

Entrance antiphon: To you I call: for you will surely hear me, O God;
turn your ear to me; hear my words.
Guard me as the apple of your eye;
in the shadow of your wings protect me.

Psalm response: Give the Lord glory and power.

Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord,
consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

The Apostles Creed is on page 8.

To follow the Bidding Prayers:

Remember, O most loving Virgin Mary,
that it is a thing unheard of,
that anyone ever had recourse to your protection,
implored your help, or sought your intercession and was left unaided.
Filled, therefore, with confidence in your goodness,
I fly to you, O Mother, Virgin of Virgins.
To you I come, before you I stand, a sorrowful sinner.
Despise not my poor words. O Mother of the Word of God,
but graciously hear and grant my prayer. Amen.

To conclude the Bidding Prayers:

May He support us all the day long,
'til the shades lengthen
and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then, in His mercy,
may He give us a safe lodging,
and a holy rest,
and peace at the last. Amen.

Communion Antiphon: Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him,
who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls
from death, to keep them alive in famine.

The newsletter is also available at www.saintmichael.sonningcommon.org.uk
If you do not need to take this one home, please do return it to the console at the
back of Church, after Mass so that it can be reused. Many thanks.

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22nd October, 2023

Twenty - Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Jesus said to the Pharisees, “Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the things that are God’s.”.

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

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.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND on behalf of **WORLD MISSION**
Envelopes are available at the back of church

THIS SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY Collections for World
Mission Sunday will be taken up across the world and here in
St Michael's today. These donations support churches, hospitals,
schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or
poor. There will be a basket at the back of Church for any
donations after all Masses.

WE ARE INVITED TO A SERIES OF TALKS

AT THE SACRED HEART CHURCH, HENLEY ON THAMES
led by Canon Fitzpatrick & Fr Doyle 7.30pm-9.00pm in the parish library.
Tuesday, 31st October - The Church
Tuesday, 7th November - Liturgy
Tuesday, 21st November - Mission

BLESSING OF GRAVES AT KIDMORE END
at 2pm Sunday, 12th Nov

CHRISTMAS PUDDING MAKING EVENING AND SUPPER
ON 24TH NOVEMBER .

Booking forms now available at the back of Church

CHRISTMAS FLOWER WORKSHOP

Saturday, December 16th in the Church Hall.
Arrive 9.30 am for a 10 am start until Midday.
Please could you email or telephone either of us if you are interested.
Numbers are restricted, therefore we shall have to work on
a strictly first come first served basis.

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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 22nd October 2023

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.00 am	Lynne Connell RIP
	10.30 am	Stephen Aldworth & Cotter Family Dcsd
Monday	9.30 am	Syria
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Christine Bussell
Wednesday	9.00 am	Mass at St Martin's school
Thursday	12.00pm	For Peace in the Middle East
Friday	9.30am	Sudan

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 29th October 2023

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	Ukraine
Sunday	9.00 am	Marian Dunne
	10.30 am	People of the Parish

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available in the Sacristy
this Saturday, 14th October, 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, Joe Bunton, 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.

GOSPEL SHARE - Wednesdays at 7.00pm - please email Brian for the
zoom codes dcn.brian.theobald@rcaob.org.uk

THE ROSARY - TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS IN OCTOBER
AFTER THE MIDDAY MASS

All welcome, do come join us.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is **Mary Lewis** who can be contacted at: sg.stmichael.sonningcommon@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.