

# 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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## HOLY WEEK – 20<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2016 Divine Office Week 2

Registered Charity No:  
278742

Day	Place	Time	Intention
<b>Saturday</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> Mar	<b><i>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord – Vigil Mass</i></b>		
	Acle	17:00	Mary Sweeney †
<b>Sunday</b> 20 <sup>th</sup> Mar	SP	09:00	Martyn Hooton
	SM	11:00	People of the Parish
	SP	16:00	<i>Malayalam Mass</i>
	Caister	17:00	Holy Souls
<b>Monday</b>	<b><i>Monday of Holy Week</i></b>		
	SM	10.00	Patrick O'Brien †
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b><i>Tuesday of Holy Week</i></b>		
	Norwich	19:00	Chrism Mass
	Acle	19:30	<i>Dramatised Stations of the Cross</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b><i>Wednesday of Holy Week</i></b>		
	SM	10.00	Sick of the Parish
	JPH	16:30	Bunn †
	SM	17.30	<i>Polish Confession</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b><i>Maundy Thursday – The Sacred Paschal Triduum – Mass of the Lord's Supper</i></b>		
	SP	19:30	Christina's 17 <sup>th</sup> Birthday
	SP	19.30	Maureen Harding †
<b>Friday</b>	<b><i>Good Friday – Day of Fast &amp; Abstinence from meat</i></b>		
	SM	09:00	<i>Reflections in Tetum &amp; Portuguese</i>
	SP	10:00	<i>Syro-Malabar Service</i>
	SM & SP	15:00	<i>Celebration of Passion of the Lord</i>
	SM & SP	19.30	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b><i>Holy Saturday</i></b>		
	SM	14.00	<i>Polish Blessing of the Food</i>

### Information

**Priest in Charge**  
Fr Philip Shryane

**Assistant Priest**  
Fr Anthony Nwankwo SMMM

**Parish Deacon**  
Rev Peter Glanville  
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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;** Agnes Aitchison, Maureen Bacon, Anthony Biesi, Gwendoline Brewer, Charles Briston, Garth Byram, Hilda Collins, Daniel Grehan, Vincent Helstrip, William Hopkins, Robert Howard-King, Lawrence Jennings, Donald Jordan, Rosalind Loftus, Marie Longman, Alexander MacDonald, Edward McCarthy, Ada McNally, Jacqueline McNeilly, Joyce Merchor, Eileen Moynihan, Patrick O'Beirne, James Olsen, Peter O'Rourke, Frederick Smith, Edward Wardrop, Thomas Whelan and Paul Whyte. May they rest in peace.

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

### 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	£221.50
Planned Giving	£59.66
Standing Orders	£250.00
Loose	£348.01
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£879.17</b>

#### Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£267.50
Loose	£243.41
Standing Orders	£159.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£669.91</b>

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

**Collections this week:**

**Palm Sunday:** retiring collection for flowers & palms.

**Maundy Thursday:** for SVP

**Good Friday:** retiring collection for Holy Places.

**Easter Masses:** for the clergy of the parish.

**Welcome to Fr Anthony** who joined our parishes this week as a permanent assistant priest. 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.

**Welcome to Bishop Belo** retired bishop of East Timor visiting the East Timorese community in Gt Yarmouth and joining St Mary's for the Easter Triduum and also celebrating with his own community.

**Chrism Mass: Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March** at the Cathedral at 19.00. Coach pick-up: at St Peter's 16:45: St Mary's 17:00 & Acle 17:20. The fare is £8 per person. Some seats still available!!! Book at 01493 842001

**Lenten Lunches:** the final lunches will be held on **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** in SM Presbytery from 12:30-13:30 and on **Good Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March** in SP Church Hall from 12 Noon. All welcome!

**St Mary's & St Peter'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 (St Mary's) or June Thorn (St Peter's) for a gift aid form. The new boxes of envelopes for 2016-17 will start on **10<sup>th</sup> April** and will be available from the back of Church this weekend. If your situation has changed or there are any amendments to name/address please contact Jo in the office asap or June Thorn asap. Please remember the collection taken on Easter Sunday (27<sup>th</sup> March) for the Clergy of the Parish cannot be gift aided.

**CELEBRATE! East Anglia** a weekend of Faith and Celebration in Bury St Edmunds, **April 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>**. Speakers include David Payne and international singing star Dana. Bishop Alan will celebrate the Mass on the Sunday. It will be a great weekend of faith and celebration. Booking forms are in the Office, or ask Fr Philip at Mass today. See posters on all boards.

**Food bank – Easter weekend 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> March:** most useful items include tins of beans, soup, fruit, packets of rice, pasta, biscuits & cereals. **Non-perishable items** only please. Thank you for your support.

**Large print bulletin** available at the back of Church

### Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **GY Sunday School** – today 20<sup>th</sup> Mar – then on Easter break until 17<sup>th</sup> April
2. **GOR Sunday School** – today 20<sup>th</sup> Mar
3. **GOR SVP** – next meeting Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar 9:15 in the Committee Room, St Peter's
4. **GY SVP** – no meeting 23<sup>rd</sup>, next meeting Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Mar 10:00 at St Ignatius, Caister
5. **Journey in Faith** – now closed until after Easter.
6. **Confirmation** – next session Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Apr at 18:00 in St Mary's Hall

**First Holy Communion:** all parents are reminded that the next session for the children is **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> 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. If you can help please speak to Stella, Rachel or Fr Philip.

**St Mary's Easter Bazaar:** on **Easter Monday 28<sup>th</sup> 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

**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. See [www.rcdea.org.uk/youth](http://www.rcdea.org.uk/youth) for more information.

**Happy Day Gospel Choir & Dumisani African Drumming:** invite you to an evening of lively gospel music & powerful African rhythms on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April** 19:30, at St Margaret's Church, Ormesby (NR29 3PL). Entry free, donations welcome.

**John Dashwood:** a commemorative exhibition curated by Ruth Battersby-Tooke, will be held at Gt Yarmouth Minster from **1<sup>st</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> April** Monday-Friday 10:00-15:00 and Saturday 10:00-12:00.

**Newman Lectures-The Church and the World:** the first lecture is on **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April** by Francis Campbell, Vice Chancellor of St Mary's University, Twickenham. Starts at 18:30, free admission all welcome – see poster for more info.

**Gorleston Community Choir:** presents a concert in celebration of the life of Keith Hawkins, on **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April** 19:30 at St Peter's Church. Guest soloist Rachel King instrumentalist & singer. Tickets £5 – please see poster for more details.

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

**Inviting all young people in Yr9-13 to Ignite Festival:** on April 30<sup>th</sup>-May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Come and experience your faith in a new & dynamic way. Held in Swaffham, the weekend will include live music and talks as well as free time for sport & activities. Organised by the Diocesan Youth Service. For more information see [www.ignitefestival.co.uk](http://www.ignitefestival.co.uk)