

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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EASTER TIME – 1st APRIL 2018

Divine Office Week 1

Registered Charity No:
278742

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 31 st Mar	<i>The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night – Vigil Mass and Easter Sunday. Solemnity with Octave.</i>		
	SP	20:00	Ralph Hussey †
	SM	20:00	Sick of the Parish
Sunday 1 st Apr Easter Sunday	SP	09:00	People of the Parish
	SM	09:00	<i>Polish Mass</i>
	Acle	09:15	Kenneth Harbord †
	SP	11:00	<i>Malayalam Mass</i>
	SM	11:00	Nigel Ainsworth †
	SM	12:30	<i>Portuguese Mass</i>
	Caister	17:00	Noeline Roberts †
Monday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	SM	19:00	<i>Polish Mass</i>
Tuesday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	JPH	16:30	Wallace Bunn †
	SM	19:00	Baby Gaberial †
Wednesday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	SP	09:30	Holy Souls
	SM	10:00	Onorina Wills †
Thursday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	SM	09:30	<i>Adoration</i>
	SM	10:00	Agnes and George Holt †
	SP	13:30	<i>Funeral Service – Una Dudeney</i>
	SP	19:30	Woodcock †
Friday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	SP	10:00	Housebound of the Parish
	SM	10:00	Priest's intention
	Crematorium	11:50	<i>Funeral – Joyce Bretton</i>
Saturday	<i>Easter Octave</i>		
	SP	09:30	Warner †
	SP	10:00	<i>Adoration and Confession</i>
	SM	10:00	Cecilia Ford †
	SM	10:30	<i>Confession</i>

Information

Priest in Charge

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Parish Office Hours

SM Tue 08:00 – 14:00
SP Wed 09:00 – 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 Easter we are asked
to pray for these intentions:
New members of the Church;
Vocations; Human Work; The
Right Use of the Media; The
Church.

Psalm Response:

This day was made by the
Lord; we rejoice and are glad.

Please remember in your prayers: all in the parish who are ill; Molly Able, Tony Adamson, Ann Askew, Sadie Baker, Ian Boast, Tim Bushell, Jeanette Charalambous, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Angela Cooper, Anthony D'Arcy, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Simon Ellison, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Sandra Hennessy, Michael Howlings, Christine Iles, Brian Lafferty, Mollie Marsden, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Mary-Ann Moody Cliffe, Glen Nudd, Joanne O'Gregory, Joe Paton, Dorothy Pearce, Beryl Pearson, Tom Ryan, Michael Ryan, Lilian Skinner, Marta Sofia, Frank Tennant, Jonathon Walsh, Anthony Willets, Patrick Willets, John Wright and Karen Zerafa. May the Lord give them comfort.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Christopher Behan, Pasqualine Brown, Michael Conaghan, Stewart Cowan, Zenek Czykieta, John Fitzgerald, Cecilia Ford, Dorothy Gapper, Peggy Hayes, Ralph Hussey, Ernest Jermany, William Miller, William Mynett, Clive Newnham, Jacqueline O'Brien, Gary Rutter, Dorothy Shaw, Robert Watson, Marcus Wright and Edward Young-Harrison. 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	£---
Loose	£---
Standing Orders	£220.00
TOTAL	£---

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£---
Loose	£---
Standing Orders	£135.00
TOTAL	£---

Restoration Funding stands at: - £31,606.67

Easter Offering is our gift to our Parish Clergy

Office Closure Please note that Jo is away on Annual leave **until 2nd April**. No Mass stipends can be booked now until she returns on **Tuesday 3rd April**, for Masses beginning the week 9th April. Any items for the newsletter for this period to be emailed in the normal way.

Thank you very much to all who have helped in any way and supported us during Lent and our wonderful celebration of Easter. Thanks to our servers and those who help us with the music, to our readers and eucharistic ministers, not just for Easter, but who help us each week during the year. Thank you, your service is much appreciated. Thanks also to those who make such a wonderful job of the flowers in our churches, they look beautiful. Thanks to those who clean and keep the churches looking so good. All of these works are very much appreciated and express your care and support for the Church.

St Mary's and St Peter's Gift Aid Envelopes new boxes of envelopes are available at the back of all Mass Centres. New boxes commence on Sunday 8th April.

May Half Term Tuesday 29th May is when the Diocesan Children's Pilgrimage to Walsingham takes place. Many parishes come together for a day of Faith and Fun plus picnic at the Shrine and beach. St Mary's was a founder parish of this lovely event and we hope to take a large group this year. More details will follow later, but please do make a note to Save the Date and come along! Proceeds from our Easter Raffle will help towards the cost of a coach for this event.

National Catholic Men's Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Sunday 22nd April 10:30-17:30. A warm invitation to the first, annual pilgrimage for Catholic men. Meet, talk and share the faith with other men; listen to speakers, celebrate confession and Mass, pray for families and for the country; process to the old Abbey grounds for Benediction. We welcome lay and religious, single and married, young and old, fathers and sons. For more information visit www.catholicman.co.uk

A diversity Church Lunch in aid of the Lady of Fatima event coming up on Sat. 7th April at 13:00 in St. Mary's Church hall.

Our Lady of Fatima Mass at St. Mary's on Sunday 13th May at 12:30. Help needed for anyone who can volunteer to set up in advance for the mass.

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **SM Sunday School** – no class today
2. **SP Sunday School** – no class today
3. **SM SVP** – next meeting Wed 4th Apr 10:00 at St Ignatius, Caister
4. **SM FC** – next meeting Tue 10th April 18:00
5. **SM PPC** – next meeting Wed 11th Apr at 19:30

Acle First Holy Communion Programme Classes are on Easter break.

Confirmation Classes are now on Easter break. They will resume on **Monday 16th April** at 18:00 at St Mary's.

First Holy Communion Classes now on Easter Break. They will resume at St Peter's on **18th April** and at St Mary's on **25th April** both at 17:00.

Quayside Plaza Restaurant October Celebration Meal on **Friday 5th October** at 19:00. For St Mary's Church Building Fund. Tickets £22.50 inc hot breads & olives, 2 course meal, cabaret – our wonderful Rachel King, raffle & short auction. Tickets available from Linda & Robin Turner 01493 601875, Linda, Annette Robin & Jean at back of Church after 11am Mass – all welcome **Please note there are only 8 tickets left!!!**

St Peter's organ our magnificent organ, after 22 years without a hitch, has been checked over by the organ company and they have diagnosed that one of the main bass speakers has blown, thus creating an unpleasant sound which is only going to get worse as time goes on. The organ company after close examination have issued a quote of £3,925.00 to get it fully repaired along with its annual service. Already there has been a donation offered of £1,000.00 to offset the repair bill, but we are looking for anyone who would like to make a donation, to send it to the Parish Office in an envelope marked "SP Organ". If anyone would like to come up with fundraising suggestions, please speak to Fr Alex – thank-you.

Rosary on the Coast Saturday 29th April – St Mary's has been registered – more details coming soon!

St. Peter's Eucharistic Ministry: Every Sunday, we are blessed to have so many Eucharistic ministers serving. St Peter's would welcome any Eucharistic minister who can spare just one hour weekly or fortnightly to take Holy Communion to the housebound. Please see Fr. Alex for more information.

Going into hospital? If you are, PLEASE let us know other-wise the Chaplain will not know you are there; the only way we can find you is if you tell us, SO PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WOULD LIKE A VISIT. If you or one of your relatives needs a priest in emergency, **i.e. imminent danger death**, please ask a member of the staff to ring the switch-board for a priest or contact 01502 572453 (OLSS, Lowestoft)

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for April:

For those who have responsibility in economic matters – That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

Blessed Easter to all our parishioners and visitors