

St Mary & St Romuald Parish

Yarm

Welcome

Thirty Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Divine Office Week 4(B)

SATURDAY 9TH NOVEMBER-

FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER 2024

BAPTISMS; WEDDINGS; By appointment

FUNERALS; By arrangement

CONFESSIONS: St Therese Normally Saturday 10.30am-11.00am

St. Mary & St. Romuald on request

Parish Priest Canon Alan Sheridan

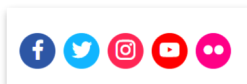
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MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS:

SATURDAY	5.30pm Ingleby	People of the parishes
SUNDAY	9.30am Yarm 11am Ingleby	November list/Remembrance November list/Remembrance
MONDAY	NO MASS	
TUESDAY	10am Yarm;	November list
WEDNESDAY	10am Ingleby	Callaghan & McEwen families
THURSDAY	10am Yarm	deceased Catenians Hambleton Circle
FRIDAY	10am Ingleby	November list
SATURDAY	10am Ingleby	November list
	5.30pm Ingleby	People of the parishes
SUNDAY	9.30am Yarm 11am Ingleby 2pm Yarm	Yorkshire Brethren November list <i>Tridentine Mass. Followed by Benediction after Mass (every week). 2.45—3pm.</i>

MASSES RECEIVED FOR: Herman family, Lynn Walker

READINGS AND HEADINGS:

1 Kings 17: 10 – 16

The widow made a little scone from her meal and brought it to Elijah

Psalms 145

My soul, give praise to the Lord

Hebrews 9: 24 – 28

Christ offers himself only once to take the faults of many on himself

Mark 12: 38 – 44

This poor widow put in more than all

REFLECTION: Widows were traditionally the poorest of the poor. Unless they had older children who could support them they were generally left to the worst and dirtiest work. In both the first reading and the Gospel we see these poorest of the poor giving over and above what they have. So often we see the rich wanting to hold on to their vast billions and depriving the least well off of basic incomes. Most of us fall somewhere between the two but where do we find our attitudes – selfish or selfless?

PARISH FAMILY

Please pray for all those who are sick in the parish: Jo Wynn, Jude Llewellyn.

Unless you let us know in writing, we can no longer include the names of those who are sick in our community.

Please pray for those who are bereaved in the Parish, for those who have died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

LATELY DEAD: Evelyn Walker

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Coffell, Peter Bonner, Barbara Ronchetti, Claire Kendall Jones, Norah Cluza, Alicia Prieto, Fr Eamon Carson

Grant them eternal rest and peace in heaven.

Please note that it is customary when requesting a Mass to be said that an offering is made to the Priest. (If you know of anyone whose name should be added to, or removed from, the list of those to be prayed for please advise Canon Alan).

PARISH NOTICES

If you need help or just a chat, please DO NOT HESITATE TO GET IN TOUCH!

DO NOT KEEP YOURSELF SO ISOLATED YOU GET LONELY.

A vital aspect of a church is people willing to bring their talents, experience and energy to our various ministries and activities. We have lots of different ways you can get involved what can you bring?

ST TERESE CHURCH IS OPEN for private prayer till 3/3.30pm except Sundays and Mondays.

CONFESSIONS: Normally Saturday 10.30am-11.00am at St Therese ***on request at St. Mary & St. Romuald***

BAPTISMS: by appointment **WEDDINGS:** by appointment **FUNERALS:** by arrangement

READERS AND MINISTERS AT MASS:

November 10th: M. Dias; C. McMurray

November 17th: C. Heayns; K. McMurray

CRAFT AND CAKE in the hall after Tuesday morning Mass.

A "WARM PLACE" IN ST TERESE CHURCH : Thursday 11am St Therese, Ingleby.

JOURNEY IN FAITH: WEDNESDAY in the presbytery, 9 Holystone Drive .

NOVEMBER LIST. Envelopes are available for your November List names and offerings.

MASS FOR HEALING, TUESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER AT 11.45AM with Father Dominique Minskip and Canon Michael Loughlin. In the Chapel at the Bar Convent, 17 Blossom Street, York. Everyone Welcome.

HOLY HOUR FOR THE DIGNITY OF HUMAN LIFE to be held at Yarm. On Wednesday **13th November**, 5:30pm - 6:30pm, the bishops of England and Wales will come together to pray a holy hour before the Blessed Sacrament for the dignity of human life. As the UK parliament begins to debate the possibility of assisted suicide, we are invited to hold a holy hour in our parishes at the same time.

NEXT SUNDAY our deacons-to-be will receive the ministry of Acolyte at St Bede's Marske. As vocations director I am expected to attend. I am grateful to Fr. Neil for supplying

CHRISTMAS DRAW: We intend to have a Christmas Draw again this year and in order to get tickets printed need to know prizes. Please can you see list at back of church and add your name and prize if you can donate to Draw.

CHRISTMAS MEALS: We are repeating our very successful Parish Christmas meals . The meals will be on Friday 6th December at 1pm and Saturday 7th December at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Invitations will be available this weekend . Please put your name on the list at the back of church if you would like to attend.

100 CLUB:

1st Prize No 25 -Joan Melling

2nd Prize No 39 - Samantha Heayns

3rd Prize No 40 - Joan Melling

FOOD BANK COLLECTION: Donations for the food bank be left at the back of church each weekend.

SVP GRANTS: Some SVP grants can be applied for to assist with the cost of living crisis so if you know of any person needing support please be in touch.

Contact 01642 782111 or 07710280652

St Mary and Romuald, Yarm will be hosting the World Day of Prayer service for 2025.

minder that 2025 World Day of Prayer will take place in St Mary and Romuald Catholic Church in Yarm, on Friday 7th March at 2pm, and the theme will be based on the Cook Islands.

ON WEDNESDAY 16TH OCTOBER, KIM LEADBEATER, MP, INTRODUCED HER TERMINALLY ILL ADULTS (END OF LIFE) BILL. This latest attempt to legalise assisted suicide will be debated and voted on by MPs on 29th November. If this law is passed, it will mean doctors will be able to give lethal medication to sick, elderly and disabled people so that they can take their own life. We will be crossing a very dangerous line.

Our church leaders, including Cardinal Nichols, and Bishop Terry, have asked us to take urgent action to oppose this bill.

Please consider writing to your MP to ask him/her to vote against this bill. Please write a personal letter or email, remembering to give your postal address so that your MP knows that you are a constituent.

Think of the sick or elderly members of your own family who could be at risk if the law is changed – and tell your MP about your concerns. You can also talk about the risks to palliative care, how safeguards for such laws are progressively ignored and removed wherever they have been passed elsewhere, how the disabled fear assisted suicide, and how assisted suicide leads to overall suicide rates increasing across society.

If this bill is passed, the option to choose death will be there for everyone: the elderly person who worries that they are a burden on their children; those with complex health issues who worry they are a drain on resources; those struggling to pay their rent or heating bill.

Your letter or email need only be short and every single one counts, so please take a few minutes to write to your MP. The key message to send to your MP is: Please vote against the assisted suicide bill. The lives of vulnerable people depend on it.

BE STILL AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD, 21ST – 24TH NOVEMBER 2024: Join Fr Roger Dawson, SJ, for this retreat exploring the human condition with practices common to mindfulness and to Christian contemplative prayer. The retreat will seek to reclaim those practices that share common ground with the tradition of apophatic prayer and theology rooted in the monastic and the Eastern Orthodox traditions. For more information and to register: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/be-still-and-know-that-i-am-god/>

CAFOD WORLD GIFTS 2024: As we look forward to celebrating a joyous Christmas with our loved ones, let us spread our love around the world by having a CAFOD World Gift under the tree. Please buy a CAFOD World Gift for family and friends this year and help transform the lives of people living in poverty and suffering immensely this Christmas. There is a plentiful choice of gifts with a wide range of prices starting at £2.50. These gifts are also suitable to give for many occasions such as birthdays, wedding anniversaries, baptisms, graduations, in remembrance, etc. You can buy on-line via the CAFOD web-site or take home a catalogue available in the church foyer **NEW FOR THIS YEAR - Cheerful Children's Stocking: £20.00.** Unwrap the true meaning of Christmas by giving a Cheerful children's stocking. Winter can put a lot of strain on families who are already struggling and this gift can support a young family through those tough months many children experiencing poverty or injustices are left without the absolute essentials at Christmas; experiencing hardship they have very little on Christmas Day. Spread joy to a child who has fled conflict or disaster with this magical Christmas gift which provides winter essentials such as hats and gloves alongside presents like sweets, books and toys. Thank you for your support and prayers.

COLLECTION:

Diocese of Middlesbrough, Parish of S. S. Mary & Romuald, Yarm 20-56-90 60007374

Amount banked this week: £ 307 including £40 Piety Stall

Many thanks for your generosity

Parish Account is credited monthly with approx £1500 in Standing Orders, the majority of which are Gift Aided.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE AN ITEM IN THE BULLETIN PLEASE GET IT TO ME BY THURSDAY MORNING AT THE LATEST. THANK YOU.