

Catholic Parishes of
St Mary's, Great Yarmouth & St Peter's, Gorleston
Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister
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Registered Charity No: 278742

SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER

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Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 24th May	Acle	17.00	For the sick and housebound
Sunday 25th May	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		
	St Mary (SM)	09.00	Joao Paulo Felgueiras Nunes Asa & Maria Madalene Leto Asa De Sousa †
	St Peter (SP)	09.30	Clive & Jean Hubbard † 18 th Birthday for Louis
	St Mary (SM)	11.00	Linda Lawrence intentions
	Caister	17.00	Mark & Rosemary Williams' Wedding Anniversary
Monday	St Philip Neri P Mem:		
	St Peter (SP)	-----	NO MASS
	St Mary (SM)	-----	NO MASS
Tuesday	St Augustine of Canterbury B Feast:		
	St Peter (SP)	16.00	Hospital Mass -Michael and Magaret Hayes† (FM)
	St Mary (SM)	10.00	Michael Amaraegbunam †
Wednesday	Easter Feria:		
	St Peter (SP)	09.30	Therese Le Mercier & Anthony & David Fernando. †
	St Mary (SM)	10.00	Alonzo A. C. † (FM)
Thursday	The Ascension of The Lord (Solemnity): Holy day of obligation		
	St Peter (SP)	09.30 18.00	George Kersey. † (FM) Stuart. † (FM)
	St Mary (SM)	09.30	Eucharistic Adoration
	St Mary (SM)	10.00	Brid Radford †
Friday	Easter Feria:		
	St Peter (SP)	09.30	George Kersey. † (FM)
	St Mary (SM)	10.00	Sr Rita Kalu's intention
Saturday	The Visitation of The BVM Feast:		
	St Peter (SP)	09.30	George Kersey. † (FM)
	St Peter (SP)	10.00	Adoration & Confession
	St Mary (SM)	10.00	Sr Perpetua's intention

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 Bushell. **May the Lord heal them.**

Death Anniversaries: Emily Skoyles, Claire Penning, George Farrow, Thomas McEvoy, Sheila Ryan, Raphael Pereira, Joyce Postle, Ann Young – Harrison, Martha Robinson, Robert Larkin, Helen Hollingsworth & James Marnell. **May they rest in peace. Amen.**⁶³

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS THIS WEEKEND

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Schools:

St Mary & St Peter
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:

New Members of the Church, Vocations, Human Work, The Right Use of the Media, and The Church.

Psalm Response:

Let the peoples praise You, O God; let the peoples praise You

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	£450.52
Standing Orders	£120.00
TOTAL	£610.52

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£137
Loose	£167.87
Standing Orders	£342.23
TOTAL	£647.1

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 Catholic Presbytery

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

Gift Aid 2025/26

For those who use Gift Aid envelopes, packs are now available for the new tax year. Please collect your pack from your Treasurer/Gift Aid Officer. If you would like to start using envelopes, contact the aforementioned person(s) in your Parish to register your intent.

Retreat Day for Men: "Men of Evangelisation: You are invited to Join Fr Alvan and Catholic men from across the Diocese as we discuss and reflect on evangelisation. Other activities Include: Confession, Mass, Holy Mile and Rosary. As well as talks and discussion. Please bring your packed lunch. Booking can be found on Eventbrite or email mflcoordinator@rcdea.org.uk. Cost for the day is £12.50.

Venue: Walsingham, NR22 6AS Date: 12TH July 2025.

Bible Study Group: Next date 28th of May.

Marriage Celebration Mass with Bishop Peter: 14th

June at St John's Cathedral. For those celebrating

significant anniversaries. Register on

[https://www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-](https://www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-registration/)

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Forthcoming Diary Dates:

- St Mary's PPC Meeting Wednesday 30th July at 19:00 in the parish Hall.
- St Peter's PPC Meeting 27th August in the Parish Hall.

Annual Leave - Father Anthony has gone to Nigeria for his annual leave following the passing away of his mother last November. Please keep him in your prayers for a safe journey. May the soul of Maria Nwankwo and all the departed, rest in peace. Amen.

SVP Awareness: "A staff member from the SVP will be visiting our parish this Sunday, coming to St Mary's on 25th May, Acle on 31st May and Caister on 1st June. This will be an opportunity for you to become a member of the charity, which supports parish priests in their pastoral work, reaching out to those in need in the parish and beyond. People of all races and ages are welcome to join.

SVP Awareness Follow-up: There will be a follow up coffee morning meeting on Saturday 7th June in St. Mary's Hall at 10.30 am. This will be for all those who are interested in joining or finding out more about the S. V. P.

The Next First Holy Communion Classes are Wednesday, 4th of June at 5 pm for St Mary and Wednesday, 4th of June at 5 pm for St Peter.

St Mary's Communion Celebration:

First Reconciliation: Wednesday 11th June at 17:00

First Holy Communion Celebration will be as follows:

The first group (Saturday) 14th June at 15:00

The Second group (Sunday) 15th June 11:00 am

St Peter's: 22nd June 9.30 am Mass.

St Peter's Vacancies: We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to Chris Whitting for wonderfully doing the work of the Parish Treasurer and Gift-aid officer. He has indeed been a great treasure to the Parish. As he begins his training to the Diaconate, the Bishop has asked that he give up his position as the parish Treasurer as soon as possible, to concentrate on his training. We keep him in our prayers.

The parish is therefore in an urgent need of a Parish administrator. The post includes but is not limited to:

- Production of the parish newsletter
- Accounting tasks
- Office administration tasks
- Answering telephone calls

Hours to be discussed at interview and training will be provided if need be. This will be a paid appointment with rate of pay to be agreed.

There is also an urgent need for a New Parish Treasurer and gift aid officer as Chris steps down at the end of June. These are voluntary roles and again training will be provided. This is an opportunity to serve our parish with your **Time, Talent and Tressure**.

St Peter's: Commissioning and recommissioning of readers, Eucharistic ministers, and Altar servers will be on the 29th of June which will be our Parish feast day celebration. If you are still interested to join any of these ministries, please let the priests know.