



# *“Joy of All Who Sorrow”*

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**“Why did the Lord give me life? So that I would turn with my whole heart to God, for my purification and correction? Remember this and correct yourself.”**

**St John of Kronstadt**

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## NOTES & JOTTINGS

### FIRST TWO SUNDAYS IN AUGUST

On Sunday 4 August we celebrate the commemoration of St Wandregisilius of Fontenelle. We have a special devotion to him here because of various historical connections. In our church we have a fine ikon of the saint which was donated in memory of the Foundress by Mary Angela McCabe. On the following weekend Archpriest Geoffrey Korz of Toronto will be visiting Mettingham with his family. Fr Geoffrey will serve with us on Sunday 11 August.

### VISIT TO THE CHURCH

On the evening of Friday 19 July, Rose Norgate brought a group of members of the Waveney Interfaith Circle to visit our church. There was a lively interest in aspects of our faith and church life. The stimulating discussion and debate lasted a full two hours. Some members of the group had been here before but it was good to see some new faces.

### SUFFOLK HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST

“Ride and Stride”, the cycle day fundraising event, will be on Saturday 14 September (9am – 5pm). The church will be open, as it is every day, and somebody will be on duty to sign the sponsorship forms of the riders taking part.

### GIFTS THE COLLEGE

Jonathan and Sue Olanczuk have donated more garden chairs for the courtyard. This is useful for Sundays in summer when we usually eat lunch outside, rather than in the college dining room. Also John Sirl has donated a large lavishly illustrated tome, *Monasteries and Monastic Orders* by Kristina Kruger, to the college library. Many thanks for these kind gifts.

### NAMEDAYS

- 1 August – **St Seraphim of Sarov** – Serafima Hopper, Seraphima Dembri,  
Seraphim Collins
- 4 August – **St Mary Magdalene** – Mary Tattum-Smith, Miriam Dembri
- 6 August – **Saints Boris & Gleb** – Boris Jermy, Gleb Jermy
- 7 August – **Repose of St Anna** – Anya Moss
- 10 August – **St Irene Chrysovolantou** – Irina Dembri
- 14 August – **St Cennydd of Langennith** – Kenneth Lock
- 21 August – **St Gregory of Sinai** – Archpriest Gregory Butler



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**Saturday 3 August**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**Sunday 4 August**

**10.10am ~ Hours and Divine Liturgy (St Mary Magdalene / St Wandregesilius)**

**Saturday 10 August**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**Sunday 11 August**

**10.10am ~ Hours and Divine Liturgy (Martyr Callinicus)**

**Saturday 17 August**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**Sunday 18 August**

**10.10am – Hours & Divine Liturgy (Forefeast of Transfiguration & St Oswald)**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**✘ Monday 19 August ✘**

**10.10am ~ Hours and Divine Liturgy (Transfiguration)**

**Saturday 24 August**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**Sunday 25 August**

**10.10am – Hours & Divine Liturgy (St Maximus the Confessor)**

**Tuesday 27 August**

*7.30pm ~ Vigil*

**✘ Wednesday 28 August ✘**

**10.10am ~ Hours and Divine Liturgy (Dormition of the Theotokos)**