Catholic Parishes of

St Mary's, Great Yarmouth & St Peter's, Gorleston

Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister

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7TH WEEK OF THE YEAR

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Day	Place	Time	Intention		
Saturday 22nd	Acle	17.00	Madeline Berry Powell †		
Sunday 23rd	7 th Sund	7 th Sunday In Ordinary Time			
	SM	09.00	Domingos S. Ramalho Adomi†		
	SM	11.00	Obi prays for God's presence & love		
	SP	09:30	Jeremy Mathews†, Mr& Mrs Mathai †		
	Caister	17:00	Leo Sutton and Ron Harrison		
Monday	Feria:	Feria:			
	SP		NO MASS		
	SM		NO MASS		
Tuesday	Feria:	Feria:			
	SP	16:00	No Hospital Mass		
	SM	10:00	For all Parish Volunteers		
Wednesday	Feria:				
	SP	09:30	Lee Jennings		
	SM	10:00	For the Retired Priests, and Deacons		
Thursday	Feria:				
	SP	16:00	Hospital Mass-Eileen Mary Hardy(FM)		
	SM	09:30	Adoration		
	SM	10:00	For the Sick and Housebound		
Friday	Feria:				
	SP	09:30	For Private Intention, Ellison (FM)		
	SM	10:00	For God's Protection and Deliverance		
Saturday		St. David, Patron of Wales. Feast			
1 st March	SP	9:30	God's healing on Mr&Mr B.U.Ibeanusi		
	SP	10:00	Adoration		
	SM	10:00	For the intentions of Joy		

Please remember in your prayers, all in the parish who are ill:

Molly Able, Tony Adamson, Ann Askew, Tony Baker, Brendan Byrne, Mary Byrne, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Angela Cooper, Anthony D'Arcy, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Rosemarie Hawkins, Bill Howell, John (Ian) McCabe, Eileen McCarney, Joanne Gregory, Beryl Pearson, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Wayne Sharp, Marta Sofia, Mike Spragg, Jonathan Walsh, Karen Zerafa, Maureen Bacon, Deacon Peter Glanville, Christine Bryan, Jean Clark, John and Chris Collins, Bridget Robinson, Wendy Pawsey, Gabriela Pompova, Stan Walczak, Margaret Chrisostomou, Lyndsay Edwards, Tim & Di Bushell . May the Lord heal them.

<u>Death anniversaries:</u> Jennifer Flindall, Sheila Barlow, Donald Whiley, William Anniss, Rose Pownall, Frank Miller, Michael Wiseman Elleen Hardy, Stuart Wright, Donnie Adrian Harper, Keith Pape, Irene Durbridge, Margaret Julian, Vernon Stanton, Chris Dunne, Philip Gotts, Janet Davey (Rosati), Miriam Bird. **May they rest in peace. Amen.**

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS THIS WEEKEND

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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:

Peace on Earth, Christian Unity, Openness to the Word of God, Victims of Traficking, The sick and Those Who Care for Them And the Unemployed.

Psalm Response:

The Lord is compassionate and gracious.

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	£40.00
Loose	£328.30
Standing Orders	£120.00
TOTAL	£488.30

Weekly Offertory Collection - St Peter's

Gift Aid	£ 55.00
Loose	£207.16
Standing Orders	£342.23
TOTAL	£604.39

St Mary's Restoration Funding stands at:

£- (minus) **13,600.55**



St Mary's Parish Giving please consider making any donations or your weekly collection to St Mary's using the QR code displayed here. You can donate £1, £5, £10 any other amount you specify. St Mary's can also claim Gift Aid for your

donation by using this method of payment.

Please consider a Standing Order for your weekly offering. During these unprecedented times for the Church, Country, and the World as a whole. Would you please consider setting up a standing offering to the Parish of St Mary's or St Peter's so that our Churches can still receive some much-needed funds? Please email Anna at the Parish office or call the parish office for any query on this. Here are the Bank details for St Mary's and St Peter's.

ACCOUNT NAME: St Mary's RC Catholic Church. Sort code: 55-81-45. Account no: 18226558.

ACCOUNT NAME: St Peters Parish.

Sort code: 40-22-34. Account no: 81003879.

"A fountain of Hope" a book written by Fr Alvan is now out and online. You can get your copy using the link: https://www.thegreatbritishbookshop.co.uk/products

/a-fountain-of-hope or contact Fr Alvan.

2025 Yearbook and Calendar for our Diocese is out and available in our parishes and Mass centres. Price is £3.50.

<u>Link for St Mary's LIVE STREAMING</u> of Masses can be found on St Mary's website <u>www.stmarysgy.org.uk</u> for Sunday and Weekday Masses.

<u>Bible Study Group:</u> Resumes on the 26th of Feb. We will be looking at the 7th Chapter of the Luke Gospel especially the scene of the woman anointing is feet and wiping them with her hair. All are welcome.!

Pat Kirton (R.I.P): We continue to pray for the peaceful repose of our Sister Pat. A memorial Mass will be organized in her honour on a date to be announced in due course.

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

- St Mary's PPC Meeting Wednesday 26th February at 19:00 in the parish Hall.
- > St Peter's PPC Meeting, 19th March, at 7pm in the parish Hall.

<u>Apppreciation</u> - Fr Anthony thanks all those who were able to attend the requiem mass of his mother on Saturday 15th of February and all who made it a successful one. Your sacrifices, prayers, phone calls and condolence cards are all appreciated. Please continue your prayers for me and my family. Fr Anthony.

<u>First Holy Communion classes</u> next class is Wednesday 5th of March at 5:00 pm for St Mary's and St Peter's Parishes.

St Mary's RCIA Next Class will be on the 4th of March 2025 at 5:00 pm

The Rite of Election for The RCIA Candidates will be on 4th March at 3:00pm (at the Cathedral).

St Mary's/St Peter's Parish Census

Forms are still available for anyone/families that are yet to obtain one at the back of church in our two parishes. It is crucial for us to have a clear understanding of our parishioners to provide support both now and in the future. To achieve this, we kindly request that each household complete a Census Form. If you are aware of someone who is not currently attending or has lapsed, please take a form on their behalf, and encourage them to fill it out. We encourage you to check off all applicable boxes and consider subscribing to our newsletter.

Please can these completed forms be returned to the church as soon as possible.

<u>St Peter's Post Valentine's Sales</u> organised by our Filipino community will hold on the 23rd of February from 11am. Funds towards parish project being undertaken by the community. Please come and support.

Prayer: Journeying into God- A Day Lenten retreat organised by Sisters of Our Lady of Walsingham: Date:29th March, at St Peter's Gorleston, 11am to 4pm. There will also be children session. Please plan to attend. Free of charge, but donation will be appreciated.

<u>Walk With Me</u>: A Journey of Prayer for 2025 Lent is available in our churches at £1. Grab your own copy as we have limited copies.

Ash Wednesday Preparation: As we approach Ash Wednesday (5th March), we are encouraged to return all the palms blessed on Palm Sunday last year for this year's Ash Wednesday celebration.

Ronald (Ron) Harrison who passed away recently will be received in St Mary's Church at 4:30 pm on the 6th of March and his requiem mass will be on the 7th of March at 10:00 am in St Mary's Church. May God grant eternal rest to him and consolation to his family and friends.