

# St Mary & St Romuald Parish Yarm

## Welcome

Divine Office Week 4(C)

### *Corpus Christi*

**SATURDAY 21ST JUNE-**

**FRIDAY 27TH JUNE 2025**

**BAPTISMS: WEDDINGS:** By appointment

**FUNERALS:** By arrangement

**CONFESSIONS:** St Therese Normally Saturday 10.30am-11.00am

St. Mary & St. Romuald on request

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**MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS:**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	5.30 pm Ingleby	People of the parishes
<b>SUNDAY</b>	9.30am Yarm	John Doherty
	11am Ingleby	Lawrence Joseph O'Neill
<b>MONDAY</b>	No Mass	
<b>TUESDAY</b>	10am Yarm	Rita Burgess
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	10am Ingleby	Anthony Crossen
<b>THURSDAY</b>	10am Yarm	Paul & Colette Dias
<b>FRIDAY</b>	10am Ingleby	Anne & John Greenan
<b>SATURDAY</b>	10am Ingleby	YB Monthly
	5.30pm Ingleby	Maureen Humble
<b>SUNDAY</b>	9.30am Yarm	John Sugden
	11am Ingleby	People of the parishes
	2pm Yarm	TLM. Followed by Benediction

**MASSES RECEIVED FOR:** Herman family, In thanksgiving KB, Spec Int KB, Anne & John Greenan, Thanksgiving Terry' recovery, Pat Stephen, Rita Burgess, Mary Gratton

**READINGS AND HEADINGS:**

*Genesis 14: 18 -20*

*He offered bread and wine*

*Psalms 110*

*You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek*

*1 Corinthians 11: 23 – 26*

*For as often as you eat and drink, you proclaim the Lord's death*

*Luke 9: 11b – 17*

*All ate and were satisfied*

**REFLECTION:** *The Lord provides with physical food as a symbol of the spiritual food to come. We are encouraged to proclaim the Lord's death and resurrection every time we meet through the Eucharist. I cannot understand why people deprive themselves of this grace voluntarily by missing out on the chance to celebrate the Mass every week. It is the Lord's greatest blessing to us.*

**PARISH FAMILY**

**Please pray for all those who are sick in the parish:** Jo Wynn, Jude Llewellyn, Tony Clark, Barbara Man, Stephen Kardos

*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:** Rita Burgess, Mary Gratton

**ANNIVERSARIES:** John Doherty, Veronica Gregan, John Downie, Anne Greenan

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

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**READERS AND MINISTERS AT MASS:**

**Please arrange a replacement if you cannot make it. Thank you.**

June 22nd:                      P. McGuire; C. Heayns

June 29th:                      J. Sampson; E. Sutton

**CRAFT AND CAKE** in the hall after Tuesday morning Mass.

**A "WARM PLACE" IN ST THERESE CHURCH** : 11am Thursday in church hall.

**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS LIZ BROWN** who will be ordained next Sunday at St Francis C of E.

**THANK YOU TO EVERYBODY** who helped make our recent celebrations so lovely.

**51ST POSTGATE RALLY:** The 51st Annual Postgate Rally takes place on 6th July in Egton Bridge. Hymns are sung from 2:30pm. Mass, celebrated by Mgr Gerard Robinson VG, begins at 3pm. Canon David Grant will preach.

Blessed Nicholas Postgate was a priest when it was illegal to be so. He was arrested whilst performing a Baptism in 1678. He was hanged, drawn and quartered at the Knavesmire in York in 1679. He was beatified by St John Paul II in 1987.

Please do attend the rally as the Diocesan family gathers to celebrate Fr Postgate and the legacy of faith he left in our land.

**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**

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

## **CAFOD NEWS**

**GREAT NORTH RUN - SUNDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2025:** There are still a couple of spaces left if you would like to run for CAFOD in this year's Great North Run. You can sign up on-line with CAFOD at Great North Run.

## **HOLY ISLAND PILGRIMAGE - SATURDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER 2025**

In this special Year of Jubilee, all are welcome to join CAFOD and the Archbishop Romero Trust, on their pilgrimage to Holy Island on Saturday 13th September. Bring your Parish, School or local community together and journey to Lindisfarne as Pilgrims of Hope.

Meeting Points:

- 10.00 am: Coaches meet at Purdy Lodge café (café on the A1, Adderstone, Warenford, Belford NE70 7JU) to travel in convoy to Holy Island causeway.
- 11.30 am - 11.45 am: Walkers meet at 1st refuge on the causeway to cross the sands.
- Non-walkers are welcome to join service in St Aidan's Catholic Church at 12.00 noon.
- Lunch: bring or buy your own.
- 3.00 pm: Mass in St Mary's Church.

Tide times for safe crossing: 10.45am – 5.35pm

Northumberland County Council Safe Crossing Times can be viewed on-line

For more information, please contact: Rachel Blaylock

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## **REFUGEE WEEK 2025: THEME - COMMUNITY AS A SUPERPOWER:**

### **SIMPLE ACTS FOR SANCTUARY**

1. Speak to a refugee or someone seeking sanctuary. Do not be afraid.
2. Organise a social or awareness raising event at your church/school and invite refugees.
3. Learn more about seeking sanctuary in the UK. Be well informed and able to challenge prejudice and disinformation. (Refugee Council)
4. There are very few legal aid immigration lawyers for people seeking protection. Local charity, Justice First, is a lifeline. Can you make a monthly pledge to Justice First?
5. Donate food and/or toiletries to the Mary Thompson Fund.

**ASYLUM FACTS:** There is no such thing as an illegal asylum seeker

- The 1951 Refugee Convention guarantees everyone the right to claim asylum in a safe country if they are experiencing persecution in their own.
- When the government agrees a person meets the definition in the Refugee Convention, that person is recognised as a 'refugee'.
- Developing countries look after most of the world's refugees. Most refugees live in countries neighbouring their own, crossing borders on foot.
- People do not have to seek asylum in the first country they reach.
- There is no safe, legal route for people seeking asylum. It is recognised that people have always had to use irregular routes. There is no British Embassy to issue visas in countries such as Afghanistan, Syria, Yemen, Sudan.
- Afghan, Syrian, Iranian and Sudanese people make up majority of people on boats. These nationalities have high acceptance rates of their asylum claims.
- Asylum seekers want to work but they are not allowed to.
- The children of refugees and people seeking asylum have a positive attitude to learning and enrich our schools.

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## **COLLECTION: DIOCESE OF MIDDLESBROUGH, PARISH OF S. S. MARY & ROMUALD, YARM**

**20-56-90 60007374**

**AMOUNT BANKED THIS WEEK: PARISH ACCOUNT £ 254.00**

**BUILDING ACCOUNT £100.00 - SUNDAY COFFEE.**

**PARISH ACCOUNT IS CREDITED MONTHLY WITH APPROX £1700 IN STANDING ORDERS, THE MAJORITY OF WHICH ARE GIFT AIDED.**

## **CHRISTIAN AID WEEK MADE £6002.54.**

**AVRIL RHODES THANKS EVERYBODY FOR THEIR EFFORTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS**

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