



Our Lady's Parish, Stowmarket

Tel. 01449 612 946 + Fr Simon Leworthy, PP + 10th October, 2021



SACRED LITURGY

Saturday (*Vigil*), 6pm - + Fr David Perrett

Sunday, 8.30am - "*Mass for the Parish*"

10.15am - + Fr Frank Perry, msc

Monday, 10am - + Stuart Everitt (Ford)

Tuesday, 10am - + Fr Jordan Perry, OP

Wednesday, 10am - + Msgr Wayne Peters

Thursday, 10am - Episcopal Election

Friday, 10am - + Fr Steven Reeves

FEASTS DURING THE WEEK - TUESDAY: *St Wilfrid*, WEDNESDAY: *St Edward the Confessor*, THURSDAY: *St Callistus*; FRIDAY: *St Teresa of Avila*.

Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Thursdays, 9-9.45am

Confessions - Saturdays, 10-10.45am

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

Recently Deceased - Stuart Everitt, Christopher Keeble, Peter Harding, Sylvia Telling, Ted Hammond, Fr Eugene McCaffrey, ODC, Michael McBrien, John Campbull, Josephine Miller.

Anniversaries - George Martin, Anne Hewlett, John Symonds, Clare Hanlon, Lidia Monai.

Collections last week -

Vigil £204.05

Sunday Masses £457.92

Fabric Fund (3rd October) £170.50

Thank you

VARIOUS CONTACTS

PPC Chair - Mrs Josephine Lea (01449 721544)

Centre Bookings - Mrs Diane Bowden (01449 672527)

Stowmarket & District Foodbank - Mrs Josephine Lea

Missions - Mrs Annie Bowen-Wright

CAFOD - Mrs Rosemary Muntus

Parish Website - ourladystowmarket.org.uk

Items for Bulletin - pp@ourladystowmarket.org.uk

Stowmarket Foodbank - If you are able to donate any goods, they can be left either in the narthex of the church or in the Parish Centre. Any contribution of goods is gratefully received, but current urgent needs are tinned custard, packet custard and tinned hot dogs. Any cash donations can be put into the *Catholic Centre* letter box in an envelope marked "*Food Bank*." Your continued support is appreciated.

Missions - If you have a full Red Box at home, please bring it in to the Sacristy. Donations may, also, be made, at present, via the options on the *Missio* website: missio.org.uk

Tea & Coffee - will be available in the *Catholic Centre*, following the 10.15 Mass today.

First Holy Communion - Meeting for Parents and Children: Sunday, 17th October, at 9.30am, in the *Catholic Centre*.

"Gate of Heaven-Refuge on Earth" - Retreat to be held at *Clare Priory*, Suffolk. Thursday, 14th - Sunday, 17th October. See Noticeboard for details.

Holy Baptism - The Parish rejoices with the recently baptized and their families: Pearl-Elston Dzerujo, and David & Sophia Szamko.

CAFOD - *Family Fast Day* was 1st October. Donations can be sent via justgiving.com/fundraising/our-lady-s-parish-stowmarket

Cop-26 Meal & Discussion Evening - Thursday, 21st October, 7-9pm, in the Hall. RSVP to Rosemary Muntus. See Noticeboard for further details.

"From Darkness into His own Wonderful Light" - day of prayer and renewal in the Holy Spirit, led by Fr Luke Goymour (PP, Brandon). For details, see the Noticeboard.

National Novena to Pope St John Paul II, 13th-22nd October, for the Defeat of the Assisted Dying Bill, in the House of Lords.



MERCIFUL GOD, we pray with thanks and gratitude for the great spiritual gift of Saint John Paul II's apostolic life and mission.

THROUGH HIS heavenly intercession we ask that the 'Assisted Dying' Bill be defeated and that the infinite worth of each human person is upheld through proper investment in palliative care. **GRANT ALSO THAT** we may grow in love for You and proclaim boldly to all people. the love of Jesus Christ; Who is Lord for ever and ever. Amen **Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be**

Update on masks, track & trace, etc. - These are currently at the level of considered personal choice. The *Bishops' Conference* do suggest, however, that singing is best done masked for now.