



## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B – Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2021

Prayer of the Church: Psalter Week 2

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### MASS TIMES

**BOOKING NO LONGER REQUIRED!**

**Monday to Friday - 10am**

**Saturday - 6pm Vigil**

**Sunday**

9:00am, 10:30am Live-stream &  
12:00nn Outdoor (*Indoors in bad weather*)

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### SUPPORTING YOUR PARISH

Our parish of St. Luke's is entirely dependent upon our offerings and donations, costing over £1,200 each week to run and keep open. Please remember to make your weekly offering. Cash in the collection bags;

Cheques made payable to 'St. Luke's Church';

Via the card machine in the porch;

Online via the website; Or by 'standing order' to the bank:

**Natwest, Sort Code 54-21-38, Account 97302198.**

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity.

Please ask for a Gift Aid form if you are a taxpayer.

## MASS TIMES & DEVOTIONS

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> August: St Augustine BD - Memoria**

10am – Holy Rosary

**5pm Confessions**

6pm – Vigil Mass, **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Augustinians**

**SUNDAY 29<sup>th</sup> August: TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00am – Mass *Pro Populo*

10:30am – *Live-stream Wisdom & Pamela's Intentions*

12:00nn – Outdoor Mass *Sick/Housebound Parishioners and Geraldine O'Mahoney+*

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August: Ss Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line & Margaret Ward MM - Memoria**

10am – Mass *Brendan Wilson*

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> August: St Aidan B and Saints of Lindisfarne - Memoria**

10am – Mass *Mrs Christiana Ubakanma (Thanksgiving)*

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September: Feria (World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation)**

10am – Mass *Giuseppe Schiorlin+*

10:30am - *Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help*

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September: Feria**

10am – Mass *Geraldine O'Mahoney+*

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September: St Gregory the Great Pope and Doctor of the Church - Feast**

10am – Mass – *East Anglia Seminarians*

10:30am - *Adoration & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament*

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September: Our Lady on Saturday**

10am – Holy Rosary

11am – Baptism *Baby Ariejele*

12nn – Baptism *Baby Theresa Yva*

12:30 – Baptism *Baby Nina Rose*

**5pm Confessions**

6pm – Vigil Mass, **23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Erwin Mallari (Thanksgiving)**

**SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> September: TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00am – Mass *Michael & Maureen Crosbie*

10:30am – *Live-stream Geraldine O'Mahoney+*

12:00nn – Outdoor Mass (*Filipino International Mass*)

**Migrant Workers**

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If you would like a Mass said, please ask for an envelope from one of our ushers or from the parish clergy. You may also send an email to Fr Jude: [jude.belnas@rcdea.org.uk](mailto:jude.belnas@rcdea.org.uk)

## 22<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Gospel Reading - Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

*Legal observance has its dangers, for it is sometimes easy to obey the law exactly while forgetting its purpose. It is no good driving doggedly just below the speed-limit while endangering life and limb. The more exact the laws, the greater the temptation to manipulate them to evade their purpose. The Pharisees were as aware of this danger of distortion as is the modern stickler for exact observance. But the Pharisees have a bad press in the gospels because, at the time the gospels were written, hostility between Christians and Pharisaic Judaism was at its height. During Jesus' own lifetime their opposition was not so obvious. For instance, they had no share in the Passion and Crucifixion of Jesus. In any case, Jesus' own final saying here, while it may apply to the Jewish ritual Law, has much wider application than the observance of Jewish rules for clean food. It is more akin to the saying in Matthew, 'A sound tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor a rotten tree bear good fruit. By their fruits you shall know them'. A person's true qualities are seen by that person's actions; their true intentions and character, what comes from the heart becomes visible in their words and actions.*

### RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION AT MASS

*When receiving Holy Communion please come forward row by row as directed. The approach to the altar is a procession so please maintain prayerful reflection. When you reach the priest or minister please bow or genuflect to the Blessed Sacrament. Place your hands one on top of the other. Step to one side with the host, remove your face covering & reverently and carefully consume the Blessed Sacrament. On returning to our places through the sides of the church we make a prayer of thanksgiving.*

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### YOUTH CATCH UP!!!

We are inviting the youth (secondary school age) to join us at Ferry Meadows for some rounders, football, music jams and pizzas - just to have fun! Bring your own friends but also meet and make new ones too! :D

See you all there!

THURSDAY 9th SEPT, 6:30-8PM at Ferry Meadows (Nene Park Visitor Centre, Ham Lane, Peterborough, PE2 5UU). In case of inclement weather, we will hold the gathering at St. Luke's church instead.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any queries:  
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Sr. Erika – 07506114199  
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### WELCOME BACK & THANK YOU

We welcome back Fr Jeffrey this week and we wish Fr Peter a good year back in Rome as he continues his studies next week. We thank him for his ministry to us at St Luke's.

### CONGRATULATIONS!!!

We welcome into the family of the Church, Ariejele, Theresa Yva and Nina Rose who are to be baptised on Saturday, September 4. We pray for their parents and godparents that they may be blessed with love as they grow in their faith in God.

### FINAL WEEK! FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2021-22

Sorry, applications will not be accepted after 1<sup>st</sup> September, or when we reach capacity (45 children). Please contact Rosanna and our team of catechists by email: [fhc@saintlukesparish.org.uk](mailto:fhc@saintlukesparish.org.uk).

### CONFIRMATION CLASSES 2021-22

We are now accepting registrations for the next Confirmation course due to begin in the autumn. Please email [info@saintlukesparish.org.uk](mailto:info@saintlukesparish.org.uk) for application forms and keep an eye on the newsletter & webpage for more information about class dates in due course.

### MARCH FOR LIFE 2021

Saturday 4th September in London. This is an in-person event which will inspire, educate and motivate our nation to value all life from the moment of conception. The Morning: #LifeFest21 10.00 - 13.00 in the Emmanuel Centre, Marsham St, London, SW1P 3D - Pro-Life organisations from around the UK showcasing their work, inspiring speakers, moving testimonies, live music, pro-life merchandise, pro-life tots, kids and teens' activities, selfie stands and much more! The March: 13.30 - 16.00. Pilgrims from the diocese of East Anglia are encouraged to congregate together outside the Emmanuel Centre at 1pm and walk under the banner of Our Lady of Walsingham. Please contact Sarah Ward to let her know you will be attending: [sarahcampling@hotmail.com](mailto:sarahcampling@hotmail.com)

### FILIPINO MASS & CELEBRATION

Sunday Mass on September 5<sup>th</sup>, 12nn will be a Parish English-Filipino Mass. Liturgical music will be ministered to us by **Couples for Christ Choir from Norwich**. There'll be stalls of food, games, entertainment, BINGO, raffle and many more. All proceeds will go to the parish funds. We thank our Filipino parishioners for organising another community event.

### SPONSOR FR JUDE TO DANCE ON SEPT 5!

Fr Jude is going to dance "TINIKLING" – a Filipino folk dance. The dance involves two people beating, tapping, and sliding bamboo poles on the ground and against each other in coordination with one or more dancers who step over and in between the poles in a dance. Fr Jude is determined to be able to dance this difficult folk dance on September 5 during the Filipino Food and Culture Celebration at St Luke's grounds. If you would like to support Fr Jude, please see our ushers, speak to Fr Jude or look at his online appeal at [https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/fund-our-parish?utm\\_term=QM2zegA4P](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/fund-our-parish?utm_term=QM2zegA4P). Proceeds will go to Parish Projects.

### SPUC PETERBOROUGH

For a variety of reasons St. Luke's does not support or promote 'The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children', preferring instead Right To Life UK, of which our Cardinal recently became a patron & Life Charity which our diocese supports. However, you might be interested in a talk by John Deighan, new CEO of S.P.U.C. on Sat 11th September at St. Peter & All Souls. This will be followed by a buffet in the parish hall. Please contact Christine Conlon if you plan to attend: [christine18@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:christine18@tiscali.co.uk)