

**Entrance antiphon:**

He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

**Psalm response:**

O praise the Lord, Jerusalem!

**Sequence: Last 2 verses on page 830**

Come then, Good Shepherd, bread divine,  
Still show to us thy mercy sign,  
Oh feed us still, still keep us thine;  
So may we see thy glories shine  
In fields of immortality;

O thou, the wisest, mightiest, best,  
Our present food, our future rest,  
Come, make us each thy chosen guest,  
Co-heirs of thine, and comrades blest  
With saints whose dwelling is with thee.

**Acclamation:** Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever. Alleluia!

**The Apostles Creed** is on page 8.

**To follow the Bidding Prayers:**

**Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy,**  
hail our life, our sweetness and our hope.  
To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve,  
to you do we send up, our sighs,  
mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.  
Turn then, most gracious advocate,  
your eyes of mercy towards us, and after this our exile,  
show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus.  
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

**To conclude the Bidding Prayers:**

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.  
where there is hatred, let me sow love;  
where there is injury, pardon; where there is despair, hope;  
where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy.  
O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled  
as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love.  
For it is in giving that we receive;  
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned;  
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

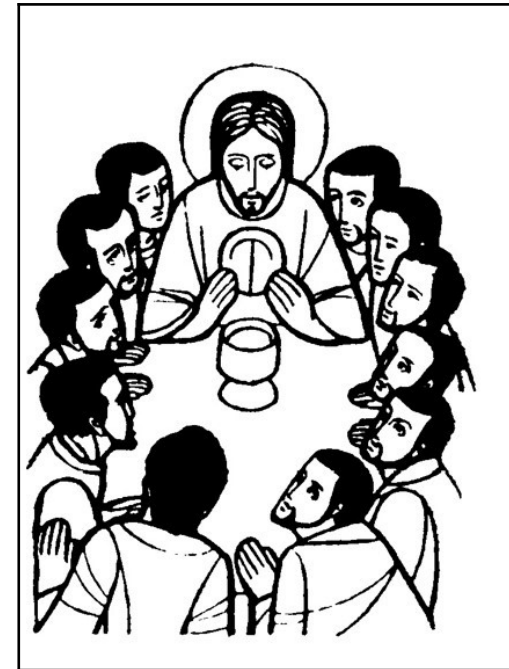
**Communion Antiphon:** Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood  
remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.



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11th June, 2023

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



*“This is my body. This is my blood.”*

## WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

If you are a visitor or new to the parish, we welcome you warmly.

All Masses are live streamed and Mass streaming links can be found at [www.saintmichaelsonningcommon.org.uk](http://www.saintmichaelsonningcommon.org.uk)

If you would like a home visit please call Fr Michael Tel: 0118 972 3418, Deacon Brian Theobald Tel: 07484332580 or email the parish office.

There will be a **SECOND COLLECTION next week** on behalf of Day for Life

**Parishioner Keith May writes**, following my appeal for sponsorship on behalf of World Vision, I raised a total of £1,335-50. Of this sum, £855-50 was donated by members of St Michael's Church. Gift Aid forms were also completed and can be claimed on donations totalling £565-00.

On behalf of World Vision, I would like to thank those who donated money, for their kind generosity.

### PARISH SAFEGUARDING

The diocese are holding online inductions on the following dates, each session will be via Microsoft Teams and will last between 1.5 - 2 hours.

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm and Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 1pm

These sessions whilst aimed at new Safeguarding Representatives can be attended by anyone no matter how long they have been doing the role as an update/refresher. Meeting ID: 325 187 275 164 Passcode: pB2s4b

### YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Over the next couple of months we will be highlighting key areas where help is needed in sustaining and developing the life of the parish.

Every two weeks a different area will be highlighted.

This week and next week we are seeking help with **Welcomers** in the church. To find out more, please talk to Fr Michael or Deacon Brian.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**FIRST COMMUNION SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY AT ST MICHAEL'S**  
10.30am, Sunday, 18th June

**CONFIRMATION SERVICE AT ST MICHAEL'S**  
12 noon, Sunday, 9th July

**ST MICHAEL'S PATRONAL WEEKEND**  
29th September—1st October

**CIRDIC** underwear for men and women needed - please put all donations in the New Grey Box in the alcove at the back of church.

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

11th June, 2023

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	The Benefactors of the Johnson Fund
Sunday	9.00 am	People of the Parish
	10.30 am	For the Intentions of the Thomas Family
Monday	9.30 am	The Benefactors of the Johnson Fund
<b>Tuesday</b>		<b>No Mass</b> - Deanery Meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	<b>Mass at St Martin's School - All Welcome</b>
Thursday	12.00 pm	Ukraine
Friday	9.30 am	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

18th June, 2023

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	The Benefactors of the Johnson Fund
Sunday	9.00 am	People of the Parish
	10.30 am	First Holy Communion Service

**Please note the changes to Mass Times this week on Tuesday and Wednesday**

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)** will be available in the Sacristy this Saturday, 10th June, from 10.00am—10.30am or at any time on request.

**The Sacrament of the Sick**-any time on request. Tel: Fr. Michael on 0118 972 3418

### PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Dominic Antão, Catherine Belletty, Peter Bussell, Savanna Clark, Jean Davies, Bob Ely, Alison Flynn, Cecilia Fung, Mary Hagger, Jim Hardiman, Rogan Hodgson, Vivien Kear, Jennifer Learmonth, Mary Lewis, Louise Milledge, Reuben Muston, Veronica Parker, John Raynard, Elizabeth Rogers, Fr, Paul Rowan, Peppin Sanz, Beth Selwood, Geoffrey Stitt, Shirley Trollop.

**May the Lord bring them healing and peace.**

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children are invited to go up to the Church Hall at the beginning of 10.30am Mass for the children's Liturgy

**GOSPEL SHARE** - A weekly reflective look at the following Sunday's Gospel on Zoom lasting 30 minutes. Wednesdays at 7.00pm. For zoom codes email [dcn.brian.theobald@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:dcn.brian.theobald@rcaob.org.uk)

### THE FLOWER ARRANGING GROUP

We are looking for new members - please see the flyer at the back of church.

### THE GARDENING GROUP

We meet every Tuesday (weather permitting) from 9:30am -12.30pm