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**18th JUNE 2023 – YEAR A**

**ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

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**MYSTERY OF FAITH:** When we eat this Bread…

**Sat:** 6:30pm - Special Intention

**Sun:** 10:00am - People of St Peter’s living & deceased

**Tue:** 10:30am - UCM Mass, 28 Knuston Spinney, Irchester, NN29 7ES. All welcome

**Wed:** 7:30pm - Dante Tonolo

**Thu:** 9:30am - Wilkins Family

**Fri:** 7:30pm - Joe Donohoe (Ireland)

**Sat:** 6:30pm - Jimmy Lavin

**Sun:** 10:00am - People of St Peter’s living & deceased

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 11am - 11:30am

Rosary: Wednesday 7:10pm

**Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Sheila Pettitt, Brian Roberts, Zdzislaw Rudzinski, Mary Cross, Mary Tobin,Brigid McKeown, Edward Mander, Wictor Sidoroski, George Brown, Bridget Clarke, Iwan Prokopiuk, Len Hennell, John Kinsella, Joan Swords, Frank McManus, Jimmy Lavin, Fr Peter Rogan, Teresa (Tess) Doran, Emma Cowley and Nora O’Halloran.

**Please remember in Prayer**

Sam, Lewis, Nathan, Kele, Ivan & family , Bianca & family, Anne, Mary, Catherine, Ann, John, June, Margaret, Angela & family, Terry, Andy & family, Merin, Edwin, Isobel, Albin, Susan, Pauline, Bris, Nick, the Skilton and Vallet families, Bernie, Anna, James, Dan, the Ferguson family, Emir, Claude, Archie, Cyprian, the Collett family, Jeff and Kevin.

**OFFERTORY:** Last week’s collection amounted to £512.43. Thank you very much.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** This weekend is for Day for Life.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023:** Our congratulations to the young people who received the Holy Eucharist last Sunday for the first time. May they be blessed always and hunger to receive Jesus often. A special thank you to the Catechists who over many months supported their families in sharing God’s love for each of them.

**THE LAST NIGHT OF THE PROMS:** Celebrating 30 years, Northamptonshire Carers Choir and Brass Band will be performing at the Castle Theatre, Wellingborough on Saturday June 24th at 7pm. Tickets are £12.50 or free for Carer accompanying Cared-for person. See poster at back of church. For information and booking, please email [castle.info@parkwoodtheatres.co.uk](file:///C%3A%5CJoe%5CDocuments%5CWeekly%20Newsletters%5C2023%5Ccastle.info%40parkwoodtheatres.co.uk)

**OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:** The bereaved family of Patrick (Paddy) Murray who died recently and whose funeral Mass will take place here on Monday June 26th. May he rest in peace. He will be received into church at 4pm on Sunday June 25th.

**YOUR SYMPATHY:** Is also requested for the family and friends of Veronica Emerick who died recently and whose funeral will take place here at 12:30pm on Wednesday June 28th. May she rest in peace.

**FOODBANK DONATIONS:** There is a comprehensive list of requested items at the back of Church (including tinned foods & household goods). Please keep the donations coming, as stocks are running low and demand is increasing more and more. Thanks to everyone for all the donations, both of goods and money!

**DIOCESAN MEETING:** Takes place on July 15th and we need at least two or more representatives from our parish to attend. Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible for more details.

**OUR MISSION APPEAL:** Supports mission activity across our diocese through our support for young people, social action and evangelisation. Please visit the diocesan website [www.northamptondiocese.org](www.northamptondiocese.org%20) for more information and please pray for the mission of our Church in Northamptonshire, Bedfordshire, Buckinghamshire and that part of Berkshire north of the river Thames. Please take a giving envelope with you as you leave the church and return it next week. Thank you.

**ASSEMBLY INSIGHT - WEEK 9:**

Our Assembly reflections also include our diocesan resources, including people, property and finances. We pray that we may be open to the Holy Spirit as we discern a missionary future for our diocese.

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” Matthew 28: 19-20

**Prayer of the Faithful:**

We pray that we might be good stewards of our diocesan resources, whether people, property or money, that through the Synod and Assembly process, we may listen to the Holy Spirit and discern the future together.

**ASSEMBLY WEBINARS:** Monday nights at 7:30pm,

are a chance for everyone to get involved in thinking about some of the key themes that came from last year’s Synod listening. Register here:

[https://assembly\_webinars.eventbrite.co.uk](https://assembly_webinars.eventbrite.co.uk/)

June 19th: The role and life of the priest in the post-pandemic Church, especially workload, vocation and pastoral care: chaired by Fr John Udris.

**LIVING FAITH:** Daily scripture reflection magazine for July to September 2023 now in Church, priced £1.50.

**ADORATION:** Tuesday from 10am to 6pm.

**New QR code for St Peter Apostle Rushden**

Donations can now be made using our new QR code or by using the following link:

[https://donate.mydona.com/st-peter-apostle-rushden](https://donate.mydona.com/st-peter-apostle-rushden%20). All major payment types accepted. Payments are safe and secure.