

Parish Collection 30/31 Oct £571.48
 6/7 Nov £252.00
 St. Edmunds Fund £52.30

The parish account details for Standing Orders are:

Bank: Allied Irish Bank
Account name: St Marys Mission Ipswich
Sort code: 23-85-87
Account Number: 32581081

Gift Aid Tax payers can increase the value of money donated by £1 for every £4 at no extra cost to themselves. Please complete the form on the web-site.

<https://st-mary.org.uk/gift-aid>

With grateful thanks for your continued support.

Our Parish Family - please pray for:

- Those who are unwell; especially Sheena Barker, Maria Beckett, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Tony Cairns, Nigel Day, Arabella Garrett, Gill Gleghorn, Adrian Hambly, Lily Healey, Val Irwin, Sandra Jones, Edward Kay, Audrey Kelly, David Knight, Paul Major, Maria Maltby, Veronica Mason, Alice McLeod, Joan McPhillips, John McPhillips, Angus Murray, Margaret O'Rourke, Anne Parry, Tom Patten, Brenda Peters, Ferial Rogers, Joan Roper, Max Steel, Fr John Warrington and John Williams. *(New entries in bold)*
- Those whose anniversaries are at this time: John Philip Burns, Frank Szuzerban, Martin Goonan, Helen Kennedy, Doris Catherine Major, Albert Maurice Pegg, Philip Jolly, Catherine King, Derek Mamo, Denis Barrett, Violet Woodard, Thomas Joseph Mulligan, Teresa Tinsley and Kathleen Hall. *May they rest in peace.*

Fr. Peter Raj, Parish Priest, The Presbytery, 322 Woodbridge Road, Ipswich. IP4 4BD. Tel: 01473 728115 email: parishpriest@st-mary.org.uk

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The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): By appointment
Baptisms and Marriages are celebrated by appointment.

How to access live streaming and other useful links can be found on the parish website <https://www.st-mary.org.uk> You can link directly to the parish YouTube channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCJ4RA2ocNUgNNombaKiy5A>



THE NEWSLETTER

St. Mary's Catholic Parish
 St. Mary's Church, St. Mary's Road, off Woodbridge Road &
 The Church of the Holy Family & St. Michael, Main Road, Kesgrave.
 Telephone 01473 728115
 Newsletter: newsletter@st-mary.org.uk Web: www.st-mary.org.uk

The Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 14 November 2021 Year B Remembrance Day

1st Reading Daniel 12:1-13

Psalm Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.

2nd Reading Hebrews 10:11-14. 18

Gospel Alleluia, alleluia!

Acclamation Stay awake and stand ready,
 because you do not know the hour
 when the Son of Man is coming.

Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 13:24-32

(Psalter Week 1)

Mass Times and Intentions

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| Sa | HF | 18.00 | Graham Levell + (Ann Hanman) | |
| Su | SM | 09.00 | Jennie Ribbans + (Family) | LS 33rd Ordinary Sunday 14th November |
| | HF | 09.15 | Philip & Barbara Jones (Angie Gettings) | |
| | SM | 10.30 | Kitson & O'Neill Families + (R & N Kitson) | |
| | SM | 18.00 | For the People of the Parish | |
| M | SM | 09.15 | Roisin O'Neill (F) | LS Feria |
| Tu | SM | 09.15 | Lynda Hills + (Ann & David Gleave) | LS Feria |
| W | SM | 09.15 | Chinedu Ekwunife + (Lotachi Ekwunife) | Feria |
| | HF | 10.00 | Agnes+ & John+ Griffin (Maureen Morrison) | |
| Th | No Mass | | | Feria |
| F | HF | 10.00 | Concetta Ada Elisabetta Antonietta Borg (F) | Feria |
| | SM | 17.30 | Eleanor, Laurence & family (Bridget & Stephen) | |
| Sa | SM | 09.30 | Thomas & Jannie Brady (F) | LS St Edmund |
| | HF | 18.00 | Margaret Edmondson + (Ann Hanman) | |
| Su | SM | 09.00 | Andrew Gunn + Phillips Family) | LS Christ the King 21st November |
| | HF | 09.15 | Derek Mamo + (Jill Mamo) | |
| | SM | 10.30 | For the People of the Parish | |
| | SM | 18.00 | Kathleen Halter (F) | |

HF Holy Family

SM St Mary's

LS Live Streamed

Blessing of the Graves in the Ipswich Cemetery will take place today Sunday, **November 14th** at 2.30pm. We assemble in the Lawn Cemetery, and after saying Afternoon Prayer from the Office of the Dead together, clergy will be available to be taken to, and bless, individual graves.

Books of Remembrance will be in both churches from this weekend and throughout the month of November. Please enter the names of deceased family and friends who you wish to be remembered in prayers during the month.

Secular Franciscans – We are an Order in the Church for lay people (married or single) seeking to live a committed Christian life taking inspiration from the unique life of St Francis of Assisi. Members live as other people in their local communities, in their own homes, they marry and raise families, they work. At the heart of the Secular Franciscan Order is St Francis' call to lead the Gospel life. His message was, and remains, one of total love for, and commitment to Jesus Christ and His values, so clearly revealed to us in the Gospels. It is a message of total love of God, and our neighbours - whoever and wherever they are - and indeed all of creation. A simple message that is modern and for today. Members of the Ipswich Fraternity will be holding their November meeting at St Mary's Church on **Sunday 14th** - commencing at 2.30pm - visitors to our meetings are always welcome. For further information, please contact: Ann and David Gleave (01473 720668).

100+ Club Winners We are pleased to announce the winners of the November draw (7th Nov): 1st £25, No. 74 Mr Politowicz, 2nd £15, No. 97 Dorothy Collins, 3rd £10, No. 92 Fr John Warrington.

Defibrillator for St. Mary's Church It was agreed at a recent meeting of the Parish Finance Committee that a defibrillator should be installed at St. Mary's Church (there is already one in place at Holy Family). Donations towards the cost of this life saving equipment would be welcomed.

Synod 2021 2023 The first two meetings giving parishioners an opportunity to contribute to this process will be held this week. If you cannot attend dates designated for your group, please feel free to attend any group.

Readers, Ministers & Catechists **7.00pm Tues 16 Nov (SM)**
Flower arrangers, cleaners, other volunteers **7.00pm Wed 17 Nov (SM)**



The Friends of St Alban's
Presents



Fish and Quiz Night



At St. Alban's Catholic High School IP4 3NJ
November Friday **19**
7pm start (Quiz starts 7.30pm)



Teams of up to 6 (can be made on the night)
Quiz master for the evening will be Mr Baker

£8 per person, includes supper

Supper: Cod and Chips / Sausage and Chips / Veggie Burger and Chips from



please indicate your preference when buying your tickets

Reply by 15 November 2021

Licensed Cash Bar – Raffle – Advanced Booking Essential



A Fun Fundraising Event
for ages 15 and over
Purchase tickets from:
Reception 01473 726178
or ParentMail





This year's Christmas Food vouchers for those in need in our twinned parishes are now available on St Mary's website in a print yourself format for a donation. The amount you donate is at your discretion but you might like to use as a guide the price of the pre-pandemic vouchers, which were £5 £10 £20. Anything above this is of course most welcome too.

Thank you in advance for your long standing support and your customary generosity. Be assured that the friendship between our communities is valued by our Cambodian brothers and sisters who are always appreciative of what you do for them and keep you in their prayers.

How to donate

Donations can either be made by cheque payable to '**Friends of Cambodia**' and left at St Mary's Presbytery/Church for the attention of Val Olsen, or by bank transfer to the following account;

Barclays Bank

Account Name: Friends of Cambodia

Sort Code: 20-44-51

Account number: 73175731

Reference: gift voucher

If you are a taxpayer, please complete a Gift Aid Declaration form, available as a link on the Parish website (under Parish Information / Gift Aid) or printed at the back of both Churches, mark it 'Cambodia' and return to the presbytery. If you have already completed one of these for Cambodia (separately from the Parish) you do not need to complete another, this will be automatically gift aided. If you are unsure, do complete another, just in case. It makes your donation go further at no extra cost to you.

Please note that to help those without access to the Internet or printing facilities, it is planned to sell a small number of vouchers after Mass in the second half of December.

Advent Taizé Service in St Mary's Church, Woodbridge Rd,
Ipswich

Thurs, Dec 2 @ 7. 30pm

(45 mins approx)

and

streamed

<https://youtu.be/pWcgv5ipFgw>

"Small Worlds" An Exhibition of Dolls' Houses, Room Boxes and Vintage Toys in aid of **EACH Treehouse Project**. Saturday Nov 27th - Sunday Nov 28th 10am - 4pm Angela Cobbold Hall, Little Bealings, IP13 6LN. Seasonal Refreshments. Themed vintage sale table.

God Who Speaks – Advent & Christmas Resources this website has a variety of resources for parishes and families to use through Advent including:

Donkey Detective - Travel with our donkey detective from Nazareth to Bethlehem as he seeks to unravel the Christmas story. Pick up clues along the way and store them on his saddle. Downloadable story script by Tony Bower provided for narration. Downloadable 3D donkey and clues to cut-out and assemble (full colour and b/w options provided). Suitable for ages 6-9.

godwhospeaks.uk/the-christmas-donkey

Family Advent Box (FAB)

An amazing alternative to an advent calendar, our FAB provides all the ingredients for a meaningful, memory making, relationship -building family Christmas that's fun for all. Only one box needed for the whole family. Contains poster, stickers, bookmark, daily readings, wooden ornaments, deck of cards and many more activities.

biblesociety.org.uk/products/bib-000589



St Vincent
de Paul Society
England and Wales
Turning Concern into Action

St Mary's Ipswich SVP Conference The St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) is a Catholic organisation that seeks to help anyone lonely or in need of regular contact. Our Parish SVP would like to know of

People who might like support, a friendly visit or just a chat on the phone. If you know anyone who might benefit from a visit, please contact **Debbie** on **01473 410871**

Bringing joy this Christmas



Once again, both our Churches in St Mary's Parish are joining FIND (our local food bank) in their Christmas Gift Appeal - to bring joy to people (especially children) all around Ipswich.

This year we need **Gift Vouchers** -

£10 upwards (must have receipts, please)

E vouchers (printed) are very welcome too

Plus the traditional, boxes of : **Biscuits, Sweets, Chocolates**

Please bring them to Church:

November 27th/28th - the First weekend of Advent

or

December 4th/ 5th

Many thanks

Applications for Reception 2022 places should be made through the Suffolk County Council Admissions website

www.suffolk.gov.uk/children-families-and-learning/schools/school-places/apply-for-a-primary-school-place-20222023/ **St. Mary's**

Primary School requires a completed Supplementary Form (SIF) which can be found on our website

www.stmaryscatholicprimaryipswich.com **under Key Information - Admissions. Both forms should be submitted by 15th January 2022. Thank you**

St Pancras Primary School, will be holding two open mornings on the 10th and 17th November and an open evening on 24th November for those parents who would be interested in viewing the school & applying for a Reception Class place for 2022/2023 - please make contact with the school to book an appointment: telephone number 01473 742074

St John's CEVA Primary School Open Mornings You are warmly invited to our open morning Thursday 18th Nov; 9.30am tour followed by headteacher's talk. Our School Prospectus & Admissions Policy are available on line @ www.st-johns.suffolk.sch.uk. **Please contact the school office to book your place. All visitors to the school are asked to wear a face covering whilst on the school site.**

Calling all Young People in Y7 and above. You are invited to join in with **Carol Singing**. All abilities are welcome. We will be participating in the Parish's Carol Service on the **12th Dec** and singing at a couple other venues too. Practices will be held on the **27th Nov, 4th and 11th Dec 2021** in the parish hall from 6 to 7pm. If you are interested, please contact Winnie on 07837133425. Or fill in a parental consent form which are available in the both churches and drop off at the presbytery by **23rd November**.

World Youth Day - this November 2021! As well as International World Youth Days, Pope Francis has asked that 'Youth Sunday' is now known as 'World Youth Day' with each diocese throughout the world running a special event! All young people **Year 7 upwards** are invited to '**World Youth Day East Anglia**' held at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist on Saturday 20th November, 12pm – 8pm. There will be live Music, inspiring talks, powerful prayer times and a vigil Mass with the Bishop to welcome in World Youth Day. Places are limited - to book a place and for more information, please see www.rcdea.org.uk/youth

Please remember in your prayers the young people preparing for Confirmation on Tuesday 23rd November in St. Mary's Church at 6pm and their catechists helping them on their journey.

Deputy Headteacher required at St Alban's Catholic Primary School Cambridge. Are you an inspiring Deputy Headteacher who would like to work in a very successful school in the heart of Cambridge city? We are looking for someone new to fill this position due to the promotion of our current Deputy. For more details contact Joanne Koehler, School administrator, on 01223 712148, office @ stalbans.cambs.sch.uk or http://www.stalbans.cambs.sch.uk/vacancies/job_opportunities.html This post is from February half term 2022. Closing date Fri 3 Dec.

Repository Christmas cards and gifts are available from the repository

Christmas Wreath Workshop Wednesday 1st December 7 - 9 pm at St James' Church Hall, Landseer Road, Ipswich. IP3 9LU. Everything will be provided but if you have any special decorations you would like to incorporate, please bring them along. For more information and to book your place contact Janet Irvine on 01473 659779.