

Sunday 22nd June 2025



No. 1129 / 660.

**S MARY THE VIRGIN, SUNDON &
S SAVIOUR, LUTON**

Both Churches are under the Episcopal Care of the Bishop of Rich-
borough; The Rt Revd. Luke Irvine-Capel, SSC.

And are served by a Priest of the Society of the Holy Cross. 

CORPUS ET SANGUIS CHRISTI

9:15 Solemn Mass – S Mary's

Ordinary Form/Extraordinary Responses

(Missa Simplicior /Credo vi) S Mary's Pro Populo.

11:15 Solemn Mass – S Saviour's.

Ordinary Form

(K: xvi; Gloria: x; Credo: iii; S & B: xviii; A: xviii;)

S Saviour's Pro Populo.

MIDWEEK MASSES (etc.) THIS WEEK :

Mon Feria week xii

10:30am—Low Mass—S Saviour's

Intention: The sick

Wed Feria

10:30am—Low Mass—S Mary's

Intention: Recently Bereaved

12:00 noon—Interment of Ashes

Fri Sacred Heart of Jesus

10:00am Coffee Morning

Sat—Immaculate Heart of Mary

12:00 Noon—Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving

Fr Yenda's Silver Jubilee of Ordination

Intention: Thanksgiving for Holy Orders

*Confessions may be heard after any Low Mass, or
by Appointment.*

Welcome to S Mary's and S Saviour's.

There will as always be tea, coffee and refreshments at
the back of both churches at the end of the Solemn
Mass, and we do hope you will be able to stay.

NOTICES FOR THE W/C 22nd June 2025 :

CORPUS CHRISTI This Sunday is Corpus Christi,
the feast transferred for convenience in many places

from Thursday. At the end of Solemn Mass today Bene-
diction will take place in both churches.

Coffee Morning: Many thanks to those who support
and help with the coffee mornings. The next will be at
the on Fridah 27th—this Friday.

Fr Yenda's 25th Anniversary! This Saturday at 12
noon, Fr Yenda celebrates his Silver Jubilee as a priest.
There will be a Solemn Mass followed by refreshments.
The preacher will be Fr Christopher Bunce, the Rector of
Hitchin. We look forward to welcoming a number of
visitors from various places. A tremendous thanks in
anticipation for those who will be providing and helping
with the buffet afterwards.

S Mary's 100 Club:

The 100 club is up and running, but there are still num-
bers if anyone should like to join.

Sue's Strawberry Tea: This year the Strawberry Tea
will be at 3pm on Sunday 13th July. This year we have
the added joy of Bishop Luke, our new bishop coming
along so it will be a lovely opportunity for us to meet
him. It's a lovely event in our parish diary and has been
running for many years! Tickets are now available.

Safeguarding & GDPR: Fr Yenda is the Safeguarding
representative for both parishes, and all PCC members
will have done the required safeguarding training.
Safeguarding awareness is now a vitally necessary re-
quirement of all of us. In recent years GDPR has also
come into effect, for example on the published electoral
role where no addresses or phone numbers may be
shown. It is consequently imperative that we follow
GDPR by ensuring that such information as addresses
and telephone numbers are only given out with the ex-
press agreement of the person concerned.

Coffee Rota at S Mary's:

Thank you to those who are on the list, and there are
still opportunities for anyone who would like to join the
rota.

*Masses for both churches are live-streamed on the facebook page:
facebook st mary the virgin sundon*

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

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

COLLECT

O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament
have left us a memorial of your Passion,
grant us, we pray,
so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood
that we may always experience in ourselves
the fruits of your redemption.
Who live and reign with God the Father
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

FIRST READING Genesis 14:18-20

A reading from the Book of Genesis.

In those days: Melchizedek king of Salem brought out bread and wine. He was priest of God Most High. And he blessed Abram and said,

'Blessed be Abram by God Most High,
Possessor of heaven and earth;
and blessed be God Most High,
who has delivered your enemies into your hand!'

And Abram gave him a tenth of everything.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 110 (109):1. 2. 3. 4. R. 4bc

**R: You are a priest for ever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.**

1. The LORD's revelation to my lord:
'Sit at my right hand,
until I make your foes your footstool.' **R.**
2. The LORD will send from Sion
your sceptre of power:
rule in the midst of your foes. **R.**
3. With you is princely rule
on the day of your power.
In holy splendour, from the womb before the dawn,
I have begotten you. **R.**
4. The LORD has sworn an oath he will not change:
'You are a priest for ever,
according to the order of Melchizedek.' **R.**

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

A reading from the First Letter of Saint Paul to the Corinthians.
Brothers and sisters: I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you; that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, 'This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.' For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ACCLAMATION BEFORE THE GOSPEL John 6:51

R: Alleluia, alleluia.

I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord.
If anyone eats of this bread, he will live for ever.

R: Alleluia.

GOSPEL Luke 9:11b-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

At that time: Jesus spoke to the crowd of the kingdom of God and cured those who needed healing. Now the day began to wear away, and the Twelve came and said to him, 'Send the crowd away to go into the surrounding villages and countryside to find lodging and get provisions, for we are here in a desolate place.' But he said to them, 'You give them something to eat.' They said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish – unless we are to go and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five thousand men. And he said to his disciples, 'Make them sit down in groups of about fifty each.' And they did so, and made them all sit down. And taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing over them. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. And they all ate and were satisfied. And what was left over was picked up, twelve baskets of broken pieces.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Grant your Church, O Lord, we pray,
the gifts of unity and peace,
whose signs are to be seen in mystery
in the offerings we here present.
Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

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

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, O Lord, we pray,
that we may delight for all eternity
in that share in your divine life,
which is foreshadowed in the present age
by our reception of your precious Body and Blood.
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

Amen.