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**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
TWENTY SEVENTH JANUARY 2019**

**Lectionary Vol. I  
Breviary Vol. I  
Psalter Week 3  
Cycle of Prayer: St. Edmund, King & Martyr, Bungay.**



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PLEASE contact the Chaplaincy Office directly on (01223) 217769 to inform them of any Catholic family members who may have been admitted to ensure that they are 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.

More information at:

[www.addenbrookes.org.uk/serv/nonclin/chaplaincy/](http://www.addenbrookes.org.uk/serv/nonclin/chaplaincy/)

**THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS**

**NEHEMIAH 8:2-6. 8-10:** The Book of Nehemiah, from which today's reading is taken, is the latest historical book of the Hebrew Bible. It describes the re-establishment of the People of Israel, now the Jews, in and around Jerusalem, on their release from exile in Babylon. In the seventy years of exile they had developed a way of life based on the Law and marked by Sabbath, circumcision and ritual food; this distinguished them not only from the Babylonians, but also from those inhabitants of Judaea who had not been dragged into captivity. It was only those who were passionate for the Lord and this way of life who returned to the ruins of Jerusalem. Others stayed in more comfortable exile! Ezra, the expert in the Law, and Nehemiah, commissioned by the King of Persia (in whose empire Judaea lay), were at different times leaders of the community. In this scene Ezra reads out and so promulgates the Law in Jerusalem, to the acclaim of the people. What a contrast to the scene in the synagogue at Nazareth where Jesus reads out the passage from Isaiah (the clue to his way of life and that of his followers) - only to be rejected by his own people!

**1CORINTHIANS 12:12-14. 27:** Following directly on from last Sunday's reading, Paul (in today's passage) shows just why the different gifts of the Spirit must be used for the common purpose of building up the community. He compares the community which lives with the life of the Spirit to a human body. For the effective functioning of the human body each highly diverse organ must play its part, contribute its own particular speciality. To prevent the individual Corinthians becoming proud and possessive of their own particular gifts, Paul stresses that, like parts of the body, none is more important than any other. Is it less serious if your liver fails or your kidneys? This comparison of a community to a human body is common in ancient literature, but nowhere else is the community as a body described as the body of a particular person in the way that Paul designates the Corinthian Christian community as the Body of Christ. The Body which lives by the life-principle of Christ's Spirit is Christ's own Body.

**Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21:** Today's gospel passage starts the series of readings from Luke which will continue throughout the ordinary Sundays of the Year. It is composed of two separate passages: first it gives Luke's introduction to his gospel, in which he explains how and why he wrote it. Then, jumping over the preparatory stories of Jesus' infancy, baptism and testing in the desert, it comes directly to his programmatic manifesto in the synagogue at Nazareth. The gospel is offered to Theophilus - a Greek name - and is written for gentile communities. So Luke stresses that Jesus' message is not just for Jews but for the peoples of the whole world. Twice in the second passage (Jesus' manifesto in Nazareth) Luke stresses that Jesus is moved by the Spirit of the Lord. As we see in the second reading, the Spirit was obviously at work in the early Christian communities. This was no more than a continuation of the Spirit's activity from the very beginning of the Christian movement. In Luke's stories of the annunciation, birth and infancy of Jesus the presence of the Spirit is constantly noted. In the earliest stories of the Church in the Acts of the Apostles the same guidance by the Spirit directs every move.

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Our work goes to needy areas in UK  
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continue to be blankets, babies' and  
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for both children and adults. For more  
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### SUNDAY COLLECTION

(Standing Orders—£1,200) (Plate: £442.42) Total :£1642.42

**Second Collection today will be your gift for Msgr. Eugene.**

Thank you for your continued generosity to the Parish and other charities.

**"BEHOLD, I MAKE ALL THINGS NEW!"** Those wonderful words from the mouth of God in the Book of The Apocalypse remind us that we are in a state of constant change as Christians, and indeed, as Christian communities. Some of you may remember Monsignor Eugène Canon Harkness when he was physically present at Saint Philip Howard for twenty years (1996 onward) and some of you how have joined the parish in the last three years may have heard of him in passing. The Bishop has accepted Mgr Eugène's resignation as Parish Priest of Saint Philip Howard and has asked Fr Philip John to become the new Parish Priest. We will be able to extend our gratitude to Canon Harkness and thank God for all the blessings that we have received through him on **WEDNESDAY, 6<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY** at a Mass celebrated by the Bishop and Monsignor Eugène at 19:00, and officially welcome Fr. Philip as our new Parish Priest which will be followed by a reception. *You are all welcome to the reception. Please bring a plate of finger-food to share. Drinks will be provided. If you can bring some food please fill in the details on the list in the porch. Come and celebrate! Please put this date in your dairy.*

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FOR THE YEAR 2019

All classes take place at Saint Philip Howard Church, Cambridge CB1 3TH starting at 7.15pm. Just turn up to the first session. Direct enquiries to [antonia.braithwaite@gmail.com](mailto:antonia.braithwaite@gmail.com) **Courses 2019**

**Course 1:** January 27<sup>th</sup> 2019, February 10<sup>th</sup>, February 24<sup>th</sup>, March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Course 2:** April 14<sup>th</sup>, April 28<sup>th</sup>, May 12<sup>th</sup>, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Course 3:** September 29<sup>th</sup> October 13<sup>th</sup>, October 27<sup>th</sup>, November 10<sup>th</sup>.

**CAN YOU HELP AT MASS BY READING, BEING AN USHER, MAKING REFRESHMENTS?** If you can help with these please contact Fiona via [sphcambridge@gmail.com](mailto:sphcambridge@gmail.com). If you are new to our parish and would like to get involved please do, in addition to the above if you have talents in music, singing or might be able to help with catechism classes or our children's liturgy please also get in touch and Fiona will put you in touch with the relevant catechist.

**TRADCRAFT** plans to release a new catalogue with a reduced product range in late March. You can still purchase many Fairtrade products from the autumn catalogue, available in the porch. Please submit your orders to Bernard Shaw (by completing an order form available on the notice board, in person after 10:00 Mass, e-mail [bshaw98uk@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:bshaw98uk@yahoo.co.uk) or tel. 01223 240207) by 3 February to receive items the following Sunday. See also <https://www.traidcraftshop.co.uk/sale> for items from previous catalogues available in limited quantity at reduced price .

### JUNIOR CHOIR

Our junior choir is for any child aged 7-12 who enjoys singing, there is no audition required, just enthusiasm. We learn basic music theory, good singing technique and sing a variety of church music. This term the junior choir will meet from 10.30-12.30 on 2, 9, Feb; 2, 9 & 23 March. They will lead the singing at 12:00 Mass on 24th March and the 10:00 Mass on 6th April. If your child would like to join please contact **Fiona via [kirkerf@yahoo.com](mailto:kirkerf@yahoo.com)**

**ST. PHILIP HOWARD KNITTING CLUB:** SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH DATES FOR 2019, 2.00 – 4.00 P.M. INFORMATION: NICKY MARKS TELEPHONE 245063, MAUREEN HARPER TELEPHONE 891696, the dates are the following: **12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 12<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 4<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 11<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 13<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 10<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 8<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 10<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER.**

**THE DATES FOR NEXT YEAR'S CATECHISM CLASSES IN THE ROMAN RITE** are in the table below. Children make their First Holy Communion at the end of year 3 and are required to complete year 2 before joining year 3.

YEAR 1 13.30 – 16.00	YEAR 2 10.15– 12.45	YEAR 3 13.30– 16.00	YEAR 4 10.30– 13.00	YEAR 5 10.30 – 13.00
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19 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2019	26 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2019	9th Feb 2019		9 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2019
2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar 2019	16 <sup>th</sup> Mar 2019	9th & 16 <sup>th</sup> Mar 2019	30 <sup>th</sup> Mar 2019	09 <sup>th</sup> Mar 2019
20 <sup>th</sup> Apr 2019	4 <sup>th</sup> May 2019	27 <sup>th</sup> Apr 2019	11th-May2019	27 <sup>th</sup> Apr 2019
11 <sup>th</sup> May 2019	22 <sup>nd</sup> Jun 2019	4th & 18 <sup>th</sup> May 2019	15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 2019	11 <sup>th</sup> May 2019

**CONFIRMATION CLASS: PROPOSED SCHEDULE:** Subject to agreement at our meeting, confirmation classes will be on Tuesdays, with one or two exceptions. The confirmation date is scheduled as **SUNDAY 30 JUNE at 12 noon**. The other change dates to notice there will be joint sessions with the St Laurence's confirmation group for confession on **Friday 15 March, at 18.30-20.30** and on **Sunday 7 April, starting at 17.00** for the Ablaze mass, to which families are free to come. The event will be at St Laurence's church. There will be food for the young people after this mass.

***The schedule proposed*** is: **Time** 19h00 Class 1: Tuesday 29 **January**. Class 2: **Tuesday 5 February**. Class 3: **Tuesday 12 February**.

**Half-Term (15-24 February)**

Class 4: Tuesday 26 February.

**Enrolment Mass Sunday 3 March 12.00**

Class 5: Tuesday 5 March. Class 6: Confession preparation Tuesday 12 March.

**Friday, March 15, Confessions, St. Laurence's 18.30 – 20.30 with Ignite Team,**

Class 7: Tuesday 26 March. Class 8: Tuesday 2 April.

**Ablaze Mass Sunday 7 April, 5pm, Easter Holiday (5-23 April),** Class 9: Monday 29 April.

**Ignite Festival at Swaffham Saturday 4 May- Monday 6 May (Compulsory),** Class 10: **Monday 13 May**. Class 11: **Monday 20 May, 24 May- 2 June half term**, Class 12: Tuesday 11 June, Class 13: Tuesday 18 June,

**Practice for confirmation (with parent or sponsor), Sunday 23 June 11:20 (between Masses)**

**Confirmation Sunday 30 June 12 noon**

### **FEASTS THIS WEEK**

**St. THOMAS AQUINAS : JANUARY 28TH:**“To one who has faith, no explanation is necessary. To one without faith, no explanation is possible.”

“We must love them both, those whose opinions we share and those whose opinions we reject, for both have laboured in the search for truth, and both have helped us in finding it.”

**St. John Bosco: : January 31st**“Act today in such a way that you need not blush tomorrow.”

“Do not put off till tomorrow the good you can do today. You may not have a tomorrow. “Do you

want your companions to respect you? Always think well of everyone, and be ready to help others. Do this and you will be happy.

### **CAMBRIDGE NAZARETH TRUST**

This Trust was established by members of the Equestrian Order of the Knights of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem to provide education and development of our Christian brothers and sisters in the Holy Land.

### **HOLY FAMILY CRÛCHE**

*Donation envelopes for this project are available in the display unit in our porch.*

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**17h30 R1:** Mary Archibald **R2:**Anna Burrows  
**Mass : OM:** Deacon John **EM:** Jackie Moss, Livia Dale.

**10h00 R1:** Maureen Harper **C:** Philip Fallon **R2:** Jamie Whitehorn.  
**Mass : OM:** Deacon John **EM:** Alistair Milne, Bernard Shaw .  
**Usher:** Mary Graham.

**12h00 R1:** Jumoke Sule **C:** Colin Mason **R2:**Phoebe Vargas.  
**Mass: EM:** Marivic Fabiculana, Anna Dersly , E. Amper.  
**Usher :** Lito & Marian Birad.  
**Tea/Coffee:** Dorothy Novak.  
**Counter:** Benny Chacko, Vincent Kurian.

**THE SACRED LITURGY THIS WEEK**

**Vigil Mass**

**17h30** +Andrew Leneghan (Grace Barrell)

**27 January III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Ps Week 3**

**10h00** +Jean McCabe (Jean Ritchie)

+Susan Whitehorn (Jamie Whitehorn)

**12h00** Thanks Giving (Rex, Nico,Gabe& Valerine  
 (Branzuela)

**28 January MONDAY ST. THOMAS AQUINAS MEMORIA**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** +Hunt Family (Foundation)

+Archimede Libera (Foundation)

**12h00 MASS AT ADDENBROOKES**

**29 JANUARY TUESDAY FERIA**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** +Patric Calvey (Foundation)

**30 January WEDNESDAY FERIA**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** Thanks Giving (Nico,Gabe Branzuela)

**31 January THURSDAY ST. JOHN BOSCO MEMORIA**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** +Judite Lucchesi (Foundation)

**01 February FRIDAY FERIA**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** +Holy Souls (Jaci)

**10h00 Adoration & Confession**

**02February THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD FEAST  
 CANDLEMAS DAY**

**09h00 LAUDS**

**09h30** +Kennedy Family (Foundation)

+Lindsay P. J (Foundation)

**Vigil Mass**

**17h30** +Jim O'Boyle (M.Lindsay)

**03 February IV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Ps Week 4**

**10h00** +Raffaele Ruggiero (Vineenya Ruggierro)

+Dono Serrurier (Jane Serrurier)

**12h00** People of the Parish

**January  
 Death Anniversaries**

John Adamson, Michael Anderson, Dorothy Atkinson, Beatrice Ayres, George Bailey, Roy Bailey, Baby Maria Barga, Hannah Barrett, Dame Bede, Arthur Beedom, Malachy Bermingham, Ines Bone, Elizabeth Borelli, Cornelius Boyle, Anne Bradbury, Louis Brennan, Lucy Brown Joan Burke, Nellie Byrnes, Pat Calvey, Ellen Campbell, Fr Gerry Campbell, Thomas Campbell, Frank Camping, Fr Alfonso Cano, Marcello Ceraudo, Colleen Mathilda Chapman, Chi Wing Cheung, Louisa Collins, Beatrice Conmy, George Cross, Mary Cryan, James Cuff, Anthony Dempsey, Ella Devaney, Antonietta Di Martino, Jim Digney, John Doherty, Joseph Doogan, J Doyle, Marie Doyle, Frank Dunne, Jim Edmonds, Eileen Evans, Dorothy Fagan, Elisa Falzani, Bill Farmer, Norah Farmer, Diana Farrugia, Doris Fasnacht, Mgr Fenwick, George Ferris, Maria Filigno, Suzanne Fitzgerald, Jeanne Fogeront, Monica Froud, Joseph Gavin, Barbara Gomulezak, Margaret Gray, Bishop Grasa, Jack Greaney, Ivy Grove, William Gryan, George Hale, Michael Halligan, Peter Hargreaves, Mary Harpur, Mrs Higgins, Picton Hunt, Joseph Johnson, Gladys Jones, Martin Keady, Michael Keady, Lilian Kennedy, Mary Kennedy, Caroline King, Douglas Kitson, Monica Laird, Jack Lece, Maria Lio, Ron Lister, John Locke, John Loughran, Augusto Lui, Zigmunt Maczkiewicz, Mary Malone, Harriet Martin, Philip Mason, Desmond McBride, Mary McCaffery, Fr James McDyer, Pauline McElhatton, Gerard McGrath, Florence McHugh, James McHugh, Frank McSwiggan, Seamus McSwiggan, Stanislaw Mazurkiewicz, Delia Moran, David Morris, Jim Mulhern, Gerry Murphy, Thomas Murray, Walter Neale, Bruce Nye, Joseph O'Boyle, Pat O'Boyle, Annie O'Brien, David O'Meara, Mrs O'Reagan, Elizabeth Paliczka, Sara Pascuzzi, Olga Perry, John Pillay, Mr Prescott, Robert Price, Molly Quinn, Pauline Rawlinson, Fr. John Refitt, Alexina Rider, Annette Rigden, Voe Roche, May Sansom, Valentine Sackel, Michelina Savino, Ron Sharp, Ruth Elizabeth Sharp, Elloner Simmons, Nora Smith, John Sullivan, Edward Sweeney, James Sweeney, Edna Tate, Ruth Timms, Catherine Tingey, Giuseppe Tumore, Dorothy Tychicus, Walter Ullmann, Lloyd Whiffen, Grace Whitby, Eric Whitfield, Carmela Rinaldi.

**For Those Who Are Ill**

Dr.Michael Hoskin, Joseph Mashapure, Jayne Stewart, Angela Fordham, Vyramuthu Sabanathan, Teresa Margaret Creet, Monica Nwaiku, Stanley Waddingham, Rosemond Anderson, Bridget Mielke, Richard Hunt and all others.

*Loving God, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness.*

*May all who suffer pain, illness, disease, and the frailty of old age realise that they have been chosen to be saints and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world.*

*Being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Amen.*