



Our Lady's Parish, Stowmarket

Tel. 01449 612946 + Fr Simon Leworthy, PP + 18th October, 2020 (MISSION SUNDAY)



SACRED LITURGY

Sat. (*Vigil*) 6pm - +Fr Tom Crowley

Sun. 8.30am - +Paul Skinner (Faulkner)

10.15am - "For the Parish"

Mon. 10am - +Fr Stan Campbell

Tues. 6.30pm - +Fr Dennis Allen

Wed. 10am - +Msgr Leo White

Thur. 10am - +Fr Paul Tarpey

Fri. 10am - +Fr Hugh Dowdell

Confessions - Saturday, 10 - 10.45am *[Please wear a face mask and sanitise before entering the confessional; and please use the Grill.]*

Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Thursday, 9.00-9.45am

Our Sick and Housebound - are remembered in the Mass "For the Parish" each weekend.

Recently Deceased - Margaret Balfe, Pat Savill, Enid Wootton, Sr Lucy Mary Brydon, Joy Rowe.

Anniversaries - Alec Tobin, Barry Griffin, Len Batten, Francis Ford.

Collections last week -

Vigil Mass - £97

Sunday Masses - £484

Fabric (11th Oct.) - £86

Thank you

2nd Collection THIS weekend for the Missions.

VARIOUS CONTACTS

PPC Chair - Mrs Josephine Lea (01449 721544)

Centre Bookings - Mrs Diane Bowden (01449 672527)

Helping Hands Group - Contact: Paul McIntee (01359 242074)

Stowmarket & District Foodbank - Contact: Mrs Josephine Lea

Marriage Care (*Ipswich & Colchester Centre*) - 0800-3893801

Parish Website - ourladystowmarket.org.uk

Items for Newsletter - pp@ourladystowmarket.org.uk

First Holy Communion - Those parents wishing their children to receive First Communion in 2021 can see Father at Sunday Mass for an application form.

Confirmation - Younger parishioners desirous of being confirmed in 2021 and their families can speak about this to Father at Sunday Mass. Older parishioners, also, are welcome to enquire.

Sick & Housebound - Parishioners at home and unable to travel to Sunday Mass, and wishing to receive the Sacraments, should contact Father at the Presbytery.

Stowmarket Foodbank - This week's urgent needs are tinned hot meats, sugar and toilet rolls. Shampoo, shower gel, toothpaste and toothbrushes are always gratefully received.

CAFOD Family Fast Day. Please bring in your envelopes as soon

as possible. You can also donate online at cafod.org.uk/give; or text CAFOD to 70085 to donate £10.

Date for Your Diary: Sunday, 25th October - There will be a stall selling home-made jams, chutneys and pickles, after both Sunday Masses. All proceeds will benefit our twinned parish in Cambodia - St John the Baptist, in Siem Riep.



29TH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY
TIME

What belongs
to Caesar...
What belongs
to God.

Return to Woolpit - The Parish will be recommencing the celebration of the Vigil Mass in Woolpit as of this Saturday.

Hall Building Works: Update - The Works are progressing well, with the lift installed last week. The kitchen and remodelled toilets are largely complete, as is the smaller disabled toilet in the church foyer. The new Hall store room is finished, also. Everything has gone to plan, and it is hoped to complete the project by early November. The project is running on budget, albeit later than initially hoped.

OCTOBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Pope St John Paul II On the Rosary (2002)

THE ROSARY of the Virgin Mary...blends easily into the spiritual journey of the Christian life, which, after two thousand years, has lost none of the freshness of its beginnings.

INDEED, IT feels drawn by the Spirit of God to "launch out into the deep" in order once more to proclaim, and even cry out, before the world that Jesus Christ is Lord and Saviour - "the way, and the truth and the life", "the goal of human history and the point on which the desires of history and civilization turn".



Some singing has been reintroduced at the 10.15am Mass. Please note that this is only permitted, at the moment, for the choir.

The Diocesan Newspaper - is once again available. Please, if you take one, take it with you.

Some printed copies of the Parish Bulletin are available. If you take one, in the interests of hygiene, please take it away with you.

CAFOD - *Response to Covid-19*: You can donate at cafod.org.uk/coronavirus or justgiving.com/fundraising/our-lady-s-parish-stowmarket Contact: Rosemary Muntus

Red Mission Boxes - Donations may be made, at present, via the options on the *Missio* website: <https://missio.org.uk/redbox/> Contact: Rae Corrigan