

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

Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister
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5th WEEK OF LENT – 13th MARCH 2016

Divine Office Week 1

Registered Charity No:
278742

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 12 th Mar	5th Sunday of Lent – Vigil Mass		
	Acle	17:00	Peter Dyson's Intention
Sunday 13 th Mar	SP	09:00	Jake Hodds and Conrad Doherty †
	SM	11:00	Terry Pawsey †
	SP	14:30	<i>First Reconciliation Service</i>
	Caister	17:00	People of the Parish
Monday	Lent Feria		
	SM	10.00	Alfonso Alonzo † Lent Course 4
Tuesday	Lent Feria		
	-	-	No Mass
Wednesday	Lent Feria		
	SM	10.00	Pasquela D.S. Soares
	JPH	16:30	Warner †
	SM	18.00	<i>Stations of the Cross in Polish</i>
	Gorleston St Andrew's	19.00	<i>Installation of New Rector</i>
Thursday	S Patrick B, Patron of Ireland Feast.		
	SP	18:45	<i>Exposition of Blessed Sacrament</i>
	SP	19.30	Sick of the Parish Lent Course 4
Friday	Lent Feria		
	SP	07:00	Vera Mould †
	School	10:00	Pupils and staff of the School
	SP	17:00	<i>Malayalam Mass</i>
	SM & SP	19.30	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>
Saturday	S Joseph, Spouse of the BVM. Solemnity.		
	SP	09:30	<i>Exposition of Blessed Sacrament</i>
	SM	10:00	Members of the Retired Clergy
	SM	10.30	<i>Sacrament of Confession</i>

Information

Priest in Charge
Fr Philip Shryane

Assistant Priest
Fr Anthony Nwankwo SMMM

Parish Deacon
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Parish Office Hours
Wed & Thurs 8:00am-2:00pm
Please don't ring on Tuesdays!

Schools
St Mary & St Peter
Primary School
Tel: 01493 445117
Notre Dame High School
Norwich Tel: 01603 611431

Baptism
2 months notice required

Marriage
6 months notice required

Emergency Number
If you need a priest in an
emergency please contact
01502 572453
(OLSS, Lowestoft)

The Cycle Of Prayer

During the season of Lent we are asked to pray for the following intentions:-
Candidates preparing for the Sacraments; Women at Women's World Day of Prayer; the Needy and Hungry of the world; Penitents and Wanderers.

Please remember in your prayers: all in the parish who are ill; Molly Able, Ann Askew, Sadie Baker, Jeanette Charalambous, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Jean Clarke, Angela Cooper, Martin Cordingley, Anthony D'Arcy, Jean Foreman, Muriel Gale, Terry Good, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Michael Howlings, Christine Iles, Kevin and Mollie Marsden, Mary-Ann Moody-Cliffe, Nora Norton, Joanne O'Gregory, Joe Paton, Beryl Pearson, Hermie Rooney, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Winifred Sanderson, Lilian Skinner, Marta Sofia and Martha Sutton. May the Lord reach out his healing hand towards them.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Robert Bojdys, Rita Bullard, Lily Catchpole, Christine Clark, Peggy Colman, William Colman, Patrick Cooke, Herbert Cox, Margaret Dean, Conrad Doherty, Mary Fairweather, Sarah Ginnelly, Nora Haywood, Jake Hodds, Eric Lucas, Anthony McDonagh, James McKeever, Lillian Pagano, George Palin, Terry Pawsey, Tracey Plested, Imogen Reid, Denis Roper, Marie Roper, Leslie Rowell, John Salt, Joyce Schader, James Shore, John Sileci, Leopold Sutton and Terence Underwood. May they rest in peace.

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	£168.00
Planned Giving	£63.60
Standing Orders	£250.00
Loose	£323.42
TOTAL	£805.02

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£182.00
Loose	£236.98
Standing Orders	£159.00
TOTAL	£577.98

Restoration Funding stands at: - **£42282.30**

You have raised an amazing amount for the Restoration Fund, well done; it is now more helpful to show what remains, this total will decrease as donations are paid in.

Welcome to Fr Anthony who joins our parishes this week as a permanent assistant priest, he will arrive on Monday. Fr Anthony is from Nigeria and has been working in Cambridge for more than 2 years, he will be a great help in our parishes.

Lent Events this week:

Mon: Lent Course 4, SM 10:40 in the Presbytery

Thur: Lent Course 4, SP 20:00 in the Committee Room

Fri: Early Mass SP 07:00 and breakfast

Lent lunch at SP Hall 12:00-14:00

Stations of the Cross, SM & SP 19:30

Chrism Mass: is on **Tuesday 22nd March** at the Cathedral at 19.00. A coach has been booked to pick-up at St Peter's 16:45, St Mary's 17:00 & Acle 17:20. The fare is £8 per person and booking lists can be found at the back of all Churches.

For those interested in learning more about a

vocation to the priesthood: come and meet with Bishop Alan, the Vocations Directors and other like-minded enquirers who want to learn more about the priesthood & perhaps the possibility that God might be calling them. **Sunday 20th March** at St John's Cathedral, Norwich beginning with Mass at 11.00 then lunch & time for informal discussion. Ends at 15:30 with Benediction. For more info or to confirm attendance please email frmichaelcollis@hotmail.co.uk

St Mary's Gift Aid: thank you to all those who already gift aid their offertory collection and if anyone would like to start please contact the office for a gift aid form. The new boxes of envelopes for 2016-17 will start on 10th April and will be available from the back of Church weekend of **19th/20th March**. If your situation has changed or there are any amendments to name/address please contact Jo in the office asap.

Please remember the collection taken on Easter Sunday (27th March) for the Parish Priest cannot be gift aided.

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers: gratefully received in basket at back of Church for St Mary and St Peter Primary School.

Large print bulletin available at the back of Church

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **GY Sunday School** – today 13th Mar
2. **GOR Sunday School** – today 13th Mar
3. **GOR SVP** – next meeting Wed 16th Mar 9:15 in the Committee Room, St Peter's
4. **GY SVP** – next meeting Wed 16th Mar 10:00 at St Ignatius, Caister
5. **Journey in Faith** – now closed until after Easter.
6. **Confirmation** – next session Fri 18th Mar at 18:00 in St Mary's Hall

First Reconciliation Service: for all children in the First Holy Communion classes will take place today **Sunday 13th March** at 14:30 in St Peter's Church. Please pray for the children and their families on this special occasion.

Acle First Holy Communion: preparation classes continue every Saturday at 4:50pm.

First Holy Communion: all parents are reminded that the next session for the children is **Wednesday 23rd March** at 17.00 in St Peter's Hall.

St Mary's Choir: we are in need of singers to support the singing during the Holy Week ceremonies (Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday). If you can help please speak to Stella, Rachel or Fr Philip.

Chorus of St Cecilia present Showtime Hits at the Pavilion Theatre, Gorleston **Thursday 17th to Saturday 19th March** at 19.30. Tickets from Matthew Hardy on 01502 733625.

St Mary's Easter Bazaar: on **Easter Monday 28th March** from 12 Noon-15:00 in St Mary's Hall. All proceeds towards the new kitchen. Donations needed of bric-a-brac, new & nearly new, toys, books, raffle prizes and cakes (on the day). Please contact Mollie on 01493 844777 – please come along and support!

Many thanks: to all who took part in and those who attended the Women's World Day of Prayer Service. Special thanks to those who provided the lovely refreshments.

CELEBRATE! East Anglia a weekend of Faith and Celebration in Bury St Edmunds, **April 9th – 10th**. Speakers include David Payne and international singing star Dana. Bishop Alan will celebrate the Mass on the Sunday. These are wonderful weekends for all the family and help to bring your faith alive. Booking forms are in the Office, or ask Fr Philip at Mass today. See posters on all boards.

The Diocesan Youth Service: wish to appoint 3 people to join the Ignite Team. These are full-time residential positions, sharing the Gospel message in schools and parishes, in a way young people can relate to including music, drama and technology. Please see www.rcdea.org/youth for more information.

Anniversaries on website: if you click on to the website for our parish you will find a link to "Remembered on this Day" which will give you the names of those we pray for each day on the anniversary of their death, you can then pray for those you remember who have gone before us.