St Mary & St Romuald Parish Yarm

Welcome

Divine Office Week 4(A)

Thirty Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday 7th November-

Friday 13th November 2026

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:

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

MASSES RECEIVED FOR: Herman family, Mary Watkins x 2, November list Masses , John and Margaret Riordan.

READINGS AND HEADINGS:
Wisdom 6: 12 -16
Wisdom is found by those who seek her

Psalm 63
For you my soul is thirsting, O Lord, my God

1 Thessalonians 4: 13 – 18
Through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep

Matthew 25: 1 – 13
Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.

REFLECTION: *In order to be ready to greet the bridegroom we need to prepare ourselves. Seek wisdom, thirst for the Lord, come to the Sanctuary – the Mass, pray in secret. We are constantly being reminded as we approach the end of the Church's year that we will have to meet Him one day. The Thessalonians were already experiencing the death of some their brothers and sisters and were beginning to worry about their fate. St. Paul reassures and encourages them, as he reassures and encourages us today. Jesus rose to new life and so shall we.*

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: Josie Mawby
ANNIVERSARIES: Richard Robson, Mary Coffell, Peter Bonner, Barbara Ronchetti, Claire Kendall Jones, Norah Cluza, Alicia Prieto, Richard Joseph Wass, 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. 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.
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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.
8th November: C. Heayns; K. McMurray
15th November: P. McGuire; E. Sutton

'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): WEDNESDAY 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.

NOVEMBER MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS: PLEASE RETURN ASAP WITH YOUR NAMES AND DONATIONS. PLEASE ENSURE YOU MARK ENVELOPES CLEARLY YARM OR INGLEBY. I HAVE NOTICED THAT NAMES ON THE WRONG LIST CAN BE ANNOYING BUT IT IS GENERALLY NOT MY FAULT! APPARENTLY THE ENVELOPES ARE MISSING THE PHRASE AND DONATIONS…

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. Martin Russell either by mobile phone (number - 07716 175121) or e-mail (address - mb.russell@icloud.com).

CHRISTMAS DRAW : tickets on sale.

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

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

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.
visit worldgifts.cafod.org.uk
Many thanks to our generous parish family for all you do to support CAFOD's work

COLLECTION

Diocese of Middlesbrough, Parish of S. S. Mary & Romuald, Yarm
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Amount banked this week: £298.00

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.