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**Newsletter for Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2026 – Pentecost Sunday**

**Mass Books: Vigil Mass on Saturday evening First Reading p280; Epistle and Gospel p285 - 6. Mass of the Day p 288. Psalter: Week 4**

**We pray for the Parish of Our Lady & St Walstan, Costessey, for peace in the Middle East and Ukraine and for the Catholic Community in Prek Toal, Cambodia.**

**Times of Mass this week**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6.30 pm,</b>	<i>Robert McMonagle RIP</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.00 am,</b>	<i>People of the Parish</i>
	<b>11.00 am,</b>	<i>Deceased Madden Family</i>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>10.00 am,</b>	<i>Mary, Mother of the Church Private int.</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>9.30 am,</b>	<i>St Philip Neri Patricia Clough RIP</i>

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

<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>11.00 am,</b>	<b>ST AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY</b>	<b>Wedding Mass</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>-----</b>	<b>JESUS CHRIST, HIGH PRIEST</b>	<b>No Mass today</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>12.15 pm,</b>	<b>Easter Feria</b>	<i>Violet &amp; John Styles RIP</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10.00 am,</b>	<b>Our Lady</b>	<i>Faith Finegan RIP</i>
	<b>6.30 pm,</b>	<b>(Most Holy Trinity)</b>	<i>Mrs Celine Rego RIP</i>

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

**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.

**GOLDEN JUBILEE OF THE DIOCESE OF EAST ANGLIA** Solemn Mass in St John's Cathedral, Norwich. at 12 noon on Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> June, the Feast of the Dedication of the Cathedral. 15 places in the congregation have been allocated to our parish. If you would like a place, please sign the list at the back of the church by next Sunday. We have to send numbers in by 1<sup>st</sup> June.

**PARISH BARBEQUE Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July.** Everyone welcome to a BBQ lunch beginning after the 11.00 am Mass. List to sign up is at the back of the church.

**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.

**NEXT SVP MEETING** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June at 7.30 pm.

**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 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** 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 13th 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 and for the Anniversaries of Alice Tuckswood, Jennifer Cicharski, James Buckley, Martin Lucas, Partrick McManus, Paula Luffman, Kathleen Roughan, Joan Bergin, Father Brendan Peters, Marie Fuller, Alan Spragg, Faith Finegan and Carmine Carraturo (2025). R.I.P.

**COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND** *Parish:* £668 (Standing Orders average £650). *Catholic Communications Network:* £135.40. 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.

**God bless you in the coming week. Deacon Paul and Father David.**







