

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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1st WEEK OF LENT – 10th MARCH 2019

Divine Office Week 1

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 9 th Mar	1st Sunday of Lent – Vigil Mass		
	Acle	17:00	Rosemary McGill †
Sunday 10 th Mar	SP	09:00	Conrad Doherty †
	SM	11:00	Tony Cain
	Caister	17:00	People of the Parish
Monday	Lent Feria		
	-	-	No Mass
Tuesday	Lent Feria		
	JPH	16:30	Page Family †
	SM	19:00	Slavka Gabcova †
Wednesday	Lent Feria		
	SP	09:30	Kuncheria Matthew †
	SM	10:00	Cynthia Eke †
Thursday	Lent Feria		
	SM	09:30	Adoration
	SM	10:00	Housebound of the Parish
	SM	18:00	Portuguese Mass
	SP	19:30	Tommy's Intentions
Friday	Lent Feria – LENT FAST DAY		
	SM & SP	07:00	Holy Souls
	SP	09:30	Funeral – Jennifer Flindall †
	School	10:00	Tetlow †
	SP	17:00	Malayalam Mass
Saturday	Lent Feria		
	SP	09:30	Priest's intention
	SP	10:00	Adoration and Confession
	SM	10:00	Thomas Savory †
	SM	10:30	Confession

Please remember in your prayers: all in the parish who are ill; Molly Able, Tony Adamson, Ann Askew, Tony Baker, Tim Bushell, Brendan Byrne, Mary Byrne, Jeanette Charalambous, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Ursula Cole, Angela Cooper, Marie Coward, Anthony D'Arcy, Geoffrey Davis, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Martin Downey, Susan Fabian, Alice Flynn, Sam Gill, Gordon Hargreaves, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Sandra Hennessy, Michael Howlings, Pat Kirton, 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, Marta Sofia, Frank Tennant, Jonathon Walsh, Anthony Willets, Patrick Willets, John Wright and Karen Zerafa. May the Lord heal them.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Peggy Colman, William Colman, Patrick Cooke, Margaret Dean, Jean Devine, Conrad Doherty, Cynthia Eke, Bridget Frost, Helena Gates, Claude Halladay, Nora Haywood, John Hilton, Jake Hodds, Veronica Hurrell, Eric Lucas, Nigel Lockett, James McKeever, Michael Morrison, Lillian Pagano, George Palin, Terry Pawsey, Tracey Plested, Denis Roper, Marie Roper, Thomas Savory, Joyce Schader, James Shore, Leo Sutton, Terence Underwood, Elaine Wright. May they rest in peace.

Registered Charity No:
278742

Information

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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 Lent we are asked to

pray for these intentions:

Candidates for the

Sacraments; The Needy and

Hungry of the Word;

Women's World Day of

Prayer; Penitents and

Wanderers.

Psalm Response:

Be with me, O Lord, in my

distress.

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	£134.00
Loose	£366.91
Standing Orders	£215.00
TOTAL	£715.91

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£156.50
Loose	£216.31
Standing Orders	£135.00
TOTAL	£507.81

Restoration Funding stands at: £- 23,101.89
Retiring collection next weekend for CAFOD
Lent Family Fast Day
Basket at the back of Church for Lenten Alms

The Season of Lent Please take a Season of Lent leaflet this weekend, which details various additional ways that may help you prepare during this time: e.g. early morning Mass, Stations of the Cross, Lent courses.

CAFOD Lent Family Fast Day is this coming **Friday 15th March** and is an opportunity to support our brothers and sisters around the world. We are asked to eat a simple meal in solidarity and give what we save to help others. Please collect a Fast day envelope from the back of Church and give whatever you can (the collection will be taken on the weekend of **16th/17th March**). Thank you.

St Peter's Lenten Lunches will be on the following Fridays:- **15th & 29th March, 12th & 19th April (Good Friday)**, from 12:00 Noon till 13:30. The cost is £3.00 with any proceeds donated to Wateraid. There will also be a raffle (except Good Friday). Any queries please contact Margaret on 602023 – please support these lunches – last year £300 was raised for Wateraid – thank you.

St Mary's Lenten Lunches will be on the following Wednesdays:- **13th, 20th & 27th March & 3rd April** from 12:30. Donations for Lenten Alms.

Lent Courses will be led by Fr. Alvan at St Mary's Presbytery on **Tuesday 12th, 19th, 26th March & 2nd April** from 10:45. Fr Alex will be leading a course at St Peter's Presbytery on **Thursday 14th, 21st, 28th March & 11th April** from 17:00-18:00. Please join us if you can.

Diocesan Lenten Station Mass will be on **Thursday 4th April** at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Lowestoft at 19:00. There will be Exposition and Confession at 18:00 and refreshments at 20:00.

Gift Aid envelopes for St Mary's, Acle & Caister will be available soon. Please can you advise the office of any changes e.g. address or if you no longer need envelopes. Anyone who pays tax and would like to join the Gift Aid scheme is very welcome, please contact the office for the form.

We pray for Jennifer Flindall and Norman Webster who died recently, may they rest in peace and the Lord grant comfort to their families and friends.

We pray for all our parishioners, family members and friends whose birthday is in the month of March.

Large print bulletin available at the back of Church

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **SM & SP Sunday School** – classes today 10th Mar
2. **SM SVP**–next meeting Wed 13th Mar at 10:00
3. **SP Events Team** – next meeting Tues 12th Mar 19:00 in the Presbytery
4. **SP PFC** – next meeting Wed 13th Mar 19:00 **has been postponed.**
5. **SP PPC** – next meeting Wed 20th Mar 19:00

First Holy Communion Classes – for children at St Peter's on **Wed 13th Mar** and at St Mary's on **Wed 20th Mar** both at 17:00. Please remember the First Reconciliation will take place on **Sunday 17th March** at 14:30 in St Peter's Church, for all the children.

Dates for Faith/Youth clubs Faith club on **Fridays 15th and 22nd March** from 16:00-17:00 (on 22nd March the Ignite group will be present). Youth Club on **23rd March** 16:00-17:00 (Youth Mass).

St Mary's Mass Intentions please note that there are no free Sundays until **May 2019** for intentions for the 11:00am Mass. There is plenty of availability at the weekday/Saturday Masses so please consider these masses instead. Also at St Ignatius there are no free masses until **May 2019**.

St Peter's Celebration of St Patrick's Day will be an evening of Irish fun for everyone, on **Saturday 16th March** from 19:00. Please bring a plate of food per person for the buffet table to share – see posters for some themed ideas or your favourite buffet food. Including dancing and singing to join in. Free entry. Donations welcome – to St Peter's Restoration Fund. Please come and share in this community celebration.

Support Cambodia: 'Soups, Slides & Crafts' on **Saturday 16th March** 11:30-14:30 at the Catholic Hall, North Walsham. Admission by ticket only costing £3.00. Ticket includes homemade soup & bread, fruit & coffee. Bacon rolls/hot dogs also available. Food served 12:00-13:00 only, Short slide show on the Trustee's recent Cambodia visit. New selection of Cambodian crafts will be available to purchase. Tickets on sale via Whatsapp 07759 982011 or call 01263 577784.

Apostleship of the Sea which celebrates its centenary in 2020-2021 is changing its name to Stella Maris.

"Holy Spirit Evening" in English at St Peter's on **Sunday 31st March** 15:00 to 20:30. Led b Fr Shyju Naduvathaniyil and Sehion UK team. Praise and worship, word of God, healing service & Adoration.

Regards to Broadway popular & favourite hits from Broadway musicals with musical director Matthew Hardy and The Chorus of St Cecilia. **Thursday 21st-Saturday 23rd March** at The Pavilion Theatre Gorleston at 19:30. Tickets £11, concessions £10 form the box office

Tokens our school is collecting again, this time it's LEGO tokens, so there will be a box in St Peter's porch on Sundays for your tokens please. We did well last time, keep it up and thank you.

Happy Birthday to Fr Anthony on **15th March** and slightly belated returns to Fr Alex **9th March!**

