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Newsletter for Sunday, 14th June 2026 – Eleventh Sunday of the Year

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We pray for our Parish of Ely, for peace in the Middle East and 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, Feria
Tuesday 9.30 am, Feria

Memorial Acc: When we eat...

Giulia Zenas RIP
People of the Parish
Teresa Lewicka RIP
Vito Cofano RIP
Father John's intentions

Wednesday ---- Feria **No Mass today**
Thursday 9.30 am, Feria *Barbara & Stephen Dunn's intentions*
Friday 12.15 pm, Feria *Private intention*
Saturday 10.00 am, St Alban *Private intention*
 11.30 am, **First Communion Mass**
 6.30 pm, (12th Sunday) *Francis Bernard O'Donnell RIP*

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. CHILDREN'S LITURGY at 11.00 am Mass today.

DAY FOR LIFE 2026 Next Sunday, 21 June, the Catholic Church in England and Wales will mark the Day for Life under the theme "The Wonder of the Child in the Womb." The theme also recognises the loss of children who died before birth and the grief of their parents. The Bishops' message and prayers can be found on the Day for Life website: www.dayforlife.org. The Retiring Collection next weekend will go towards the Day for Life Fund, which distributes grants to organisations that promote respect for life from conception until natural death. You can also donate online via the Day for Life website.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CARDS are on sale in the Repository. First Holy Communion Mass on Saturday at 11.30 am.

PARISH BBQ - Sunday 12 July after 12:00 Mass. All are welcome to this annual event which brings Parishioners together. Please bring to share, if you can, a salad/dessert/drinks or combination. £5 per adult, children free, CASH only. A sign-up form is at the back of the Church. Thank you.

PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM The SVP have organised a minibus for their annual Pilgrimage for the Sick at Walsingham on Sunday 5th July. It will leave Barton Road Car Park 11.00 am and return from Walsingham at 4.30 pm. Please leave your details in the sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Donations towards the cost of the minibus will be gratefully received.

NEXT SVP MEETING this Monday, 15th June, at 10.15 am.

MASS OF ST ETHELDREDA Introducing a new Mass setting and motet written for our parish by composer Matthew Ward. Saturday, 27th June. 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.

WE PRAY for Father John and all our sick and housebound and for the Anniversaries of Terence Hughes, Bert Powell, Thomas Cassidy, Cardinal Basil Hume, Philip Ward, James Smyth, Maria Drwieqa, John Grows, Father Christopher Macgregor. May they rest in peace.

CHURCH CLEANING Thank you to all those who came along to clean the church on Saturday. A job well done!

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND *Parish:* £961.55 (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.

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

