

# 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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**2<sup>nd</sup> WEEK OF THE YEAR - 15<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2017**  
**Divine Office Week 2**

Registered Charity No:  
278742

Day	Place	Time	Intention
<b>Saturday</b> 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Vigil Mass</b>		
	Acle	17:00	Holy Souls
<b>Sunday</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	SP	09:00	Geoffrey Parsons †
	SM	11:00	People of the Parish
	Caister	17:00	Sr Patricia Maxwell †
<b>Monday</b>	<b>S Furseby Ab. Mem.</b>		
	SP SM	09:30 13:00	Mary Grimes † <b>Requiem Mass - Brian Hannant</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>S Anthony Ab. Mem.</b>		
	SM	19:30	Julius and Veronika Pompovy
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Feria</b>		
	SM	10:00	Antonia Moreno
	JPH	16:30	Thomas Pimble †
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Feria</b>		
	SM	10:00	Sick of the Parish
	SP	19:30	Regeena's Birthday & Joseph and Regeena's Wedding Annv
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Feria</b>		
	School	10:00	Anton Cowan †
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>S Agnes VM. Mem.</b>		
	SP	09:30	Retired members of the clergy
	SP	10.00	<i>Adoration and Confessions</i>
	SM	10:00	Priest's intention
	SM	10:30	<i>Confessions</i>

## Information

**Priest in Charge**  
Fr Philip Shryane  
Tel: 01493 301013

**Assistant Priest**  
Fr Anthony Nwankwo SMMM

**Parish Deacon**  
Rev Peter Glanville  
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**Parish Office Hours**  
SM Tue 08:00 – 14:00  
SP Wed 08:00 – 14:00  
SP Thurs 09:00 – 12:00

**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 Ordinary Time we are  
asked to pray for these  
intentions: Peace on Earth;  
Christian Unity; Victims of  
Trafficking; The Sick and  
Those Who Care For Them  
and The Unemployed;

**Psalm Response:**  
Here I am, Lord! I come to do  
your will.

**Please remember in your prayers: all in the parish who are ill;** Molly Able, Tony Adamson, Ann Askew, Sadie Baker, Jeanette Charalambous, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Angela Cooper, Martin Cordingley, Anthony D'Arcy, Simon Ellison, Muriel Gale, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Michael Howlings, Christine Iles, Brian Lafferty, Kevin & Mollie Marsden, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Mary-Ann Moodycliffe, Glen Nudd, Joanne O'Gregory, Joe Paton, Dorothy Pearce, Beryl Pearson, Tom Ryan, Michael Ryan, Lilian Skinner, Marta Sofia, Jonathon Walsh and Anthony Willets. May the Lord reach out his healing hand towards them.

**Those whose anniversaries occur at this time;** Kathleen Aldred, Agnes Barclay, Terence Bridge, Helen Casey, Dora Cattamole, Coleen Church, Mary Cooke, Ronald Crisp, Agnes Cushing, Dinah Dixon, Gerald Foley, William Flitton, Jane Hewitt, Maureen Kenny, Constance Leary, John Lee, Rosina Leggett, Edward Lennon, Michael McCaffrey, William McCarthy, Elsie Mills, Geoffrey Parsons, Thomas Pimble, Kenneth Preston, William Rodgers, Walter Salaman, Stephen Webb, Ann Wiseman. May they rest in peace.

**FIDELIS NWANKWO**, Fr Anthony's brother who died last week, may he rest in peace. We pray that the Lord will comfort and console all his family

**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	£136.00
Planned Giving	£56.16
Standing Orders	£240.00
Loose	£327.33
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£759.49</b>

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

Gift Aid	£227.00
Loose	£267.33
Standing Orders	£150.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£644.33</b>

**Restoration Funding stands at: - £40,494.38**

Retiring collection this weekend for the Building Bridges Project in our twinned Dioceses of Battambang Cambodia and the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem

**Introducing Ignite Lite:** Whereas the Ignite Team is full time, *Ignite Lite* is an exciting opportunity for people aged 16-30 to be involved in evangelisation in youth ministry as part-time volunteers as and when they are available. There is a training weekend **January 20th – 22nd**. For more info please email: [igniteteam@east-angliadiocese.org.uk](mailto:igniteteam@east-angliadiocese.org.uk) or see [www.rcdea.org.uk/youth](http://www.rcdea.org.uk/youth)

**Peace Sunday:** is today **15th January** and this year marks the 50th anniversary of the World Peace Day. The theme is '*Nonviolence: A Style of Politics for Peace*'. Pope Francis affirms the place of nonviolence – such as diplomacy, negotiation and citizens' action – in preventing war and resolving conflicts. For more info on their work go to [www.paxchristi.org.uk](http://www.paxchristi.org.uk)

**Rosaries Abroad:** on behalf of the Catenian Association. Since 2009 they have been sending Rosaries to Aborigines and 3<sup>rd</sup> World Countries in Africa (over 450,000 have been sent), which has led to the lapsed returning to their faith. If you have any spare Rosaries please hand them into the office where they will be sent on to those in need - thank you.

**Celebration of Our Lady of Lourdes:** will be celebrated with Solemn Mass and Anointing of the Sick with Bishop Alan Hopes on **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February** at 11:30, St John's Cathedral, Norwich – all welcome to attend.

**St Mary & St Peter Primary School:** if you want to send your child to our local Catholic Primary school and need more details, please pick up a brochure from the back of both Churches and make an appointment to visit the school.

**Diocesan Yearbook 2017** is now available in all churches in our parish, price £3. It is a good read.

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

### Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **SM Sunday School** – today 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 2017
2. **SP Sunday School** – today 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 2017
3. **SP SVP** – next meeting Wed 25<sup>th</sup> Jan 2017 09:15 in the committee room
4. **SM SVP** – next meeting Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Jan 10:00 at St Ignatius, Caister
5. **FHC Classes** – St Mary's Hall, **Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Jan** at 17:00. St Peter's Hall, **Wed 25<sup>th</sup> Jan** at 17:00
6. **PPC meeting**
7. **Knights of St Columba** – next meeting Fri 10<sup>th</sup> February at 19:30, St Peter's Church Hall

**Special Ministers of Holy Communion** are urgently required at St Mary's for duty on Sunday morning at 11.00 Mass. If you wish to serve our community in this way, please speak to Fr Philip, some training will be available in the next few weeks.

**United Service at Methodist Church, Caister** is on **Sunday 22nd January** at 15.00, it would be great if our parish could be well represented at this event, Fr Philip will be preaching.

**Parish Pastoral Council** at St Mary's has some vacancies for new members to serve on the Council. There are 6 meetings a year, usually on Monday evening at 19.30, if you would be willing to serve our community in this way, or if you wish to nominate a parishioner, please use a nomination form available at the back of the Church and in Acle or Caister.

**Information regarding St Mary's Parish DBS:** could all volunteers who have received their new DBS certificate please bring it and leave it at St Mary's Rectory for verification. It will be returned to you after verification. All certificates need to be left in an envelope addressed to Mrs C Steward. Many thanks.

**Knights of St Columba Grand National Draw 2017:** tickets will be on sale for the next couple of weeks. This lottery is the primary way the KSC have at present to raise funds for our Apostolic Fund which includes Catholic Action Activity and Youth Work, and also traditionally has supplemented any one-off disaster donations. Tickets are £1 and the Grand National takes place on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April**.

**White Flower Appeal:** for SPUC (Society for the Protection of Unborn Children) will be held at all Mass Centres next weekend **22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> January** to support their 'Lives worth Living' campaign. We are asked to pray the following: '*Father in Heaven, You are Creator of life. Protect all Your children, especially the vulnerable, whose lives are threatened. We pray that all those who are disabled, incapacitated, or nearing death receive Your mercy and love. We ask for the conversion of all who fail to respect the gift of human life. Guide their actions and help restore in the hearts of all people the sanctity of human life. Amen*'.

**The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for January:** Christian Unity – that all Christians may be faithful to the Lord's teaching by striving to restore ecclesial communion through prayer and fraternal charity by working together to overcome the challenges facing humanity.