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**2026 Diocesan Jubilee**  
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### **ST. LUKE'S CATHOLIC PARISH**

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### **THE MOST HOLY TRINITY** **Solemnity**

31<sup>st</sup> May 2026 (Yr A/II Ps 1)

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#### **PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL**

St. John Henry Newman Voluntary Aided – The Hamptons  
Website: [st-johnhenrynewman.org.uk](http://st-johnhenrynewman.org.uk)  
**OFSTED 2025 - OUTSTANDING!**

### **DIARY**

#### **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May – St Wulstan**

9.30am Most Holy Rosary  
12noon Baptisms  
5-5.45pm Confession  
6pm Vigil Mass *Josefa Abordo+* (1<sup>st</sup> Ann.)

#### **31<sup>st</sup> May THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - Solemnity**

9am Sung Mass *Florence Lowden+* (10<sup>th</sup> Ann.)  
10.30am Children's Mass *Francesca File*  
12noon Sung Mass *Pro Populo*

#### **Mon 1<sup>st</sup> June – St Justin**

10am Silent Prayer Before the Blessed Sacrament  
10.30am Church Cleaning  
6pm Junior Choir Practice  
7.15pm Music Group Practice

#### **Tue 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Feria**

12pm Holy Rosary  
12.30pm Holy Mass *Dora Yates+*  
6pm Adoration & Divine Mercy Devotions

#### **Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Ss. Charles Lwanga & Companions**

10am Holy Rosary  
10.30am Holy Mass *Joaquina Macabangon+*

#### **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June – Feria**

12noon Holy Rosary  
12.30pm Holy Mass *Thanksgiving & Divine Mercy Healing*  
1pm Social Time & Lunches  
7pm Lectio Divina  
7pm Mens Group

#### **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June – St. Boniface**

10am Holy Rosary  
10.30am Holy Mass *John & Regina Otite+*  
*Oghenemarho Augustine (Bday)*  
11-11.30am Adoration & Benediction (Latin)  
6.30pm Youth Group  
6.30pm Confirmation Class

#### **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Our Lady on Saturday**

9.30am Most Holy Rosary  
12noon Baptisms  
5-5.45pm Confession  
6pm Vigil Mass *Michael McVeigh+*

#### **7<sup>th</sup> June CORPUS CHRISTI – Solemnity** **The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ**

9am Sung Mass *Theresa & Kenneth Joseph+*  
10.30am Children's Mass *Pro Populo*  
12noon Sung Mass with Blessed Sacrament Street  
Procession & Benediction  
*For the Holy Souls in Purgatory*

*Coffee, tea & juice are served at the back of church  
after Sunday 9am & 10.30am Mass. Please make a  
donation if you can. All welcome!*



### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

#### Where does the word “Trinity” come from?

*It comes from the Latin word “trinitas,” which means “three” or “triad.” The Greek equivalent is “triados.”*

#### What is the Trinity?

*The Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church explains it this way: “The Church expresses her trinitarian faith by professing a belief in the oneness of God in whom there are three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The three divine Persons are only one God because each of them equally possesses the fullness of the one and indivisible divine nature. They are really distinct from each other by reason of the relations which place them in correspondence to each other. The Father generates the Son; the Son is generated by the Father; the Holy Spirit proceeds from the Father and the Son” (48). “The central mystery of Christian faith and life is the mystery of the Most Blessed Trinity. Christians are baptized in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit” (44).*

#### When did the Church infallibly define the Trinity?

*The dogma of the Trinity was defined in two stages, at the First Council of Nicaea (AD325) and the First Council of Constantinople (AD381). First Nicaea defined the divinity of the Son and wrote the part of the Creed that deals with the Son. This council was called to deal with the heresy known as Arianism, which claimed that the Son was a supernatural being but not God. First Constantinople defined the divinity of the Holy Spirit and wrote the part of the Creed that deals with the Spirit.*

#### Papal Prayer Intentions for May

That everyone might have food. Let us pray that all, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid food waste, & to ensure that all have access to quality food.

#### National Cycle of Prayer

For Peace on Earth; Christian Unity; Openness to the Word of God; Victims of Trafficking; The Sick & Those who Care for Them; The Unemployed.

#### Corpus Christi

Next Sunday the 12noon Mass will be a little shorter followed by a Blessed Sacrament street procession led by our young ones in the First Holy Communion outfits. We conclude with Benediction @1.30pm, followed by FHC certificate presentation.

#### Please Pray For The Repose Of The Soul Of *Carmelina Scalise*

Funeral Mass 12.30pm Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June  
Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in pece. Amen.



### INTERNATIONAL FOOD FESTIVAL

Following a 12noon 'International Mass' on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June 1-5pm. Please email [office@stlukesorton.org](mailto:office@stlukesorton.org) to offer music for Mass and prayers in different languages.

Commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the Diocese of East Anglia and our wonderful diverse Catholic community. Representatives from each nationality group need to come forward now and contact Joe Rodriguez ([j.c.rodriguez@btinternet.com](mailto:j.c.rodriguez@btinternet.com)) tel: 07854 113429 to assist with planning and events. Music & Entertainment. National Costumes to be worn. Tickets on sale after each Mass – Adults £10.00. Accompanied Under 18’s Eat Free.



### ST LUKE'S SUMMER FAYRE

Save the date - 11 July 12-3pm. Volunteers needed to help and also donations for tombola, toys, bottle stall, gifts, bric a brac etc. nearer the time.



### 2026 Diocesan Golden Jubilee DIOCESAN JUBILEE MASS

On the Feast of the Dedication of the Cathedral 12noon Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June. We look forward to a historic celebration with the Apostolic Nuncio to Great Britain, many bishops and local dignitaries. Attendance is pre-booked and first come first served. Most parishes will be limited to 15 places. To attend please advise Fr Jeffrey and make own arrangements to get there.