

PARISH OF SAINT FELIX, FELIXSTOWE

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October 30th, 2022 : 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday Masses

Saturday 6:00pm Int. +Mary Smith
Sunday 10:00am Int. +Jurek Rokoszynski
6:00pm (Convent) Int. For the People

Weekday Masses

Monday FERIA
9:30am Int. For Ukraine

Tuesday
SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS
Holyday of Obligation

Masses at St.Felix
9.30am and 7.30pm
Mass at the Convent at 4.30pm

Wednesday
COMMEMORATION OF ALL SOULS

Masses at St.Felix
9.30am and 7.30pm

The usual lists are available at the back of church for you to write down the names of departed relatives & friends whom you would like to be remembered at the Altar : please write their names under the time of Mass you hope to attend.

Thursday ST.WINIFRIDE
No Mass today
Friday ST.CHARLES BORROMEO
11:30am Int. + Roy Fenton (FM)
Saturday FERIA

9:30am Int. +John Sullivan (FM)
6:00pm Int. For the People

The Daily Office

Lauds (Morning Prayer) will be said a quarter of an hour before Mass on Mon,Tues,Wed,Fri. & Sat

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday at 10.0am Benediction at 10.30am
Friday at noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm or by appointment.

The Rosary Friday at Noon, during Exposition

The Mass today

The readings can be found on p.158 of the Parish Mass Book, and on p.1084 of The Sunday Missal.
Hymns at 10.0am : 704, 877, 898

THIS WEEK

Monday 9.30am The St.Felix Toddlers meet in the Hall.

Tuesday 10.45am The Catechism Group meets in the Cooper Room. This week we look at paragraphs 694 to 708. All welcome to take part.
2.0pm Fr.John says an All Saints Day Mass at St.Alban's School, Ipswich.

Thursday Fr.John takes today as his day off this week, instead of his usual Wednesday.

Saturday The November Parish Walk, in the farmland north of Felixstowe. We assemble at the

Grove Car Park (not the surgery car park, but a little beyond it) when Tom and Linda will lead us on a walk taking about an hour and a quarter - just right for these shortening afternoons. Do come - we all need a little exercise, and walking with others is enjoyable.

PARISH NOTICEBOARD

Anniversaries this week May Bantick (2001), Mary Hockley (2004), Walter Shaw (2008) and Terence Butler (2008). May they rest in peace.

Money Matters Last Sunday £286.42 was given at the offertory, £43.20 for CAFOD and £159.65 for the second collection for Foreign Missions. On Sunday 16th October £366.57 was given at the offertory and £68.00 for CAFOD

Crib Festival at St. Felix

Barbara writes : 'Dear Friends - we are planning a Crib Festival on Friday 2nd & Saturday 3rd December from 10am until 4pm each day. On the Saturday, Fr John will lead a Christingle Service at 3pm. We need your cribs, so dig them out and dust them down - we shall be setting up on Thursday 1st December from 1pm. Please make sure they are labelled so we can return them correctly. If you could write something about your crib(s) - where they came from. how old they are etc. Fr John would like to print the information and mount it so your written piece will need to be handed into the Presbytery beforehand with your name on. There will be refreshments in the hall and a knitted crib raffle. Entry will be free but donations will be welcomed and all monies raised will be going to Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea) to enable our port chaplain, Julian, to purchase Christmas gifts for seafarers. If you have any questions please speak to Barbara Lamberton,

Coffee Morning

Jenny writes : 'Our very grateful thanks to those who supported us on Saturday. We then had a re-run on Sunday, so thank you again. The total profit was £200.50 of which £100.50 is for parish funds and £100 for the food bank.'

Family Choir Austina writes: " Inviting all children above the age of 8 years to join in the St.

Felix's "**Family Choir**". This time we also require a parent/older sibling to join in. This will not only be a motivation for your children but will also support them in giving God Glory with the wonderful instrument he bestowed on all of us "**our voice**". The great 5th century Bishop, St. Augustine of Hippo said, "He who sings, prays twice." So please join myself and Phil to sing together in praising, glorifying & praying to God. Kindly let us know of your interest by contacting Austina/Phil and we hope to see you soon!"

Homes for Ukraine Matching Service

Caritas Catholic Social Action writes : 'Caritas Social Action Network in partnership with St John of God Hospitaller Services, an international Catholic charity with many services for the vulnerable in the UK and Ireland, have launched a service to bring together Ukrainian people displaced by the brutal war in their country with people in the Catholic community willing to host them in their homes for six months. Once the match is confirmed the Ukrainian guest can apply for their visa. We know that coping with the cost-of-living crisis will be the main concern for many people this winter, but if you have a room in your home and in your heart to consider welcoming a stranger displaced by war, then we'd love to hear from you. Please visit <https://sjoq-homesforukraine.uk/> for more information.

IN OUR CHURCH

8. The East Window As we come to the end of October, the Month of the Holy Rosary, its appropriate to think about our splendid east window. It is the oldest of the stained glass windows in our church, placed above the Altar when the first part of the church was built, in 1912. Like all the older stained glass in the church it was made by the distinguished stained-glass firm of Hardman of Birmingham.

It depicts the original fifteen Mysteries of the Rosary, prior to the addition of the five Mysteries of Light added by Pope St. John Paul II. Fifteen pictures of incidents in the life of Our Lord and his Blessed Mother. It is lovely to say the rosary whilst looking at those pictures - they help us in our meditation.