

*Come, O Holy Spirit,
and kindle in our hearts
the same fire of love
that burns in the hearts
of the Holy Family.*

*Help us to give all we are
and all we have to Jesus
through the hands of Mary and Joseph.*



*Jesus, Mary, and Joseph,
may our hearts
be ever united to yours.
Deliver us from the evils
that beset us,
and grant that by being totally united
to you
we may help to extend
the blessed Kingdom
of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.*

*Services for the Fifth Week of Ordinary Time (OF), & the week of Septuagesima (EF)
5th – 12th February 2023*

February – The Month of the Holy Family

Saturday 4th February, *The Vigil of Sunday*

Confessions, 5.15 – 5.45 pm
Holy Mass, 6.00 pm

The People of the Parish

Sunday 5th February, *The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (OF) – Septuagesima*

Holy Mass, 8.00 am
Sung Mass, 10.30 am

Carol Siddle's Intentions
The Hennel Family

Monday 6th February, *St Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs (OF) – St Titus, Bishop & Confessor (EF)*

Holy Mass, 9.30 am

Luca

Tuesday 7th February, *Feria (OF) – St Romuald, Abbot (EF)*

Holy Mass, 9.30 am

Giancarlo Fragamino

Wednesday 8th February, *St Josephine Bakhita, Virgin (OF) – St John of Matha, Confessor (EF)*

Holy Mass, 6.00 pm (Extraord. Form)

The Holy Souls

Thursday 9th February, *Feria (OF) – St Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop, Doctor, & Confessor (EF)*

Holy Mass, 9.30 am
Holy Hour & Confessions, 4.00 – 5.00 pm, Benediction, 5 pm

Cornelius Murphy RIP

Friday 10th February, *St Scholastica, Virgin (OF, EF)*

Holy Mass, 6.00 pm (Extraord. Form)

John & Hannah Chegwyn

Saturday 11th February, *Our Lady of Lourdes (OF, EF)*

Holy Mass, 9.30 am
Holy Hour & Confessions, 10.00 - 11.00 am, Benediction, 11.00 am

Rina Ponzini Stellardi RIP

Saturday 11th February, *The Vigil of Sunday*

Confessions, 5.15 – 5.45 pm
Holy Mass, 6.00 pm

Rose Stanbridge, Frank Ryan, and
the deceased of their families

Sunday 12th February, *The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (OF) – Sexagesima*

Holy Mass, 8.00 am
Sung Mass, 10.30 am

The People of the Parish
Sesismundo, Augusta & family

Father John writes:

Advance Notice: Devotions to the Holy Face

One of our projects during the pandemic was the restoration and reframing of our painting of the Holy Face of Jesus. (The painting is dated April 1914.) On Shrove Tuesday, Tuesday 21st, at 6.00 pm we shall have a Votive Mass of the Holy Face in the Extraordinary Form, followed by special prayers.

Lent isn't far away!

Ash Wednesday falls on 22nd February, in just over two weeks' time. The traditional pre-Lent, Septuagesima, begins this Sunday, 5th. Let's begin to think now of how we can best observe this holy season by prayer, self-denial, and almsgiving and so grow in faith and hope in Christ Crucified, and in love for Him. Our own parish Lenten alms will once again be donated to Aid to the Church in Need to support its work in Ukraine.

Advance Notice: Lenten reading group

During the latter part of Lent, in preparation for the Sacred Triduum, a reading group, led by Fr Jack, will study the second volume of Joseph Ratzinger/Pope Benedict's trilogy, *Jesus of Nazareth*.

Advance Notice: Consecration to Our Lady

I encourage you to consider preparing yourself for consecration to Our Lady on the feast of the Annunciation according to the teaching and formula of St Louis-Marie Grignon de Montfort. The thirty-three days of preparation will begin on Monday 20th February. There will be a Sung Mass in the Extraordinary Form on the feast at 10.30 am. Daily prayers of preparation can be found in *33 Day Consecration to Jesus through Mary*, compiled by John Pridmore and Niall Slattery and available from the CTS, price £3.50. Mr Pridmore, born and raised in the East End of London, was involved in organized crime from his youth. At the age of 27 God gave him the grace of a profound conversion, and he now works full-time as an evangelist, giving talks and writing such inspiring works as this little book.

Forty Hours of Eucharistic Adoration

You are warmly invited to join the Society of the Work at Littlemore, who will be hosting Forty

Hours of Eucharistic Adoration in Newman's Chapel to pray for the repose of the soul of Pope Benedict XVI and of all Holy Souls from Friday 17th to Sunday 19th February.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation Classes

Please let me know if you would like your child to be prepared for First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation.

The Cutteslowe Community Larder

There are now two clearly labelled boxes for food donations to the Larder, one in the church narthex and one in the Presbytery porch. Goods are delivered each Wednesday:

- For more details on other ways to support the Larder please contact Rev Tom Murray on 0785 160 0778, or email

Tom.murray@standrewsoxford.org

Please pray for the sick and housebound

Anne-Marie, Jackie Ball, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Jane Brownson, Ela Bulewicz, Fr Paul Chavasse CO, Paul Conway, Filomeno Cota, Maureen Dalton, Carmen Dashwood-Evans, Nicky de Bono, Julian Foord, Joyann Green, Sr. Joseph Andrew OP, Eugénie Kanza, Jill Kelly, Emily Long, Elsie Maria Michaud, Jane Masri, Anne Morris, Alice Murphy, Jill Pinnock, Fr Andrew Pinsent, Charles Pinsent, G.S., Joy Smith, Fr Frank Sofie, Malcolm Spicer, Matthew Spicer, and Oscar Williams.

Please pray for the faithful departed

Please pray for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed, especially Geoffrey Hanmer, who died recently, and for Richard James Cairns, Forentina Iampieri di Gennaro, Mary Martin, Emilia Satkowska, and Monica Wagstaff, who have anniversaries at this time.

+ Requiem aeternam dona eis,
Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis.

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