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Newsletter for Sunday, 8th November 2026 – 32nd Sunday of the Year - Remembrance Sunday **Mass Books: Page 152. Psalter: Week 4**

We pray for the Parish of Our Lady of the Annunciation, Poringland, peace in the Middle East and Ukraine, for the Catholic Community in Prek Toal, Cambodia.

Times of Mass this week		**Memorial Acc: We proclaim…**
Saturday	**6.30 pm,**	*People of the Parish*
Sunday	**9.00 am**,	*Kieran Tierney RIP*
	11.00 am, Requiem Mass for the War Dead	
Monday	**9.30 am, DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN**	
Tuesday	**10.30 am, St Leo the Great**	
	FUNERAL MASS, Stephen Harradence RIP	
Wednesday	**----- St Martin of Tours**	**No Mass today**
Thursday	**9.30 am, St Josaphat,**	*Priests, deacons & seminarians*
Friday	**12.15 pm, Feria**	*Sajan RIP*
Saturday	**10.00 am, Our Lady**	*Holy Souls*
	6.30 pm, (32nd Sunday)	*People of the Parish*

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. CHILDREN'S LITURGY at 11.00 am Mass 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**.**

THE GARDENING GROUP NEWS - Through the spring sale and other donations we raised in total £510 for the gardening needs. These enabled us to improve the look of the Parish garden and purchase plants and materials. Thank you for your generosity. Please note that on 22 November, after the Mass at 9am and 11am there will be a cake sale to raise further funds for the gardening projects. Cash only. Please come and enjoy home made cakes to eat in or take away. Thank you. The Parish Gardening Group.

DEANERY REQUIEM MASS for the deceased Clergy of the Deanery will be celebrated at Our Lady and the English Martyrs, Hills Road, Cambridge, this Thursday at 12.15 pm. All are welcome.

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.
CHURCH CLEAN The next cleaning session will be on Saturday 21st November, from 11.30 am. If you can come and help, you will be most welcome.

WE PRAY all our sick and housebound parishioners, relatives and friends. We pray for the Anniversaries of John Gillon, Joan Demianczuk, John Preen, Joyce Jodrell, Maureen Harrison, Ellen Fisher, Jacqueline Brooks, Gareth Davies-Jones, Thomas Fuller, Franz Zaschke, Sahim Mulati, James Delaney, Mary Ainsworth, Bishop Laurence Youens, Norah Verhoven and William Lee. May they rest in peace.
COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND *Parish:* £769.80 (Standing Orders average £725). Thank you for your generosity.
WAYS OF GIVING The Dona Card Payment machine is positioned by the sacristy door near the baptismal font. **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: SVP meets on Monday, 16th November, at 10.15 am. **Bible Study and Prayer Group** meets again Saturday, 21st November, at 10.45 am.
Mass on Tuesday at 10.30 am and no Mass on Wednesday ***God bless you in the coming week, Deacon Paul and Father David.***