and community formation they receive."

The **Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest**
focuses on the Priestly Office of the Lord; it is a reminder
that a Priest acts "In the person of Christ the head". The
laity are urged to pray that Priests will become more like
Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. **Today is a day of prayer
for Priests and vocations to the Sacred Priesthood.**

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To ensure we have your **contact information** we invite
you to complete a simple registration form by using the
applicable **QR code or link below**. If you do not have an

email address, please
contact the Parish
Office, and Maggie will
complete the form on
your behalf. **THANK YOU.**



Liturgies this Week

THE SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

19th May

The great fifty days of Eastertide concludes with Pentecost

Parish Mass Book: Page 282 or 290 for OLW / Page 26 for SJO

5:30pm (OLW) VIGIL MASS OF SUNDAY

Intention: John Carson, RIP

8:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: George Creek, RIP (Birthday)

Intention - Priest 2: Betty Dwyer, RIP (6th Anniv.)

10:00am (OLW) MASS

Intention: Catherine Trigg, RIP (Anniv.)

5:00pm (SJO) MASS

Intention: pro populo

Monday: Mary, Mother of the Church

20th May

9:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Peter Cooper, RIP

Intention - Priest 2: Patrick Martin (Intention)

Tuesday of the Seventh Week in Ordinary Time

21st May

9:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Martyn Garvey, RIP

Intention - Priest 2: Maisie Bates, RIP

Wednesday: St Rita of Cascia

22nd May

9:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Thanksgiving

Intention - Priest 2: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Thursday: Feast of Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest 23rd May

A day of prayer for Priests and vocations to the Priesthood

**9:00am (OLW) Morning Prayer and Reflection with
prayers for Priests & new priestly vocations**

9:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention: Laurence McCahill, RIP

10:00am (OLW) Rosary for Priests & new priestly vocations

Friday of the Seventh Week of Ordinary Time

24th May

9:10am (SJO) Holy Rosary

9:30am (SJO) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: To be announced

Intention - Priest 2: Private Intention

10:00am (SJO) Sacrament of Confession (Reconciliation)

Saturday of the Seventh Week of Ordinary Time

25th May

9:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Maisie Bates, RIP

Intention - Priest 2: Baptism of Edward Joseph Tillotson-Breen

10:00am (OLW) Eucharistic Exposition and the Holy Rosary

10:00am (OLW) Sacrament of Confession (Reconciliation)

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

26th May

The Father, the Son & the Holy Spirit: Three Persons, One God

Parish Mass Book: Page 83 for OLW / Page 30 for SJO

5:30pm (OLW) VIGIL MASS OF SUNDAY

Intention: Special Intention

8:30am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Jimmy Levins, RIP and Barbara Levins, RIP

Intention - Priest 2: pro populo

10:00am (OLW) MASS

Intention - Priest 1: Les Chalmers, RIP (1st Anniv.)

Intention - Priest 2: C. M. George, RIP (4th Anniv.)

5:00pm (SJO) MASS

Intention: To be announced

Requiescat in Pace

Please pray for **the repose of the soul of:**
Maisie Bates, her funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, 14th June at 10:00am in OLW Church

Fr Prasad has been appointed to Shefford and Biggleswade by Bishop David and his first Sunday as Parish Priest will be 23rd June 2024! Please hold Fr Prasad, Canon Bennie Noonan (who is retiring) and these two parishes in your daily prayers. NB: Brightly coloured envelopes are available at the back of Church for those who would like to make an offering toward to his leaving gift.

Fr Christopher is at a residential meeting in Northampton on Wednesday and Thursday of this week and thus asks for your prayers for himself and all the members of the Bishop's Council.

The Lectionary, that is, the book of Holy Scripture readings for Mass and the Sacraments, is changing as part of a continuing process of revising all liturgical texts; the process began with the Roman Missal in 2011, when the conclusion to the First & Second Reading changed to: "The word of the Lord". The lectionary will use the English Standard Version (Catholic Edition) of the Holy Bible and the Abbey Psalter. The changes will make the biblical translations more faithful to the original texts, make use of recent biblical scholarship, ensure they are more 'proclaimable' and be more inclusive. The lectionary will become mandatory for use in England and Wales (plus Scotland) from Advent 2024. A training day for the new lectionary is being held in Luton on Tuesday, 11th June and all responsible for helping to deliver the sacred liturgy are invited: Readers, cantors, musicians, catechists, etc. Please contact Maggie if you would like to participate in the training day.

The **Parish Litany** will be offered after Mass unless there is a recessional hymn; this begins with the St Michael Prayer for Pope Francis urged its revival in the wake of disunity within the Church and revelations of the clerical abuse of minors and adolescents.

The next **Life in the Spirit Seminar** is on Tuesday, 21st May at 6:30pm in the Catholic Club. All are welcome to attend.

The Second Vatican Council liturgical reforms encourages everyone present at Mass to participate in an actual, full and conscious way; this is primarily achieved by us all **singing**, confidently **offering the responses** and making the **liturgical actions**, e.g. striking our chest during the Confiteor, the three-fold cross at the Gospel, bowing during the Creed, etc. In these three ways our Faith is nourished and renewed; otherwise, we are merely spectators to what is taking place in the sanctuary.

First Holy Communion Families - Please Note:

1. There will be a *Parents/Guardian Gathering* on Thursday, 23rd May in Our Lady of Walsingham (OLW) Church at 7:00pm and attendance is a mandatory part of sacramental preparation.
2. *First Holy Communion Masses* will be offered in OLW on:
 - **Saturday, 8th June at 10:00am** for those children on the parish sacramental preparation programme.
 - **Saturday, 8th June at 1:00pm** for those children on the Our Lady of Walsingham School preparation programme.

Please pray for our First Holy Communion children and catechists and the Confirmation candidates and their catechists.

The seven-day lamp in the Holy House Chapel of Our Lady of Walsingham Church burns in prayer for:

Barbara & Jimmy Levins, RIP

From Fr Prasad: "I am having a great time during these home holidays with the family members, visiting my friends and relatives. I am also taking time to visit the priests of our Order. I have attended the Episcopal Ordination of Monsignor Dhaman Kumar, MSFS with whom I worked in the seminary. The time I spent visiting my grandmother was simply indescribable. I attended one family function too. I voted on 13th May during the fourth phase of the General Elections taking place in India. A few family outings are planned, and I am eagerly waiting them. I am remembering all of you in my prayers as I celebrate daily Masses in the convent of the religious sisters of St Ann's of Luzern in my home parish; I met some of my school teachers (also nuns) there who are now enjoying their retirement. Overall, I am having an enjoyable time at home except for the **sweltering weather.**"

Vocational Discernment:

1. Online Discernment Workshops on 28th May, 11th June and 25th June looking at what Ignatian spirituality teaches about clarifying our choices, ways of listening to the Holy Spirit and discerning the way forward. This is open to all those in their 20s/30s. To register email: FCJCentreStHughes@gmail.com
2. Female Residential Vocations Retreat for those in their 20s & 30s wanting to explore vocation to Religious Life. 24th to 26th May in Liverpool. The theme is: "Discerning God's call in your life". Guests are welcome for the Saturday or the weekend. For details: fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com / www.fcjsisters.org
3. For any man who feels a calling to the Permanent Diaconate you are asked to visit St Mary's Catholic Church in Dunstable on Saturday, 8th June from 10:00am-12:00noon to explore this further. Please let Fr Christopher know if you are attending.
4. If you feel a call to the Sacred Priesthood do discuss this with Fr Christopher or Fr Wayne who will be keen to offer support.



The Corby SVP Pilgrimage for the Sick to Our Lady's Shrine, Walsingham on Sunday, 7th July:

The cost for the coach is £10 per person; first two children are free, £5 per child thereafter for each family and payment can be made at the Parish Office. The time of departure of the coach from each Church will be confirmed. Please reserve your place ASAP by adding your name to the list at the back of the Church.

You might recognise the banner in the above picture!

With every blessing on this final day of Eastertide,
Fr Christopher, Fr Prasad & Fr Wayne

The seven-day lamp at the statue of Our Lady of Grace in Our Lady of Walsingham Church burns in prayer for:

John Hennessy (Intention)