

Catholic Parishes of St Mary's, Great Yarmouth & St Peter's, Gorleston

Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister

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2nd Sunday of Advent – 4th December 2022
Year A; Weekday Cycle 1 Divine Office Week 3

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 3 rd December	2nd Sunday of Advent		
	Acle	17.00	Joseph Paton †
Sunday 4 th December	SM	09.00	For all the leaders in our world
	SP	09:30	For the people of the parish
	SM	11:00	For the people of the parish
	SP	13.00	Malayalam Mass
	Caister	17.00	For the sick and housebound
Monday	Advent Feria		
	SM	-----	No Mass
	SP	-----	No Mass
Tuesday	Advent Feria		
	SP	-----	No Mass
	SM	-----	No Mass
Wednesday	St Ambrose B. Mem.		
	SP	-----	No Mass
	SM	-----	No Mass
Thursday	The Immaculate conception of BVM. Solemnity		
	SM	-----	No Mass
	SP	-----	No Mass
Friday	Advent Feria		
	SP	10.00	School Mass – Mabel Search FM
	SM		No Mass
Saturday	Bls Henry Heath & John Robinson PP & Comps MM Mem.		
	SM	10.00	Alberto Benevides Das Dores
	SP	09:30	Ryan FM
	SP	10:00	Adoration & Confession & Rosary

Registered Charity No:
278742
Information

Priest in Charge

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SMMM

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Parish Office Hours

St Mary's and St Peter's
Tuesday 10:00am-2:00pm

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

Migrants & Refugees and
Expectant Mothers.

Psalm Response:

In his days justice shall
flourish and peace till the
moon fails.

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, Anthony D'Arcy, Geoffrey Davis, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Susan Fabian, Marguerite Harman, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Pat & Bill Howell, Ruth Jermy, Pat Kirton, Brian Lafferty, Ian McCabe, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Margaret Morton, Joanne O'Gregory, Beryl Pearson, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Wayne Sharp, Marta Sofia, Mike Spragg, F, Jonathon Walsh, Karen Zerafa. **May the Lord heal them.**

Death anniversaries: Aleksandra Kasparavieius, Ellen Dunster, Elsie Rochford, Frances Roberts, George Holt, Gertrude Eaton, Horrace Worwood, John Bosmans, Josephine Lisamore, Kathleen Crisp, Kathleen Taylor, Kevin Barry, Kitty Dewhurst, Marlene Read, Marina Davis, Miquelina Xavier, Rose Keeves, Rose Young, Rosemary Good, Violet Dimmack & Wilhelm Hilz. **May the Rest in Peace.**

We pray for all our parishioners, their family and friends who celebrate their Birthday in December.

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	£100.00
TOTAL	£

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£114.30
Loose	£197.90
Standing Orders	£285.75
TOTAL	£597.95

**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** or 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.

Transform for Advent

For young people aged 16 – 30 - come and grow in your faith as we approach Christmas! Held at Clare Priory 9th – 11th December, the weekend will include live music, powerful talks, passionate prayer and interactive workshops, as well as good food and free time! Organised by the Diocesan Youth Service and Clare Priory. Bookings close Sunday 4th December. See www.transformfestival.uk for more information.

Retreat/Recommissioning of Lay Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist.

Retreat: the weekend of 26th/27th November after Mass.
Recommissioning: the weekend of 3rd/4th December at all Masses. We wish to use this opportunity to thank all of you for your dedication in your duties. Well done!

Advent Retreat at St Peter's Gorleston Sunday 11th December at 13:00. Tea and Coffee afterwards. All are welcome.

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

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

- St Peters RCIA Session – **9th Dec.** at 17:00
- First Holy Communion - Friday **9th Dec.** at 17:00
- Episcopal Ordination of Canon Peter Collins – St John the Baptist Cathedral Wednesday **14 December** at 11:30am.

Sons of Mary Mother of Mercy (SMMM), England and Scotland Region Annual Clergy

Retreat Fr Anthony, Fr Alex & Fr Alvan will be on retreat with their SMMM priests in Scotland from 5th- 9th December in Edinburgh. In case of emergency please contact Our Lady Star of the Sea – 01502 572453. They have promised their prayer for you. Please keep them in your prayer as well.

Mass times for the Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea (NR32 1NL) & St Nicholas (NR33 0JQ)

If you wish to attend Mass this week Fr Pdraig welcomes you to his Parish.

Monday 5th - 9am at Our Lady's (Lowestoft)
Tuesday 6th - 12noon at Our Lady's (Lowestoft)
Wednesday 7th - 9am at Our Lady's (Lowestoft)
Thursday 8th - 9:15am at St Nicholas (Pakefield)
The St. Vincent de Paul Society

Thank you to all who contributed to the Christmas Appeal on the weekend on 26th and 27th November. **All** the proceeds from this collection will be used to assist those in need in our parish community. We are grateful for all the hard work our SVP volunteers do throughout the year.

The Posada/House Masses: If you would like to welcome the Posada into your home and/or host a house Mass to prepare your family for Christmas during Advent, please do sign up for that. Now the pandemic is reduced, we will begin to move the Posada round the parishes and offer house Masses with friends and neighbours as we prepare for the coming of Christ this Christmas. Please, do let any of the priests know if you want to host any.

Christmas Mass times/Carols in our two parishes:

St Ignatius, Caister, Saturday 24th December, Mass at 5:00pm and 6:00pm.

St Mary's, Great Yarmouth, Saturday 24th December, Carols at 8:00pm and Mass at 8:30pm.

St Peter's, Gorleston, Saturday 24th December Carols at 8:00pm and Mass at 8:30pm.

Christmas Day

St Edmund, Acle, Sunday 25th December Mass at 9:30am.

St Mary's, Great Yarmouth, Sunday 25th December Mass at 9:00am and 11:00am.

St Peter's, Gorleston, Sunday 25th December Mass at 9:30am.

The Remembrance lamps in the church burn this week in memory of May their soul and all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.