

St Etheldreda's Parish Newsletter

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Sunday 12th November 2017

32nd Sunday of the Year

We pray for the priest and people of St Mary, Thetford.

Mass times during the Week: Proper of the Mass page 152 Office 4

Sunday	6.30 pm	Saturday and Sunday	9.00 am and 11.00 am
Monday	9.30am	Feria	
Tuesday	9.30am	Feria	Shryane Family
Wednesday	12:15 pm	Feria	In Honour Of Our Lady. (De'Souza)
Thursday	9.30am	Feria	Suraksha Sedhev RIP
Friday	9.30 am	Feria	Julia Swan's Intentions
Saturday	10.00 am	Feria	
	6.30 pm		Dorothy RIP

Reconciliation & Confessions after Mass on Saturday and by appointment.

We pray for those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Thomas Fuller, Frau Zschke, Sahim Mulati, James Delaney, Mary Ainsworth, Norah Verhoven, William Lee, Edward Cockerton, John Dyer, Julia Elizabeth Baggallay (Betsy), Elizabeth Murphy, Frederick Durham and Edward Grabowski.

Children's Liturgy today. The First Communion children's classes continue today. A reminder that there is a meeting for Parents **only** on Thursday 23rd November at 7.30pm. The meeting will start in Church.

Please note that the use of the Sacristy as a crèche is for those parents/young children who find it difficult during Mass in the main body of the Church and is not available before Mass starts or as an overflow when there are seats in the Church.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass on Friday.

S.V.P. Meeting on Monday 13th November at 7.30 pm.

Journey in Faith

This is a programme of sessions preparing adults for Baptism or for Full Communion with the Catholic Church, or those already Baptised in other Christian traditions. On Wednesday at 7.30 pm.

Deacon John's Group meets next Tuesday at 7pm in the Parish Room (access through the car park to the green door at the end of the house). We are looking at the CaFE Video – Believe - Reflections on the Creed. If you want to know more about your faith this group is for you.

Ely Food Bank

We are very short of rice pudding, coffee, tinned meat, milk and fruit juice. Items can be left at the collection boxes, in Waitrose, Sainsbury's or Tesco. Tesco will increase the donation by 20%. There is no collection box in Aldi. Thank you for your support.

Baptism Programme

The next Course starts on Sunday 26th November at 1.00 pm. and there will be a second part on Thursday 30th November at 7.00 pm. If you wish to have your child Baptised, to book a place please pick up an application form from Deacon John or Fr. Tony. We do ask you to go through the Course which gets you thinking about what it means for you and your child Thank you.

Pastoral care If you are going into Addenbrookes, please let the Chaplaincy know on 01223 217769, then someone will come to see you.

Marriage Care Relationship difficulties please contact Marriage Care Tel. 0800 389380.

St Edmund's Fund

Second Collection St Edmund's Fund today. This helps the Diocesan Commission for the Social Concern within the Diocese. The members come from different parishes and groups. The Fund supports Parish projects. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

Thank you for your weekly contributions which amounted to £828.14.

Red Mission Boxes Please bring in your red boxes as soon as possible.

November Book This is the month we celebrate those who have died. Praying for those who have died ensures that the bond we enjoyed in life is never broken. There is a book at the back of the church for you to put the names of your departed loved ones. The names of those written in the book will be read out at Mass during the week throughout November. Please put the name of your loved ones in the book on the day you would like the name read out.

We pray for all the sick and house-bound members, Fr John, Fr Laurie Locke, Fr Michael Griffin and our sick priests, Deacon John Steel, Ann Lemon, Bernadette Brown, Peter Swan, Sylvia Canham, John O'Donnell, Margaret Layton, Margaret Benstead and Delia Hazeldine.

Bitesize: You may delay, but time will not.

Benjamin Franklin

May God bless you all

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