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**Newsletter for Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> May 2026 – Seventh Sunday of Easter**

**Mass Books: Page 275. Psalter: Week 2**

**We pray for** the Parish of Mother of Good Counsel, Clare, for peace in the Middle East and in Ukraine and for the Catholic Community in Prek Toal, Cambodia.

**Times of Mass this week**

**Saturday** 6.30 pm,  
**Sunday** 9.00 am,  
 11.00 am,  
**Monday** 9.30 am, Easter Feria  
**Tuesday** 9.30 am, Easter Feria

**Memorial Acc: We proclaim...**

*Monica and Harry Hidirian RIP*  
*People of the Parish*  
*Marie Madeleine Kenning RIP*  
*Donor's intention*  
*Private intention*

**Wednesday** 12.15 pm, Easter Feria  
**Thursday** 9.30 am, Easter Feria  
**Friday** 12.15 pm, Easter Feria  
**Saturday** 10.00 am, Easter Feria  
 6.30 pm, (Pentecost)  
 Simple Form of Vigil, 1<sup>st</sup> Reading (Genesis) and following Psalm, p 280.

*David Gibbs RIP*  
*Private intention*  
*Mara - Thanksgiving*  
*All Pro-Life Causes*  
*Robert McMonagle RIP*

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):** Saturday, 10.30 – 11.00 am or by appointment.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** at 11.00 am Mass today. **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, 11.40 am – 12.10 pm.**

**TEAS AND COFFEES** in the Parish Rooms after 9.00 and 11.00 am Mass. Donations during March and April came to £209. Thank you very much.

**TODAY IS WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY.** Retiring Collection at all Masses today for the Catholic Communications Network, which works with the media on behalf of the Catholic Church in this country to promote the Gospel, explain the catholic Faith and uphold the truth in our multi-media age.

**SAVE THE DATE** The SVP Conference invites all parishioners to join them on the annual SVP National Pilgrimage to Walsingham and Sacrament of the Sick on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July. A mini bus has been arranged.

**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION IN CAMBRIDGE** Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June, from Fisher House by Trumpington Street to Our Lady and the English Martyrs Church. Gathering at Fisher House from 2.00 pm, the Procession will begin at 2.30 pm. You would be most welcome to wear your national costume. The organisers would like an approximate idea of numbers who might attend, so please indicate your intention with name and number in party on the list at the back of the church.

**THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED** We pray for the repose of the soul of **Heather Alder** whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated in St Etheldreda's at 11.00 am on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June and for her family and friends as they mourn for her.

**MASS OF ST ETHELDREDA** You are invited to a sung Mass and lunch in honour of St Etheldreda on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June, introducing a new Mass setting and motet written for our parish by composer Matthew Ward. 12 noon congregational rehearsal of the Mass setting. 12.30 pm Mass, followed by bring-and-share lunch in the parish rooms. Sign up at the back of the church.

**MARRIAGE CELEBRATION MASS** on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 11.30am at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist in Norwich. All married couples are welcome! For more details and if you would like to register please go to: <https://www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-registration/> or email [mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk](mailto:mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk)

**WE PRAY** for all our sick and housebound, for those who have died recently and for the Anniversaries of Albert Fisher, Mark Lemon, Frederick Smart, Michael McGhin, Laurence Earith, Una Roddy, Thomas Gotobed, Helen Whittingham, Michael Nolan, Michael Holt, Mary Downe and Ludwik Marczewski. R.I.P.

**COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND** Parish: £692.60 (Standing Orders average £650). Thank you for your generosity.

**PARISH BANK ACCOUNT** Lloyds Bank, Sort Code 30-93-05, Account Number: 00162284. Account Name: St Etheldreda's Parish.

**For the Catholic Chaplain in Addenbrooke's,** call the Chaplains' Office, 01223 217769. **Relationship difficulties** Contact Marriage Care 0800 389380.

*Every blessing for the coming week. Deacon Paul and Father David.*







