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

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17th Week of the Year – July 2023

Year A	: Weekday		Divine Office Week 1
Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday			
29 th July	Acle	17.00	For the volunteers of our parish
Sunday	Seventeenth Sunday in ordinary time		
30 th July	SM	09.00	For the sick and housebound
	SP	09:30	Dorothy Pearce †
	SM	11.00	For the people of the parish
	Caister	17.00	For Matthew & Pat (newly wedded)
Monday	St Ignatius of Loyola P Mem.		
	SM		No Mass
	SP		No Mass
Tuesday	St Alphonsus Liguori BD Mem.		
	SP	09:30	Paulouse †
	SM	10:00	Gilda Maco Madau, Adao Amaral &
			Maria Filomena dos Santos †
Wednesday	Feria		
	SP	09:30	Edmund Stack (Eddy) FM
	SM	10:00	For all the faithful departed
Thursday	Feria.		
	SM	09:30	Adoration
	SM	10:00	For the volunteers of our parish
	SP	19:00	Sick and housebound
Friday	St John Vianney P Mem.		
	SP	09:30	Marjorie Kirk †
	SM	10:00	For John and Susan Craig
Saturday	Feria.		
	SP	09:30	Susan Craig
	SP	10:00	Adoration and confession
	SM	10:00	Jackie McArthur

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, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Ursula Cole, Angela Cooper, Anthony D'Arcy, Geoffrey Davis, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Susan Fabian, Marguerite Harman, Rosemarie Hawkins, Pat & Bill Howell, 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, Jonathon Walsh, Karen Zerafa, Susanna Craig, Maureen Bacon and Jacqueline Rope. May the Lord heal them.

<u>Death anniversaries:</u> Donald Bellamy, Mary Miller, Barbara Dawson, Kathleen Hill, Edmund Stack, John Taylor, Joseph Hall, Irene Scarlett, John Jordan, Peter Farmborough, David O'Halloran, Margaret Conner, Phyliss Ecclestone, Monica Keeling, Theresa Kelly, Gerald Wijngaarden, Onorina Wills. **May they rest in peace.**

<u>Gianfranco Darvini and Primrose Margaret Christie</u> who passed away recently, may God grant them eternal rest and consolation to their family and friends.

Registered Charity No: 278742
Information

Priest in Charge Fr Anthony Nwankwo SMMM

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Parish Office Hours

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: For deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; Those who suffer persecution, Oppression and Denial of Human Rights; Human Life; Europe; Seafarers.

Psalm Response: Lord how I love your law!

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	£45.00
Loose	£405.08
Standing Orders	£100.00
TOTAL	£550.08

Weekly Offertory Collection - St Peter's

Gift Aid	£77.42
Loose	£340.80
Standing Orders	£285.75
TOTAL	£703.97

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.

God's Stewardship – Appreciation On behalf of St Mary's parish, I wish to sincerely thank all our parishioners and friends for the attention given to the Stewardship programme that we concluded (but still ongoing). A special thank you to all who have completed: the 'third week newsletter' to increase their given to the parish, to set up a new standing order or volunteering their time and talent for the progress of our parish. May God bless you all. *Fr Anthony*.

<u>Classes</u> for <u>prospective candidates</u> for <u>Confirmation in our two parishes</u>. Will start after this school holidays.

<u>We pray</u> for all our parishioners, their family and friends who celebrate their Birthday in July and August.

A warm welcome to all our visitors this weekend

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

> Fr. Alex's farewell Mass/celebration:

At St. Mary's on **6th August** beginning with 11:00am Mass and at St. Peter's on **13th August** with 9:30am Mass. All are welcome to join in the hall after Mass.

Thank you, Father Alex, for your ministry to St. Mary's and St. Peter's Catholic Community for about six years. Envelopes will be given out this weekend for those who wish to contribute to a leaving collection for Fr. Alex. Baskets will be available at the end of each Mass the following weekend (August 5th/6th), in which to return the envelopes with your donations.

<u>First Friday (4th August) Mass/adoration</u> for health care workers/careres at 5:00pm in St Peter's.

Congratulations to Matthew and Pat whose wedding was on Thursday 20th July 2023 at St. Mary-On -The -Quay, RC church in Bristol. Both attend and read at Mass in Caister and Matthew at St Mary, Great Yarmouth also. Please keep them in your prayer. To God be all praise!

Norfolk Constabulary wish to hold a pop-up event outside the front of St Peters church to engage with members of the church and members of the public for one hour. They will be available for problems to be raised and a friendly face to discuss any concerns or queries. This will be held between 14:30-15:30hours on Friday 4th August.

Songs from the Heart Concert – new date is Saturday 29th July.

Apologies for this postponement. This concert will be presented by Gorleston Community Choir. Venue is St Mary's, RC Church, Great Yarmouth. Date is Saturday 29th July 2023, 7:00pm – 9:30pm. Refreshments included £7.50. Ticket is available at St Mary's parish, Great Yarmouth, St Edmund, Acle and St Ignatius, Caister. You can also get the ticket on the door (on the day of the concert). For those who have bought ticket/s before this change, please note that your ticket/s is/are still valid. For more enquiry, call St Mary's parish on 01493 842001.

Follow our Diocesan Group at World Youth Day in Portugal

Please pray for the group of over 50 young people from East Anglia on pilgrimage at World Youth Day in Portugal culminating in Mass with Pope Francis. For the latest updates from the pilgrims please see www.rcdea.org.uk, twitter.com/RCEastAnglia and facebook.com/catholiceastanglia

Bike, Walk, Drive...IN THE NORFOLK COUNTRYSIDE A fun day out for all, stopping off at as many Churches and Chapels as you can! Date: Saturday 9th September 2023. 9:00 am to 5:00pm.