

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

Serving the communities of Yarmouth, Gorleston, Acle & Caister

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3rd Week of Advent – 12th December 2021

Year C; Weekday Cycle 2

Divine Office Week 1

Day	Place	Time	Intention
Saturday 11 th December	3rd Sunday of Advent (Gaudete Sunday)		
	Acle	17.00	For all health workers
Sunday 12 th December	SM	09:00	For Vaclav's family
	SP	09:30	Joseph Anthony's Birthday
	SM	11:00	For the people of our parish
	Caister	17:00	For all departed souls
Monday	St Lucy VM Mem		
	SM	-----	No Mass
	SP	-----	No Mass
Tuesday	St John of the Cross PD. Mem		
	SP	09:30	Brenda Rapley †
	SM	10:00	Eilish Collier
Wednesday	Advent Feria		
	SP	09:30	Laura Elizabeth Smith †
	SM	10:00	Eilish Collier
Thursday	Advent Feria		
	SM	09.30	Eucharistic adoration
	SM	10:00	Eamon, Marion and Frank Duffy †
	SM	18.00	Mass in Portuguese
	SP	19:00	Mabel Search FM
Friday	Advent Feria (O Sapientia)		
	School	10:00	School Christmas Mass
	SM	10.00	For SMMM Congregation
	SM	14:00	Funeral Mass- Joseph
Saturday	Advent Feria (O Adonai)		
	SP	09:30	Jelissa's healing.
	SP	10:00	Adoration & Confession
	SM	10:00	Priest's intention
	SP	17.00	Malayalam Mass

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, Jean Clarke, Anthony D'Arcy, Geoffrey Davis, Filomena Desira, Sam Desira, Susan Fabian, Marguerite Harman, Joyce Hastings, Rosemarie Hawkins, Ruth Jermy, Pat Kirton, Brian Lafferty, Mollie Marsden, Ian McCabe, Eileen McCarney, Linda McGurk, Margaret Morton, Joanne O'Gregory, Beryl Pearson, George Ritchie, Michael Ryan, Tom Ryan, Wayne Sharp, Marta Sofia, Mike Spragg, Frank Tennant, Jonathon Walsh, Nigel Weale, Anthony Willets, Patrick Willets and Karen Zerafa. **May the Lord heal them.**

Death anniversaries: Anne McNamara, Antoinette Neve, Anthony Boyle, Bessie Manning, Brian Rooney, Dennis Manning, Dorothy Sparasci, Edward Francis, Eleanor Rodger, Eleanor Tann, Ernest Lingwood, Evelyn Teiffel, Frances Roberts, Gladys Took, Harry Mancini, James Kindlin, Jenny Brown, Kathleen Williams, Laura Smith, Louise Gedge, Luigi Palumbo, Margaret Robertson, Mary Leggett, Mary Lindley, Nora Wells, Thomas Maxwell, Travis Barber, Veronica O'Connor, Violet Broom **May they Rest in Peace. Amen.**

Link for St Mary's Live Streaming of Masses can be found on St Mary's website for Sunday and Weekday Masses.

Please visit the parishes' or the Diocesan website to complete and send the Diocesan survey for the Synodal Pathway.

Registered Charity No:
278742

Information

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Parish Office Hours

Tuesdays

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

We pray for Migrants and
Refugees & Expectant
Mothers

Psalm Response:

Sing and shout for joy
for great in your midst is the
Holy One of Israel.

We pray for all our
parishioners, their family and
friends who celebrate their
Birthday in December.

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	£.00
Loose	£00
Standing Orders	£80.00
TOTAL	£00

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.

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

Christmas Mass times & Carols

St Mary's Great Yarmouth : Dec. 24th Carols at 19:30 for vigil Mass 20.00. **Dec. 25th** 09:00 & 11:00. **Dec 26th** 09.00 & 11.00

St Ignatius, Caister: Vigil Mass; **Dec. 24th** 17:00 & 18:00
Dec 26th 17.00 **St Edmund, Acle:** **Dec 25th** 09:30am.

St Peter's Gorleston: **Dec 24th** – Carols at 17:30 for 18:00 Mass, and Carols at 20:00 for 20:30 Mass.

25th Dec. – 9:30 and 26th Dec. – 9:30. Malayalam Mass 18.00

Retreat for the Recommissioning of the Ministers of the Word (Lay Readers) and Extraordinary-Ministers of the Eucharist at St. Peter's: This will be a joint retreat and will come up on **Sunday 16th January** after 9:30 Mass. Your presence will be appreciated. The date(s) for the recommissioning will be agreed on the 16th of January.

Festive Concert – Yarmouth Minster Church

Join the Chorus of St Cecilia for your festive favourites on Thursday 16th December at 7.30pm Tickets £10 Contact Matthew Hardy.

Forthcoming Diary Dates: SM SVP, SP SVP, SP/SM PPC, SP/SM PFC, and KSC.

Physical meetings currently suspended.

Face coverings

Following the recommendations we ask all attending Mass or visiting our churches to wear a facecovering unless exempt. Keep protecting your Priests and each other. Thank you

We pray for Brenda Rapley, Joseph B. who died recently, may they rest in peace. Amen. Please, keep their families in your prayers.

Replacement of St Mary's church old Roof/Closing of church after daily Masses

Following the Funding that St Mary's recently received from the DCMS Culture Recovery Fund to completely replace the existing old roof of St Marys Church, please be informed that the church will always be close at the end of each weekday and Sunday Masses to make a good way for the contractors to do their work. Thank you for your understanding as we remain grateful to God for the fund. More information is placed on the website.

First Holy Communion Forms for 2021/2022 are available at both parishes at the back of the church or you can go on the parishes' websites. Please, fill the form(s) and return it(them) to the parish (St Mary's or St Peter's) office as soon as possible. Closing date, Friday 31st December 2021.

St Mary's Team Leader for Synodal Pathway

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The second question of the Synodal Pathway to be discussed in our next zoom discussion

How good are we at listening?

Our world is full of noise and opinion; full of people making their voices heard, and those who feel that they go unnoticed. Are we good listeners?

Do we feel listened to?

How do we learn to listen well -to each other, to the wider world, to God himself?

St Peter's zoom discussion on the synodal Pathway second question

will be on **Friday 17th** December at 19:00. Meeting ID: 812 6971 4656. Passcode: 906757. The link for the meeting is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81269714656?pwd=R1dGaDNKTTZQYkpJYi9GOXcyNjUrUT09>

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Fr. David Ward Entertains us!! "This Time With Tinsel" Christmas show on Sunday 12th December at 5:00pm. Raffle Prizes would be gratefully received in aid of East Anglian Children's Hospice. Many thanks.

Red Boxes Many St Peter's parishioners have red boxes to collect for Missio. This year please count your own money and donate directly to Missio on 02078219755 or at missio.org.uk

If you are unable to do this, please bring your red boxes to Mass and Barbara will bank the proceeds for 2021.

Welcome We offer a warm welcome to visitors to our parishes and hope you enjoy your time with us.