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Newsletter for Sunday, 25th October 2026 – Thirtieth Sunday of the Year

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We pray for St Luke's Parish, Peterborough, for peace in the Middle East and Ukraine, 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: Save us...

Atkinson & Bolton intentions
Rino Cosenza RIP
People of the Parish
Private intention
Private intention

Wednesday ----- **SS SIMON & JUDE**

Thursday 9.30 am, Feria

Friday 12.15 pm, Feria

Saturday 10.00 am, Our Lady
 6.30 pm, (All Saints)

No Mass today

Private intention

All Pro-life Causes

Private intention

Bernie Gray RIP (Fox)

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

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Friday, 11.40 am – 12.10 pm before 12.15 pm Mass.

TEAS AND COFFEES in the Parish Rooms after 9.00 am and 11.00 am Mass today. Thank you for donations of £203.00 during July, August and September.

NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY today. The Children's Liturgy group needs a few more volunteers. It is a commitment once every 3 or 4 weeks during term time.

Teaching experience is not necessary, you will need to go through the Diocesan DBS check. If you can help, please contact Christine Burr on 01487 840607.

CATHOLIC EAST ANGLIA Please take your free copy of the November edition of the diocesan newspaper.

ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD November is the Month of the Holy Souls. If you would like to submit names to be included in prayers on the Altar List of the Dead during November, please pick up a form from the back of the church and hand it in at the sacristy.

Time for the annual ALL SAINTS DAY party for families: Sunday 1st November, 3 – 5pm in the parish rooms. Come dressed as a saint, enjoy party games and food, and celebrate the heroes of the Faith. Contact Monica at monicaaway@gmail.com with questions or to get involved.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION preparation will begin on Thursday November 12th, with a meeting for parents on Thursday 5th November at 6.45 pm. Lessons will be on Thursdays at 6.45 pm during school terms. Children must be at least in Year 3. If you would like to pre-register your child, please send an email to 1sthc@elyrcchurch.com. More details, including an application form, will be on the parish website soon.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES will begin after Christmas to prepare for the Confirmation Mass on Friday 14th May, at 7.00pm. You are eligible if you are in Year 8 or above. Registration forms are available on the parish website www.elyrcchurch.com or can be picked up at the back of the church.

OLIVE WOOD ROSARIES, AND ROSARY PRAYERCARDS...£6.00, from repository counter.

WE PRAY all our sick and housebound parishioners, relatives and friends. We pray for the Anniversaries of Alfred Green, Emilio De Santis, Ruth Jones, John Buckingham, Ruth Orwell, Bonden Dutchyn, James O'Neill, Wojciech Maruszewski, Patricia Haynes, Thomas Bright and Esther Rader. May they rest in peace.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND Parish: £637.45 (Standing Orders average £725). *World Mission Sunday:* £346.10. 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.

COMING UP: Bible Study and Prayer Group meets again Saturday, 7th November, at 10.45 am.

Please note that there will be no Mass on Wednesday.

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

