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### THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - 17TH NOVEMBER 2024

#### THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER 2024

#### FOR PARENTS WHO HAVE LOST A CHILD

"Let us pray that all parents mourning the death of a child find support in the community and receive heart's peace from the consoling Spirit."

Dates	OLOL MASS TIMES	SJF MASS TIMES
SATURDAY 16.11.2024 St Margaret of Scotland & St Gertrude the Great, V	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Tim Fishenden+, Aida+, Mario+, & Jose Pinto+, Gertrude Chibanda) 12.00: Baptism of Cormac & Gillian 14.00: Cantonese Mass (Thanksgiving)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Nyla Quilidus+)
<b>SUNDAY 17.11.2024</b> <b>33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – World Day of the Poor</b>	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Apolonia Babula+, Maher Family Thanksgiving, Florence Cornish+, Teslin Cribb+, Elliot Lyon+, Denise Phillips+) 11.30 am: Holy Mass (Francis Wa Heng Ong+, Maria Gomés+, Sheelaph Bulat+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Fr J. Richard B. Smith+, Pro populo)
MONDAY 18.11.2024 Dedication of the Basilica of St Peter & St Paul	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Margaret Flood+, Antonio Da Rose+, Luis Da Silva Ramos+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Holy Souls)
TUESDAY 19.11.2024 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Patricia Nimmo+, Roza Romanowski+, Godfrey Chibanda, unwell but hoping for good health)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Canon Thomas Walmsley-Carter+, Fr Bryan Houghton+)
WEDNESDAY 20.11.2024 <b>St Edmund, King M.</b>	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Mick Burgess+, Suzanne Holland+, Sebastião & Carlito Da Costa+) <b>19.00-20.00 Syro-Malabar Holy Mass</b>	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Benefactors)
THURSDAY 21.11.2024 <b>The Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Bernard Goff+, Monserrat Sinijathsinghi+Frances Martin+ 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv., James & Lily Evans+)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr John Kemp+, Fr William Barker+, Fr Donald Jenkinson+)
FRIDAY 22.11.2024 <b>St Cecilia VM</b>	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Benjamin Carney+, Rex Cortez+, Maria Goreti+, Mariano Ramos+, Felesmina+, Manel+, Jose Da Costa+, Antonio Da Silva+ & Alexandria Soares+)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Canon Patrick Rogers+, Rev. Francis Hanley+)
SATURDAY 23.11.2024 St Clement	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Annie Robertson+, Cyril Williams+, Kornizky & Sawicki families & Jan Siudak+) F, Thanksgiving – Rosa, Clement Nyakunengwa+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Private intentions)
<b>SUNDAY 24.11.2024</b> <b>34th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</b>	8.45 am: Holy Mass Jose+, Florentina+, Joamico+, Anjolino+, & Jacinta Tilman+) 11.30 am: Holy Mass (Zofia+, Francis Wa Heng Ong+)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro populo)

## ORDER OF MASS

**Entrance Antiphon:** (Jer 29: 11, 12, 14)

The Lord said:  
I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction.  
You will call upon me, and I will answer you,  
and I will lead back your captives from every place.

### 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 Prophet Daniel** (12: 1-3)

'At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince  
who mounts guard over your people.

There is going to be a time of great distress,  
unparalleled since nations first came into  
existence. When that time comes, your own people  
will be spared, all those whose names are found  
written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the  
dust of the earth many will awake, some to  
everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting  
disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the  
vault of heaven, and those who have instructed  
many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.'

The word of the Lord

**Responsorial Psalm:** 15(16):5,8-11

**R. Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.**

O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;  
it is you yourself who are my prize.  
I keep the Lord ever in my sight:  
since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. **R.**

And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;  
even my body shall rest in safety.  
For you will not leave my soul among the dead,  
nor let your beloved know decay. **R.**

You will show me the path of life,  
the fullness of joy in your presence,  
at your right hand happiness for ever. **R.**

**A reading from the letter to the Hebrews**

(10:11-14,18)

All the priests stand at their duties every day,  
offering over and over again the same sacrifices  
which are quite incapable of taking sins away.

He, on the other hand, has offered one single  
sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place forever,  
at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting  
until his enemies are made into a footstool for him.  
By virtue of that one single offering, he has  
achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is  
sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven,  
there can be no more sin offerings.

The word of the Lord

**Gospel Acclamation:** (Mt 24: 42-44)

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Stay awake and stand ready,  
because you do not know the hour when the Son  
of Man is coming. **Alleluia!**

**Gospel: Mark** (13: 24-32)

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the  
time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the

moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken.

And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

‘Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates.

I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

‘But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.’

### **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 72: 28)

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

### **NOTICES**

**WEEKLY MASS ATTENDANCE: Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2024**, at 8.45 am = 121 people and at 11.15 am = 103 people. **Total = 224 people.**

**OLOL FINANCE:** Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave: Standing Orders: £1059; Hall: £70; Raffle tickets: £40 (online); Cash banked: £925.

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.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR – 30 NOVEMBER 2024**  
2.00 pm – 4.00 pm The organisers would be very grateful for Stall donations i.e. Bottles, Cakes Toys, Hand crafted items, unwanted gifts/brick and brack etc, or, if preferred, a cash donation. There are lists at the back of the church for everyone to sign up to.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR BOTTLE STALL:** At least 50 bottles are needed for the traditional bottle stall. All donations can be left at the Church house.

**GRAND RAFFLE PRIZE DRAW –** Tickets are now on sale. The prize moneys have all been donated with a First prize of £250. We hope parishioners

will buy or sell as many tickets as able, in order to raise funds for some local charities and sponsor some church activities for all ages.

**OLOL CHILDREN'S MASS:** The next Children's Mass will take place on the 2nd Sunday of Advent at 11.15am. If you are one of our younger parishioners and would like to do one of the Readings, a Bidding Prayer, or would like to take part in the Offertory Procession, please see Pat Richardson after the 11.15 Mass or contact her at patrichardson01@gmail.com over the next two or three weeks.

**FATHER CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST 7th December**  
Footprints Cafe 10.00am Sawston Free Church is organising a breakfast with Father Christmas at Footprints Cafe for Early Years and Key Stage 1 children. £5 per child includes breakfast, a carefully chosen present and a breakfast roll for the accompanying adult. Limited places so please call Footprints on 01223 839323 to book a place.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - SHOE BOX COLLECTION WEEK IS HERE. NOV. 11<sup>TH</sup> TO 18<sup>TH</sup>.** Boxes can be dropped off at church and left in the Kitchen.

**CATECHISM CLASSES:** The First Holy Communion class (year 3 and above) and the Confirmation class (year 9 and above) will begin other week of the 12th of January 2025. If your child would like to take part please fill out the forms found on the parish website and submit by the 15 December so we can order the appropriate number of books in good time.

**PERMANENT DEACONATE: Deacon John Bell will preach at our 8.45am & 11.15am Masses on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2024 to share with us the ministry of Permanent Diaconate.**

We definitely need Permanent Deacons in our Parish. For more information, please contact Fr Andrew (andrew.eburne@rcdea.org.uk).

**SCHOOL VACANCIES:** CEO St John the Baptist CMAT, Trust Clark St John the Baptist CMAT, Headteacher at St Thomas More Catholic Primary School, Peterborough. Please see website for details: [www.rcdea.org.uk/schools/school-vacancies/](http://www.rcdea.org.uk/schools/school-vacancies/)

**SAWSTON VILLAGE ECUMENICAL CAROL SERVICE** will take place on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm outside Red Graphic. It is hoped we can all gather together as we look forward to celebrating the birth of Christ.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES THIS WINTER AT CROSSWAYS:** The Cambridge Churches Homeless Project (CCHP), in partnership with It Takes a City

(ITAC), provide shelter and food for people who would otherwise be rough sleeping over the winter months. To find out more and to register, visit: [www.cchp.org.uk](http://www.cchp.org.uk) or contact Mel, the Volunteer Coordinator: [mel@cchp.org.uk](mailto:mel@cchp.org.uk)

**WORLD DAY OF THE POOR (Sun. 17<sup>th</sup> Nov.)**  
"The prayer of the poor rises up to God" (Sir 21:5)  
Pope Francis reminds us of God's constant care for all those experiencing any form of poverty. He encourages us to 'make the prayer of the poor our own', so it inspires us to help in concrete ways, showing solidarity as 'friends of the poor'.

Please visit our Parish Facebook page or CAFOD <https://cafod.org.uk/pray/world-day-of-the-poor> for more information.

**INFORMATION FOR YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO ROME:** In 2025, there will be a Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome for people between 16 - 30 years old. The Ignite Team will give more information about the Pilgrimage and answer questions at 6pm on Sunday, 1 December, at St Laurence Catholic Church. The Information Session follows the 5pm Ablaze Mass. There is free parking at the church and on the nearby streets.

**The Community of Our Lady of Walsingham (COLW) is marking 25 years of growth by launching the £2.5m Mary's House Appeal, seeking funds for a mission house in Walsingham and improved facilities in Dereham.** Sr Camilla said: "The proposed mission house in Walsingham will provide a stable presence in the location known as "England's Nazareth." It will serve as a base for retreats, spiritual guidance, and outreach, enabling the community to deepen its work and provide greater support to both local residents and pilgrims."

"To bring this to fruition, COLW needs to raise £2.5 million, with £1.5 million needed by summer 2025 and the rest by Easter 2026. The success of Mary's House Appeal depends on the generosity of supporters. The funds raised will enable the purchase of the Walsingham property and ensure it meets the needs of the growing community. Every contribution, regardless of size, will help bring this vision to life."

For more details or to make a donation, visit [www.walsinghamcommunity.org](http://www.walsinghamcommunity.org). The community extends its gratitude to all who support this important endeavour.

***Welcome to Visitors!***

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