

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

*Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister*

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**6th WEEK OF THE YEAR**

**Year B: Weekday Cycle II**

**Divine Office Week 2**

Day	Place	Time	Intention
<b>Saturday 10th Feb</b>	Acle	17.00	For the people of Acle
<b>Sunday 11th Feb</b>	<b>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>		
	SM	09.00	For all parishioners
	SP	09:30	Rodney Fernandez and Lizzie Lucas†
	SM	11.00	Rosa Alves, Alberto & Maria Jose Major †
	Caister	17.00	For the sick and housebound
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Feria</b>		
	SM	-----	<b>No Mass</b>
	SP	-----	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Feria</b>		
	SP	16:00	<b>Hospital Mass</b>
	SM	10:00	Fr Neville McClement †
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> Fast and Abstinence		
	SP	09:30 19.00	For all parishioners during Lent Ash Wednesday service
	SM	11.00 19:00	For the grace of a good Lent Evening Mass
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Lent Feria.</b>		
	SM	09:30	Eucharistic Adoration
	SM	10:00	For the sick and housebound
	SP	16:00	<b>Hospital Mass</b> Brown†
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Lent Feria</b>		
	SP	07.30	Louisa Savage†
	SM	10:00	For SMMM & DMMM Congregations
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Lent Feria</b>		
	SP	09:30	For the sick and housebound
	SP	10:00	<b>Adoration and confession</b>
	SM	10:00	Mercy Chinwe Ikeme †

Registered Charity No:  
278742

Information

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**Parish Office Hours  
Schools**

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Primary School

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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:**

Candidates for the  
Sacraments, Rite of Christian  
Initiation of Adults, The  
Needy and Hungry of the  
World, World Day of Prayer,  
Penitents and Wanderers.

**Psalm Response:** You are  
my refuge, O Lord; you fill  
me with the joy of salvation.

**2024 Yearbook** for our  
Diocese is out and available  
in our parishes and Mass  
centres. Price is **£3.00**

**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, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Susan Fabian, Rosemarie Hawkins, Pat & Bill Howell, Pat Kirton, Ian McCabe, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Margaret Morton, Joanne Gregory, Beryl Pearson, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Wayne Sharp, Marta Sofia, Mike Spragg, Jonathan Walsh, Karen Zerafa, Maureen Bacon, Christine Bryan and Jean Clark. **May the Lord heal them.**

**Death anniversaries:** Terry Baines, Thomas Hardy, Helen Hunt, Mary Clark, Josephine Lyons, Alan Davies, Martin Downey, Paul McCarney, Raymond Gillings, Margaret Anstey, Sr Osyth Gumershall, Andrea Forzani, Patrick Hughes, Slauka Gabcova, Aidena Banys, Doreen Bracken, Peter Dyson, Sabrina Lafleur, Bridget Hilz, Maura Gahan, Edward McMullen. **May they rest in peace.**

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

### **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	£55.00
Loose	£522.89
Standing Orders	£100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£677.89</b>

#### **Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter’s**

Gift Aid	£40
Loose	£200.73
Standing Orders	£285.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£526.48</b>

**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.**

**SMMM Financial Appeal for the training of SMMM Seminarians** will hold on the weekend of 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of February in our two parishes and Mass centres. Please our dear parishioners and friends, this appeal is in place of 2023’s which did not hold for some reasons. The SMMM is counting on your usual generosity and will ever remain grateful to you as you honour this request.

**St Mary’s Lenten Lunch dates.** Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March at 12:30 in the parish Hall. Proceeds go to Church Restoration.

**St Peter’s Lenten Lunch dates** Friday 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>. February. March 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> March. Time: 12:00 to 13:30 in the parish Hall.

### **Forthcoming Diary Dates:**

- St Mary’s PPC Meeting, February 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Church Hall.
- Portuguese traditional hot food buffet Sat 16<sup>th</sup> March from 14:00 onwards in St Marys Hall.
- Station Mass, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March in St Mary’s, Great Yarmouth.
- St Peter’s PPC Meeting 13<sup>th</sup> March. 19:00 in the parish Hall.
- Bishop Alan’s 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday, Mass at the Cathedral, 19<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at 11:30 followed by lunch.
- Chrism Mass, Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at 11:30 in the Cathedral followed by lunch.

**Father Neville McClement who died recently.** He was a retired Priest of our diocese and a member of our deanery. Father Neville even after retired was supplying Masses for some parishes in the deanery. He will be missed so much among the clergy of our diocese, in the diocese, our deanery and among friends. May God grant him eternal rest and consolation to his family and friends. The funeral date will be made to as soon as the parish has this information.

**Next First Holy Communion Class** will be on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> 2024 at St Peters for those who attend Mass at the parish and Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February at St Mary’s for those who attend Mass at Mary’s. Time is still 17:00.

**Next Confirmation classes in our two parishes** will be on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2024. Time: 17:00 pm in St Mary’s Hall.

**Faith club 5 years anniversary celebration:** 18<sup>th</sup> Feb (St Peters), 25<sup>th</sup> Feb (St Mary’s)

**St Peter’s Bible studies:** Every Wednesday throughout lent, 6.30 to 7.30, next one is 21<sup>st</sup> February.

**St Mary’s Lenten Discussion** will be on “**The Sacrament of Reconciliation: A channel for God’s mercy in the light of Dives in Misericordia**” **Dates:** 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> February and 14<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> March (Thursdays) in the parish hall at 7:00 pm.

**St Mary’s & St Peter’s ongoing 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.