

# Catholic Parishes of St Mary's and St Peter's Great Yarmouth and Gorleston

*Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister*

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**2<sup>ND</sup> WEEK OF EASTER – DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY – 27<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2014**

**Divine Office Week 2 Year A**

Masses and services for the week ahead

| Day                                      | Place  | Time  | Intention  |
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| <b>Saturday</b><br>26 <sup>th</sup> Apr  | <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Of Easter - Vigil Mass</b>    |       |  |
|  | Acle   | 17.00 | Holy Souls   |
|  | GY   | 19:00 | Polish Mass  |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>27 <sup>th</sup> Apr    | Gor  | 09.00 | People of the Parish                                   |
|  | GY   | 11:00 | Nancy Carmella Bagatti RIP                             |
|  | Caister  | 17:00 | Peter Walsh RIP  |
| <b>Monday</b><br>28 <sup>th</sup> Apr    | <b>S George M Patron Of England. Solemnity</b>         |       |  |
|  | -  | -     | No Mass  |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br>29 <sup>th</sup> Apr   | <b>S Catherine Of Siena VD Patron Of Europe. Feast</b> |       |  |
|  | -  | -     | No Mass  |
| <b>Wednesday</b><br>30 <sup>th</sup> Apr | <b>Easter Feria</b>                                    |       |  |
|  | -  | -     | No Mass  |
| <b>Thursday</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> May   | <b>Easter Feria</b>                                    |       |  |
|  | Gor  | 09:30 | Exposition of Blessed Sacrament<br>with Morning Prayer |
| <b>Friday</b><br>2 <sup>nd</sup> May     | <b>S Athanasius BD Mem.</b>                            |       |  |
|  | Gor  | 10:00 | School Mass – all welcome                              |
| <b>Saturday</b><br>3 <sup>rd</sup> May   | <b>SS Philip &amp; James App. Feast</b>                |       |  |
|  | GY   | 10:00 | SVP  |
|  | GY   | 10:30 | Confessions  |

**Please remember in your prayers:**

All those in the parish who are ill; that the Lord, in his Goodness, might heal and comfort them: Teresa Appleton, John Bracken, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Anthony D'Arcy, Arnie Dougal, Jose Fina Florida, Alice Fraher, Beryl King, Joe Paton, Suzan Whitelock, Joyce Hastings, Molly Able, Nora Norton, Rosemarie Hawkins, Marta Sofia and Beryl Pearson.

And those who have died, especially Elizabeth McNeil or whose anniversaries occur around this time, especially Leslie Turrell. *Eternal rest, grant unto them, O Lord. May they rest in peace, Amen.*

Prayer of the week:

Lord, teach me to live in such a way in my family that we all learn to care for each other but also to reach out beyond to serve the young, the old, the sick, the handicapped and the poor, through Christ our Lord, Amen

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**A warm welcome to all our visitors this weekend**

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**Parish Office Hours**

Tues, Wed, 9am-2pm

Thurs 9am – 11am

**Schools**

St Mary's Primary School

Tel: 01493-445117

Notre Dame High School

Norwich

Tel: 01603-611431

**Sacraments**

Baptism

2 months notice required

Marriage

6 months notice required

First Holy Communion

Registration by July each year.

Applications from Yr 3 children

Confession

Gt Yar Saturday 10:30

**Other Services**

Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament

St Peter's Thursday 9:30am

1<sup>st</sup> Sat in month at St Peters

**Emergency Number**

If you need a priest in an  
emergency please contact

01502 572453

(OLSS, Lowestoft)

# Parish Stewardship

*Giving is an act of the heart. You may give without loving, but you cannot love without giving*

## Weekly Offertory Collection – St Mary's

|                 |                 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Gift Aid        | £               |
| Planned Giving  | £67.67          |
| Standing Orders | £250.00         |
| Loose           | £1272.82        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>    | <b>£1590.49</b> |

## Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

|                 |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| Gift Aid        | £        |
| Loose           | £        |
| Standing Orders | £        |
| <b>TOTAL</b>    | <b>£</b> |

## Special or retiring collections

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| Last Good Friday's Collection for the Holy Land Shrines: <b>£220.23</b>                      |
| <b>This week's Appeal Collection is for the GY Restoration Fund</b>                          |
| Restoration Funding stands at:<br><b>£51,649.63</b> (This excludes English Heritage Funding) |

**We welcome** Fr Charles who will say Mass at St Ignatius this Sunday.

**Fr David & Fr Michael** thank you most warmly for all your Easter greetings. Fr Michael said that Holy Week at St Peter's & St Mary's was the most wonderful he had ever experienced. It was marvellous the way in which both parishes came together. And thank you to everyone who helped in any way, singing, serving, decorating the churches etc.

**Baptisms:** being baptised today Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April are Jensen Martin Porter 2:00pm at St Peter's (Fr Gordon) and Jasmine Taylor at 3:00pm in St Mary's. We welcome them all into the Lord's family.

## Today Sunday (27<sup>th</sup> April) is Divine Mercy Sunday:

There will be devotions in St Peter's at 2:45pm. *Jesus I trust in you.* This festival sees the Canonisation of the two Popes, John XXIII & John Paul II, a huge unprecedented event for the Church. Both Pope Francis & Emeritus Pope Benedict will be celebrating together.

**Gift Aid:** parishioners who gift aid their weekly contributions are reminded that they need to inform us if they no longer pay any, or enough, UK income tax. The tax year has just ended and we will be claiming back tax on your behalf. Any changes please inform June Thorn (St Peter's parishioners) or Jo Kelf (St Mary's parishioners) – thank you.

**Children's Pilgrimage to Walsingham:** Takes place on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May and is led by Bishop Alan. Starts at 10:45am with walk from the village with concelebrated Mass at 12noon. Picnic & fun afternoon at the beach follows! – See poster for details.

## Diary Dates:

- GY SVP** – next meeting Wed 30<sup>th</sup> April 10:00am at St Ignatius, Caister
- GOR SVP** – next meeting Wed 30<sup>th</sup> April 9:30am in the Committee Room, St Peter's
- St Peter's Prayer Group** – next meeting 1<sup>st</sup> May 2:30pm-4:30pm
- St Peter's Walsingham Rosary Group** – next meeting 17<sup>th</sup> May 9:30am
- Sunday School** – St Peter's resumes 27<sup>th</sup> April - St Mary's resumes 4<sup>th</sup> May
- St Peter's Bingo** – Sat 17<sup>th</sup> May 7:00pm

## Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham:

Takes place on Bank Holiday Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May. 10:30-12:15 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Annunciation, Friday Market Place  
12:30 Crowning of the Slipper Chapel Statue by Bishop Alan & procession from Friday Market to the Shrine  
3:00 Pilgrimage Mass. Confessions heard throughout the day. See poster in porch for more details.

**Headteacher Required:** At St Laurence's Catholic Primary School, Cambridge for September 2014 or January 2015. For more information please visit [www.catholiceastanglia.org](http://www.catholiceastanglia.org) or see notice board.

**Stately Car Boot Sale:** The Norfolk Churches Trust are holding a car boot sale at Sennowe Park, Guist, Norfolk on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May from 10:30am-3:30pm. Admission is £5 per person (under 16yrs free) with free car parking. For more details see notice board.

**Clare Priory Pilgrimage:** takes place on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> May starting at 11:45am with Rosary and Procession to the Shrine, followed by Reconciliation, Adoration and Mass. See notice board for more details or [www.clarepriory.org.uk](http://www.clarepriory.org.uk)

**Sick Calls:** hospital and home calls should be requested from Deacon Stephen Pomeroy (07734 172545).

**Next Weekend:** Fr Michael has a long-standing booking in another parish and on the following weekend (10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> May) will be conducting a Parish mission. On both weekends we will be welcoming Fr Michael Johnstone again.

**Diocese of East Anglia Pilgrimage to Lisieux:** 27<sup>th</sup> April 2015 – 1<sup>st</sup> May 2015 – led by Rt Rev Alan Hopes, Bishop of East Anglia. £450 per person, half-board sharing a twin room to be booked by 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014. For more details see poster in porch, call 0800 6123423 or email [info@pilgrimagepeople.org](mailto:info@pilgrimagepeople.org)

**First Holy Communion:** The next session is on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April at St Mary's School 4:45-5:45pm.

**Confirmation group:** continues on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 6:00pm in St Mary's Hall.

**Sympathy:** We offer our deepest sympathy to Neil Gillies whose sister Elizabeth has died. Neil has been away caring for her.