St Mary & St Romuald Parish Yarm

Welcome

Divine Office Week 1(A)

Thirty Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

World Day of the Poor

Saturday 14th November-

Friday 20th November 2026

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

9 Holystone Drive, Ingleby Barwick, Stockton-on-Tees, TS17 0PW

Tel: 01642 751304

email: stthereseoflisieux@rcdmidd.org.uk

website: www.stmaryandstromuald.org.uk

(also find us on Facebook)

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS:

SATURDAY	5.30pm Ingleby	People of the parishes
SUNDAY	9.30am Yarm	November list
	11am Ingleby	November list
MONDAY	**NO MASS**	
TUESDAY	10am Yarm	November list
WEDNESDAY	10am Ingleby	November list
THURSDAY	10am Yarm	November list
FRIDAY	**NO MASS**	
SATURDAY	**NO MASS**	
	5.30pm Ingleby	November List
SUNDAY	9.30am Yarm	November list
	11am Ingleby	November list
	2pm Yarm	TLM. Followed by Benediction

MASSES RECEIVED FOR: Herman family, Fiona Welburn, Philip Suddes, Holy Souls, John Rogers, Mary & Terry's continued recovery, John & Margaret Riordan, November list Masses

READINGS AND HEADINGS:
Proverbs 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31
She works with willing hands

Psalm 128
Blessed are all who fear the LORD

1 Thessalonians 5: 1 -6
Do not let the day of the Lord surprise you like a thief

Matthew 25: 14 – 30
You have been faithful over a little, enter into the joy of your master

REFLECTION: *If we are faithful to the Lord's commands, then we are ready to meet Him. It is that simple. We are entrusted, most of us, with "little things" – our families, our parishes, our local area. Few of us are called to govern the "great and the good" or have control of huge corporations – but the way we act in the little things is a way we would act in the big things – be compassionate, respectful, honest and trustworthy. Then we will be rewarded.*

PARISH FAMILY

Please pray for all those who are sick in the parish: David Redhead, Joan Ruddick, Louise, Julie, Peter Little, Tony Kemp, Jean Connor
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: Fiona Welburn, Margaret Wilson (Chris Sherris's mum)
ANNIVERSARIES: Suzanna Somerville

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. Please speak to me if you can offer your help.

ST THERESE 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

SAFEGUARDING:
any concerns please contact Jodie on psrstmaryandromuald@rcdmidd.org.uk
Or ring safeguarding 01642 850505

READERS AND MINISTERS AT MASS:
Please arrange a replacement if you cannot make it. Thank you.
15th November: P. McGuire; E. Sutton
22nd November: M. Russell; L. Wilson

'TUESDAY CUPPA AND CHAT' after Tuesday morning Mass.

COFFEE, TEA, CAKE AND A CHAT. All welcome. Formerly known as warm space Thursday 11am.

THE JOURNEY IN FAITH (RCIA): TUESDAY THIS WEEK at 7pm in the Presbytery 9 Holystone Drive, Ingleby Barwick, TS17 0PW- For anybody wishing to become Catholic or simply wanting to know more about the faith. All welcome.

ON FRIDAY I AM IN HOSPITAL FOR A SMALL OPERATION. There will be no Mass on Friday or Saturday morning. The weekend Masses will be covered by Monsignor Hogan and I am very grateful to him.

PRAYER GROUP THURSDAY MORNING (after the celebration of Holy Mass, at 10.30am). The intention is that each meeting of the Prayer Group should be centred around a prayerful and contemplative praying of the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Everybody will be welcome to attend. Contact Martin Russell either by:
mobile phone (number - 07716 175121) or e-mail (address mb.russell@icloud.com).

CHRISTMAS DRAW : tickets on sale.

100 CLUB WINNERS OF THE OCTOBER DRAW WERE:
1st Prize (£100) Number 83 - Martin & Alix Crowson
2nd Prize (£75) Number 89 - Arlene Ellis
3rd Prize (£50) Number 91 - The Scarletts
We are now accepting subs for 2027, please contact John Sampson to continue/renew your membership. If you are not yet a member we do have numbers available and you are most welcome to join. Contact John Sampson Mob/Text/WhatsApp: 07771 805297or email: johnsampson2025@outlook.com

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

YORK CHRISTMAS MARKETS AND OUTLET – THURSDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 2026:
By popular demand we are arranging our annual visit to the York Christmas Market with a slightly longer time (as requested) at the McArthur Glen Outlet beforehand….and of course, our coach raffle. (contributions welcome!). The coach will leave St Clare's, Brookfield Middlesbrough at 8.30am on Thursday 26th November. The cost will be £22.00. Friends and parishioners from other churches are welcome. Any queries or bookings please contact/text Jackie on 07970 520960 or Marie (07914 304703).

CAFOD WORLD GIFTS: LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOUR THIS CHRISTMAS: Share the joy of Christmas with a CAFOD World Gift From safe water to school supplies there is a wide range of gifts to choose from. With prices ranging from as little as £4.00
POPULAR VIRTUAL GIFT EXAMPLES: Happy Queen Bee £5: Supports beekeeping initiatives. Teach Someone to Read £12: Supports literacy programmes. Chirpy Chickens £20: Helps families start small poultry businesses. Water for a Family £35: Helps provide clean water access. Healthy Mum and Baby £43: Supports maternal and infant health
ACTUAL GIFT EXAMPLES: Chocolate Coins - £3.00. Romero Cross - £7.50. Chocolate Advent Calendars - £5.50. Selection of Christmas Cards - £4.00. Cuddly Toys - £12.00 & £22.00. This is a meaningful way to bless loved ones while putting your faith into action in solidarity with families around the world.
HOW TO BUY: Collect a catalogue from church. call 0300 777 0030.
OR visit worldgifts.cafod.org.uk
Many thanks to our generous parish family for all you do to support CAFOD's work

MEĐJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE 2027: annual pilgrimage to Međjugorje will take place 8th September 2027. Please see poster on Church noticeboard for more details,
email Maryscall2027@gmail.com or telephone 07969 563412.
Should you need any support with meeting the payment deadline of 30th November, please don't hesitate to contact us.

COLLECTION

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

Amount banked this week:
Parish Account £268.00
Building Account £130.00 - Sunday Coffee.

On average, most months we receive in SO, Gift Aid, DD, donations etc. £1700
Many thanks for your generosity.

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