28th Sunday OT Year C

Psalter Week 4

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CHURCH OPEN

Daily 8am until dusk.

COFFEE HUB

Saturdays 10am – 11.30am

CONFESSIONS

Please see schedule for regular confession times. Also available on request.

BAPTISMS

Please contact the parish office.

EMERGENCY PRAYER

LINE (9 am-9 pm) 01223 276577

THE PILGRIM

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Roman Catholic Diocese of East Anglia Registered Charity number: 278742

| Saturday | 11 th | October | Feria |
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| 9.00 am 9.30 am 10 am 5.30 pm 6 pm 7.30 pm | | Rosary Mass Confessions Confessions Mass Mass in Polish | For the People Until 10.30 am Until 5.50 pm Anthony Bosquette + (MB) |
| Sunday | 12 th | October | 28 th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME |
| 8 am 9.30 am 11.15 am 1 pm 4.30 pm | | Mass Mass Mass Mass in Hungarian Mass in Tagalog | Maria Hennequin (GH) Rosa Julia Guelzow + (NAP) Jemi Fernando Moruk + & Charlie Kirk + |
| Monday | 13 th | October | Feria |
| 9.30 am | | Mass | Thomas Family (FC) |
| Tuesday | 14 th | October | Feria |
| 12.30 pm | | Mass | Veronica+ |
| 7 pm | | Mass | Emerito Yabut Barrera + (JRC) |
| Wednesday | 15 th | October | St Teresa of Jesus |
| 9.30 am | | Mass | Teresa Welford + (F) |
| 7 pm | | Mass | Elma Aquino (Thanksgiving) |
| Thursday | 16 th | October | Feria |
| 9.30 am 12.30 pm 6.30 pm | | Mass Requiem Mass Holy Hour | Ruth-Martina Abudulai (RA) Mary Black + Adoration and Confessions |
| Friday | 17 th | October | St Ignatius of Antioch |
| 12.30 pm | | Mass | Svetlana Grabic (EDP) |
| 7 pm | | Mass | Piotr Gawędzki + (AG) |
| Saturday | 18 th | October | ST LUKE, Evangelist |
| 9.00 am 9.30 am 10 am 5.30 pm 6 pm 7.30 pm | | Rosary Mass Confessions Confessions Mass Mass in Polish | Until 10.30 am Until 5.50 pm For the People |
| Sunday | 19 th | October | 29 th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME World Mission Day |
| 8.00 am 9.30 am 11.15 am 5.00 pm | | Mass Mass Mass Mass in Italian | Guillaume Hennequin (MH) Larry, Jerry, Paddy & Maggie Connors Margaret and Patrick O' Neill + (BE) Francesco RITA & Genoveffa Caccioppoli + (GR) |
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NEXT SUNDAY THERE WILL BE A 2ND COLLECTION FOR MISSIO.

We congratulate Celeste Maria and Theo, who have been baptised this week, and welcome them into the Church.

Parish Offering:

Many thanks for your offerings to the parish. Please do continue to give via the internet bank payment.

Our details are: ST LAURENCE'S CHURCH Sort Code: 09-01-53 Account Number: 14255486

Readings for Sunday (CTS 1072)

First Reading: Second Kings 5: 14-17

Naaman returned to the man of God and confessed his faith in the Lord.

Psalm: Psalms 98 (97)

The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.

<u>Second Reading: Timothy 2: 2: 8-13</u> If we endure, we will also reign with Christ <u>Gospel: Luke 17: 11-19</u>

No one was found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner.

Those recently deceased

Rita Taylor, Susan Littlechild, Pauline Brown, Mary Black, Reginald John Sherlock, Teresa Morris, Christopher Duckworth, Ruth Kent, Christine Magid, Austin Wynne, Brian Phillips, Pat Morris, Anne Maddocks, Gina Compagni, Elena Corlito, Patrick Mongan, Julia Reeve, Rick Glasswell, Eileen McEwan

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Eric Mitchell, Mary Bridget Power, Andrew Mundie, Douglas Cook, Mary Thatcher, Nirian Sabnani Patrick Callaghan, Arthur Smith, Eileen Wilto, Fr Ben Grist, Maria Guiseppa Carse, Carlos Alvarez, Jacinta Serantes, John McCaffery, Shirley Reece-Edwards, Hilda Finney, Kathleen O'Dwver. Mary Zengeni, Jane Collier, Marcus Campbell Carr, Esther Laura Hervey, Patrick Harte, Imre Csoti Mary (Ruth) McParlin.

Those who are sick

Joyce Adams, Giovanni Cirillo, Anna Battistelli, Florence Edith Gordon, Christine Josephine, Ellen McQuillan, Mary Gullick, Alex Riches, Augusta Dean, John Mongan, Peter Bradshaw, Shelly Ward, Mary Holmes, Sennan Bolger, Tony Cook, Daniel Clark, Sue Goodbody, Paul Black, Satti Apudrai, Leo & Claire Rossiter, Fiona Bolger, Darcie DaCosta, Margaret Plumb, Frank Kennedy, Jane Bradshaw, Teresa Brett, Isabel Grande, Doreen Crampsey, Martin Cox, Charles McEwan, Ruth Lindsey-Scott. Madeline Stacev. Nora O'Reilly, Rebecca Londei, Rebecca Morgan, Marie Morgan, Anne Baytell, Patricia Bentley.

<u>SVP CLOTHES WANTED PLEASE:</u> The SVP is supporting families - boys aged 5,6,9, and mothers size 8-10. If you have some clean winter clothes to help this family that you no longer need, please either leave clearly labelled "SVP CK" in the narthex or contact Christine on christine.knight@saintlaurence.org.uk. Thank you for your continuing support for the SVP and those we help.

<u>ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY CHRISTMAS CARDS</u> will be on sale after Masses on 25/26th October and 1st/2nd November. Your purchase will support the National and local SVP. Cash payments are preferred/quicker or you can pay by card. Thank you for your ongoing support and prayers for SVP.

THE PILGRIM MAGAZINE - ADVENT 2025: Hello from Nora Darby, Commissioning Editor for The PILGRIM, your parish magazine. My job is to find enough articles, stories, photos, etc., for each edition. And for this, I need your help. Do you have a story, serious or funny, a poem, or an article sharing what you have done, seen, where you've been, or what you're involved in that you would like to tell us about? Please share it with us. It would be great to see things from new or newer parishioners! I look forward to hearing from you. Send us your stories along with photos, if possible, to pilgrim@saintlaurence.org.uk. Anything you send should be your own work in your own words. Copies of other people's work may not be allowed. This also applies to photos and pictures. The Advent edition will be published on November 22nd/23rd, 2025. The final submission date is Friday, October 24th, 2025. If you have any questions or need help, please contact me at: pilgrim@saintlaurence.org.uk. Thanks, as always, for your help and support.

<u>RADIO MARIA INVITES YOU TO OUR MARIATHON:</u> 15th–17th October, as we "Turn Up the Volume" on the Quiet Revival in our nation. Hear inspiring guest speakers share stories of faith, growth, and renewal. Tune in via DAB+, the Radio Maria app, online at www.radiomariaengland.uk, or a smart speaker.

CAR BOOT SALE - 18TH OCTOBER, 8.30AM-2PM AT ST BEDE'S SCHOOL, IN AID OF ST PHILIP HOWARD CHURCH RENOVATION:

Come along to our neighbourhood Car Boot Sale at St Bede's School on Birdwood Road, CB1 3TD; there will be a range of items for sale, including delicious sweets and savouries at the Food Stall. Entry for adults is £1/children free. *Buyers - Find bargains for you, or as gifts, plus enjoy tasty food treats to eat there or take home; tea and coffee will be brewing. *Sellers - For further details or to book a pitch (with or without a car), please email sphreno25@gmail.com. Now is the time to sort and clear those toys, clothes, knick-knacks and household wares and bring them to sell; forget Vinted and Ebay, book a pitch at our Car Boot Sale! Deadline for booking is 11.59pm on Monday, 13th October. Parking may be limited; if local, please consider walking/cycling. Invite your friends and neighbours! Hope to see you on the 18th

<u>ITALIAN MASS</u>: Join us for the Italian Mass on Sunday, October 19th, at 5 PM. Everyone who would like to participate in any capacity is warmly invited to come forward. After the Mass, we will have a bring & share session in the Hall, where we encourage everyone to stay and bring something to share. All are welcome!

FR COLIN'S '84 FOR 84' WALK FOR MUTEMWA: Join us in celebrating Fr Colin's inspiring 84-mile walk for Mutemwa, undertaken in honour of his 84th birthday! Your generosity will support the incredible community of Mutemwa, where the legacy of John Bradburne continues to bring faith, hope, and care to those in need. Donate at: https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/frcolinwalk84. Contact us at info@johnbradburne.com

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRO-LIFE VOLUNTEERING: The world may be dark, but we can light candles. If you would like to help out with a pro-life event this autumn, email Karen by 15th October at karen@karenrodgers.co.uk

PARISH GROUPS

<u>BECOMING A CATHOLIC:</u> In September, we started a group for people who want to explore joining the Catholic Church. Several have already enquired. If you would like to join the group, please talk to Roberta Canning or Kay Dodsworth or email faithformation@saintlaurence.org.uk.

NEW ST LAURENCE PARISH COUNCIL: The first meeting of the new Parish Council will take place on Sunday 12th October at 7.30 in the Parish Hall.

OTHER NEWS

<u>IS OUR PARISH CALLING YOU? DO YOU HAVE A TRADE THAT CAN HELP OUR CHURCH?</u> If you have a special talent and you are happy to answer a calling from your Parish to advance our church, then please make yourself and your talents known to Fr Robin, email: robinjosephcrm@rcdea.org.uk. Everything is needed and helpful: i.e., plumbers, electricians, building industry specialists, designers, engineers, developers, structural engineers, architects, IT specialists, motor engineers, medical doctors, solicitors, just to name a few. We look forward to expanding our parish family with new members.

<u>HELP NEEDED FOR ABLAZE MASS</u>: We're looking for volunteers to share their talents: 1. **Pianist** needed once a month for our worship band (1st Sunday). Rehearsal beforehand, and all musicians welcome! 2. **Trainee audio/visual operators** to help with PowerPoint presentations for Mass—great for anyone working on a DOE award! Join us for joyful worship on the first Sunday of the month at 5 pm, followed by pizza. For more info, contact Gail Osman at gailosman@aol.com. Thank you!

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY:</u> Children's Liturgy takes place during both the 9:30 AM and 11:15 AM Masses. For the safety and well-being of every child, we kindly ask that all families pre-register their children on the parish portal. This helps us ensure we have a contact number for each child attending. You can access the parish portal at www.portal.saintlaurence.org.uk or by using the QR code provided.

