

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

Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister

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3rd WEEK OF THE YEAR - 27th JANUARY 2019

Divine Office Week 3

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 26 th Jan	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Vigil Mass		
	Acle	17:00	People of the Parish
Sunday 27 th Jan	SP	09:00	John Daniels †
	SM	11:00	Nigel Ainsworth †
	Caister	17:00	David Lewis †
Monday	S Thomas Aquinas PD Mem.		
	-	-	No Mass
Tuesday	Feria		
	JPH	16:30	Ella Malley †
	SM	19:00	Priest's intention
Wednesday	Feria		
	SP	09:30	Betty Ellison †
	SM	10:00	Agnes and George Holt †
Thursday	S John Bosco P Mem.		
	SM	09:30	Adoration
	SM	10:00	Retired members of the clergy
	SM	18:00	Portuguese Mass
	SP	19:30	Bernard Power †
Friday	Feria		
	School	10:00	Enid Phillips †
	SM	10:00	Holy Souls
	Acle	12:00	Requiem Mass - Andy O'Halloran
Saturday	The Presentation of the Lord. Feast.		
	SP	09:30	Bernard Power †
	SP	10:00	Adoration and Confession
	SM	10:00	Priest's intention
	SM	10:30	Confession

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, Marie Coward, Anthony D'Arcy, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Martin Downey, Susan Fabian, Alice Flynn, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Sandra Hennessy, Michael Howlings, Pat Kirton, Brian Lafferty, Mollie Marsden, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Mary-Ann Moody Cliffe, Rita Navaro, Glen Nudd, Joanne O'Gregory, Joe Paton, Dorothy Pearce, Beryl Pearson, Tom Ryan, Michael Ryan, Marta Sofia, Frank Tennant, Jonathon Walsh, Anthony Willets, Patrick Willets, John Wright and Karen Zerafa. May the Lord heal them.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Mary Bean, Eileen Beatson, Peter Canby, John Carrigan, Catherine Corcoran, Maura Davitt, David Dormer, Betty Ellison, Vincent Halladay, Edwin Hamilton, Rebecca Hills, Eric Hodger, Patricia Lambourn, Ella Malley, Justina Mendes, Anne Perkins, Enid Phillips, Annie Platten, Reginald Pownall, Patricia Rainer, Nellie Robinson, Thomas Rowe, Joseph Spandler, Jack Smith, Alice Turner, Rose Vaughan and Ethel Veerley. May they rest in peace.

THERESA BROWN, DAVID LEWIS, ANDY O'HALLORAN AND BERNARD POWER who died recently, may the Lord grant them eternal rest and give comfort to their families and friends.

Registered Charity No:
278742

Information

Priest in Charge

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Parish Office Hours

SM Tue 08:00 – 14:00

SP Wed 09:00 – 14:00

SP Thurs 09:00 – 12:00

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

During Ordinary Time, we are asked to pray for these intentions: Peace on Earth; Christian Unity; Victims of Trafficking; The Sick and those who care for them; The Unemployed.

Psalm Response:

Your words and spirit, Lord,
and they are life.

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	£94.00
Loose	£327.48
Standing Orders	£220.00
TOTAL	£641.48

Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£178.00
Loose	£209.97
Standing Orders	£135.00
TOTAL	£522.97

Restoration Funding stands at: - £24,906.56

Retiring Collection last weekend for Pax Christi:

SM £102.04 SP £95.77

Race Night The Knights of St Columba will be having a Race Night on **Saturday 2nd February 2019** in St Peter's Hall with the 1st race at 19:15. Tickets are on sale at £5.00 and includes either Fish & Chips or Sausage & Chips. We will also be looking for Race Sponsors, Horse Owners and Jockey Sponsors, if you fancy being an owner or a sponsor please let the Knights know and we will take care of everything, even getting your name in the Race Card. Proceeds to raise funds for the Knights of St Columba Good Causes Fund.

St Peter's Fundraising and Events Team Meeting will take place in the Presbytery on **Wednesday 6th February** at 19:00.

St Peter's Joint PPC, FC and Events Team Meeting with Bill O'Neill will take place on Wednesday 20th February at 19:00 in the hall. Please attend if you can.

Food bank – this weekend 26th/27th January: Most useful items include tins of beans, soup, fruit and packets of rice, pasta, biscuits & cereals. **Non-perishable items only please.** Also toiletry items including soap, flannels, toothbrushes, toothpaste & shampoo. A big thank you to all parishioners who supported the local food banks throughout 2018. Your generosity is very much appreciated so please continue this new year of 2019!

Daily Mass In The Parish If you are free during the week, why not come to weekday mass and get into the habit of making daily mass part of your life.

We pray for all our parishioners, family members and friends whose birthday is in the month of January.

Holy Father's prayer intentions for January: that young people, especially in South America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **SM & SP Sunday School** – today 27th Jan
2. **SM SVP**—next meeting Wed 6th Feb at 10:00
3. **SP SVP**- next meeting Sun 3rd Feb after Mass
4. **SP Bingo** – next session Sat 9th Feb – eyes down 19:00, for SP Restoration Fund
5. **SP PPC** – next meeting Wed 20th Mar 19:00

First Holy Communion Classes – for children at St Mary's on **Wed 30th Jan** and at St Peter's on **Wed 6th Feb** both at 17:00. Please note that the St Mary's session is also the Parents' session – please make sure you attend.

Rite Of Christian Initiation Of Adults This programme is for those 17 years and above, who wish to be received into the Catholic Church. Please speak to any Priest if you wish to be part of this Programme.

There will be a Memorial Requiem Mass for Fr Tom, who was our Parish Priest at St Peter's Church and sadly died on 2nd November 2018. This will be our chance to remember him and give thanks for his life and priesthood. It will be held on **Friday 8th February** at 19:30 in St Peter's Church. Shared refreshments will be served in the hall after Mass. More details to follow.

An evening about Catholicism at Clare Priory presented by Bishop Robert Barron, auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Sessions held on Thursday evenings from 19:15-21:00 – next session 'St Augustine' will be on **31st January**. No booking required, just turn up! (Clare Priory, Ashen Rd, Suffolk Co10 8NX)

A big thank you to Em and her band Stardust for all their hard work. It was a really enjoyable evening and we raised **£250.00** for St Mary's Church Restoration Fund.

St Mary's Lost Property there are a large number of items in the 'Lost Property Box', including jackets, gloves, scarves, spectacles, prayer books etc. If these are not claimed by the end of January, they will be given to charity. Thank you for your cooperation.

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information see poster or visit www.catholicsingles.org.uk

Requiem Mass for Bernard Power will be on **Wednesday 6th February** at 12:30 in St Peter's Church – may he rest in peace.

New Diocesan Year Book 2019 now available at the back of Church priced £2.00.

Large print bulletin available at the back of Church