

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES & ST JOHN FISHER

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6th September 2026

(Year A; Psalter Week 3)

PAPAL INTENTIONS SEPTEMBER 2026

For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

OLOL FINANCE:

Thank you very much for your generosity. Last month you gave:

Standing Orders: £4,865

Cash/Card: £645

Stipends: £30

Donations: £340

Cheques payable to:
**OLOL & SJF PARISH
BACS Barclays Bk,
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Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

MASS ATTENDANCE 30th August 2026

8.45 am = 99

11.15 am = 101

Total = 200 people

WELCOME TO VISITORS!

We hope you feel welcome and will join us for tea/ coffee in the Church Hall after Sunday Masses.

DATES	OLOL MASS TIME	SJF MASS TIME
SUNDAY 06.09.2026 THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Maria Di Martino+, Irene Meade+, Margaret Griffiths+, Geronimo Pausanos+, Catherine Flett's Intentions) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (P.V. Thomas+, Thanksgiving)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass with Baptism of Leonie and Olivia (Paul Kemsley+, Pro Populo)
MONDAY 07.09.2026 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Constance O'Connell+, Hilda Meehan +)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Victims of War and Natural tragedies)
TUESDAY 08.09.2026 THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY Feast	7.00 pm: Holy Mass (Patricia Marchant+, OLOL Friends & Benefactors)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Francis Glanfield+, Fr Paul Mercer+)
WEDNESDAY 09.09.2026 St Peter Claver P.	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Jane Flanagan+, Maggie Kelly+, Lukose Makul+)	12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Mortimer Flanagan+, Fr James Smith+)
THURSDAY 10.09.2026 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Oscar Giray+, Crescencio Barasona Sr.+, Clifford Burt+, Anna Crutchley+, Clement Sandhurst+, Eileen Cooke+, Richard W Glasswell+)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Peace in the world)
FRIDAY 11.09.2026 Feria	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Canon William Burrows+, Private Ints.)	6.30 pm: Holy Mass (For the harvests)
SATURDAY 12.09.2026 The Most Holy Name of Mary	9.30 am: Holy Mass (Patricia Ekins+, Benefactors) 2.00 pm: Holy Mass with Anointing of the Sick	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (SJF Friends & Benefactors)
SUNDAY 13.09.2026 THE TWENTY- FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Education day	8.45 am: Holy Mass (Pro Populo, Belinda Rushton+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Gwen Rushton's intentions)	5.00 pm: Holy Mass (For the sick and those who care for them)

SUNDAY MISSAL: Please see the following pages for Mass this Sunday:

P. 396 **Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

P. 455 **Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed**

P. 473 **Sunday Preface III**

P. 494 **Eucharistic Prayer II**

P. 459 **Communion Rite**



For readings at Mass, please go to:
<https://universalis.com/mass.htm>

Responsorial Psalm:

O that today you would listen to his voice!
'Harden not your hearts.'

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia.

God was in Christ reconciling the world to himself,
and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation.

Alleluia.

Acclamation following the Consecration:

*Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and
Resurrection you have set us free.*

MASS OF ANNOINTING – Saturday, 12 September 2026 at 2.00 p.m. followed afterwards by refreshments in the Parish Hall. If you can help serve teas and with the preparation beforehand and clearing afterwards please contact Julie Ball on 07916 429717, 01223 834141 or email juliecbakk42@hotmail.com

A TASTE OF KERALA – CHARITY EVENING

Friday 2nd October 6-9pm Church Hall. A lavish feast of Keralan food to raise funds for 'The Angels Village' in Kerala. It is a visionary project with differently-abled people, their families and support staff living together in a holistic community. Look it up at 'angelsvillage.in' Members of our Keralan community are donating the food so that all ticket sales will directly fundraise the project. Tickets are £20 and £10 for children KS3 and below. If you are unable to attend, do please consider making a donation via one of the after-mass ticket sellers. Cash preferred, but card reader available.

CALLING ALL FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES FOR 2027

We are welcoming students for First Holy Communion (Year 3 and above) and Confirmation (Year 9 and above) classes for 2026-2027 academic year. There will be an information evening for parents of Confirmation candidates in September (date tbc). Forms can be found on the parish website. Please submit forms to the parish office by 15/9/2026.

OPPOSE ASSISTED SUICIDE – CONTACT YOUR MP:

The Terminally ill Adults Bill returns to the House of Commons for its Second Reading on Friday, 11 Sept. 2026. Please pray for respect of the sanctity of life, for

those who are suffering, and for those who are caring for the elderly and the terminally ill.

FR SHINTO VARGHESE CRM is our diocesan-appointed hospital chaplain.

In periculo mortis: Please ask the staff nurse to contact him.

In non-emergency cases, please phone 01223-217769 (and leave a message if no answer). Or email him at olemap1@rcdea.org.uk

There are Catholic volunteers who bring Holy Communion, just make a request via the staff nurse.

SEASON OF CREATION: A SEASON FOR "LIVING WATER"

From 1 Sept. to 4 Oct. we reflect on the year's theme: "Living Water". Our faith teaches us that the universe reflects the face of Jesus Christ. Protecting our water sources is an environmental goal, and a duty born of faith and a matter of social, economic, and human justice. Visit <https://cafod.org.uk/pray/season-of-creation> for more information.

PARISH FORUM MEETING: Tuesday 6th Oct. at 7.30pm

You are invited to the third and final parish forum of the year to be held in the parish hall at 7.30pm on 6th October. ALL parishioners are most welcome and indeed encouraged to attend. Do feel free to suggest an item for the agenda or raise one on the night. These meetings enable the parish to discern a way forward in a wide range of areas and activities, including fund raising, education in faith and outreach of all kinds, guided by the Holy Spirit.

If you would like to suggest an item for the agenda, do email it to belldominic212@gmail.com

ADOREMUS National Eucharistic Congress, 10th

October 2026, London. 12pm, The Adoremus Mass, followed by a keynote address by Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe OP. 3pm, Eucharistic Procession to Westminster Cathedral. If you would like to participate email: peter.wygnanski@rcdea.org.uk

A prayer for our earth

All powerful God, you are present in the smallest of your creatures.

You embrace with your tenderness all that exists.

Pour out upon us the power of your love, that we may protect life and beauty.

O God of the poor, help us to rescue the abandoned and forgotten of this earth, so precious in your eyes.

Bring healing to our lives, that we may protect the world and not prey on it, that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction.

Touch the hearts of those who look only for gain at the expense of the poor and the earth.

Teach us to discover the worth of each thing, to be filled with awe and contemplation, to recognize that we are profoundly united with every creature as we journey towards your infinite light.

We thank you for being with us each day.

Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle, for justice, love and peace.