

# 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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## 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time— 31st JANUARY 2021

Year B; Weekday Cycle 1

Divine Office Week 4

Registered Charity No:  
278742

Day	Place	Time	Intention
<b>Saturday</b> 30th January	<b>Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time.</b>		
	Acle	17:00	No Mass
	SP	18:00	For the people of the parish
<b>Sunday</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> January	SM	9:00	No Mass
	SP	09:30	Jerlin & Renjan – First Wedding Anniversary
	SM	11:00	For the people of the parish
	Caister	17:00	No Mass
<b>Monday</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> of February	SM		No Mass
	SP		No Mass
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD. Feast</b>		
	SP	10:00	Philips FM
	SM	10:00	Elwin Reg FM
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Feria:</b>		
	SP	10:00	For the children of the parish
	SM	10:00	Linda Conway †
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Feria:</b>		
	SM	10:00	For Bishop Alan and his future Successor
	SP	19:00	For the Bishop Alan and his future successor
<b>Friday</b>	<b>St Agatha VM Mem.</b>		
	SP	10:00	For all our volunteers
	SM	10:00	For all our Volunteers
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>St Paul Miki &amp; Comps. MM. Mem</b>		
	SM	10:00	Priest's intention
	SP	10:00	Bertie and Angela Stone

## Information

### **Priest in Charge**

Fr Anthony Nwankwo SMMM

### **Assistant Priest**

Fr Alvan Ibeh SMMM

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### **Assistant Priest**

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### **Parish Deacon**

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### **Parish Office Hours**

T.B.A.

### **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, Openness to the Word of God, Victims of Trafficking, The Sick and those who care for them & the Unemployed

**Psalm Response:** O that today you would listen to his Voice! Harden not your hearts

**Please remember in your prayers: all in the parish who are ill:** Molly Able, Tony Adamson, Ann Askew, Tony Baker, Tim Bushell, Brendan Byrne, Jean Clarke, Mary Byrne, Jeanette Charalambous, Jane Christie, Stephen Christie, Ursula Cole, Angela Cooper, Anthony D'Arcy, Geoffrey Davis, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Martin Downey, Susan Fabian, Sam Gill, Marguerite Harman, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Michael Howlings, Ruth Jermy, Alma Kane, Pat Kirton, Brian Lafferty, Chris List, Mollie Marsden, Ian McCabe, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Margaret Morton, , Joanne O'Gregory, Beryl Pearson, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Wayne Sharp, Marta Sofia, Frank Tennant, Jonathon Walsh, Nigel Weale, Anthony Willets, Patrick Willets and Karen Zerafa. *May the Lord heal them.*

**Death Anniversary:** Anne Burden, Catherine Meechan, Chartes Hewkin, Eileen Beatson, Enid Phillips, Harry Mannall, James Coyne, Joseph Spandler, Kathleen Charlesworth, Kathleen Green, Mary Davis, Nellie Robinson, Patricia Lambourn, Rebecca Hilis, Rita Navarro and Robert Cogley. **May they rest in peace. Amen.**

### 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	£
TOTAL	£

#### Weekly Offertory Collection – St Peter's

Gift Aid	£
Loose	£
Standing Orders	£
TOTAL	£

**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.

**Diocesan Yearbook for 2021:** Get your copy for £2 from St Mary, Acle, Caister and St Peter.

**Link for St Mary's LIVE STREAMING** of Masses can be found on St Mary's website [www.stmarysgy.org.uk](http://www.stmarysgy.org.uk) for Sunday and Weekday Masses.

**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 Parish, Great Yarmouth.  
Sort code: 40-22-22. Account no: 61604708.

**Account name:** St Peter's Parish Treasurer Account. Sort code: 40-22-34. Account no: 81003879.

**The Diocese is recruiting a grant-funded Historic Churches Support Officer** on 20 hours per week. The closing date is Monday February 22<sup>nd</sup>. Details can be obtained by going to <https://www.rcdea.org.uk/vacancies/>

**Extension of St Mary's £10 Challenge:** The parish wish to thank all the parishioners who are currently taking part in the £10 challenge that started last year. We, therefore, wish to inform our parishioners and mostly those registered for this challenge that due to the impact of covid-19, the exercise is now extended to April 2021. We wish you more success as you work harder to increase the money.

### Forthcoming Diary Dates:

1. **SM SVP** – meetings currently cancelled.
2. **SP SVP** – meetings currently cancelled.
3. **SP/SM PPC** – On zoom
4. **SP/SM PFC** – On zoom
5. **KSC** – meetings currently cancelled.

### **No Public Masses at St Mary's Parish until Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February.**

On behalf of Fr Alvan, I wish to express our gratitude to you – our parishioners and friends for looking after us, materially and spiritually during the whole period we self- isolated due to the effect of the covid-19 on us. We thank God for sending you to us at those difficult times. You embody kindness, generosity and so much more to us. Please, be informed that St Mary's parish is closed and no public Masses going on until Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February. However, the live streaming of Sunday and Weekday Masses will continue as usual. May God continue to look after you and your loved ones. Please be assured of our continued prayer for you. Fr Anthony.

### **St Mary's & St Peter's – First Holy Communion Application Form.**

St Mary's and St Peter's would be organizing First Holy Communion classes for the children of the parishes. St Mary's Classes would be on zoom while Peter's is planning to have theirs in the parish Hall with the full covid rules strictly followed. For interested candidates, the application Form could be obtained from St Mary's website: [www.stmarysgy.org.uk](http://www.stmarysgy.org.uk) and St Peter's website: [www.stpetersrc.org.uk](http://www.stpetersrc.org.uk) Application is open for children already in year three. Parents are advised to return a completed application Form for their child/children by EMAIL to St Mary's or St Peter's parish, depending on the parish you attend Masses. For more enquiries, please call St Mary's on: **01493 842001** and St Peter's on: **01493 301013**.

**Monsignor Mark Langham**, the Catholic Chaplain at Fisher House in Cambridge who died recently, may God grant him eternal rest and bring comfort to his family and the people of God.

**Tony Sowinski:** The Parish of St Mary's regret to inform us of the passing on of Tony Sowinski last week. Tony worshiped with St Ignatius catholic community in Caister. He was an active member of the parish's SVP. May God grant him eternal rest and bring consolation to his wife, family and friends. The funeral arrangements will be communicated to us.

**Confirmation at St Mary's:** Due to the second lockdown and suspension of public worship, the earlier planned Confirmation date is move to Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021. Please, let us continue to keep our Confirmation group in our prayer.

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

