

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Please keep the sick and housebound in your prayers – simply with a general intention for them (this is because the requirements of Data Protection Regulations).

ANNIVERSARIES: John Shannon (1971), Jan Grant (1992), Teresa Kennedy (2001), Mariana Mitchell (2011), John Shanahan (1944), David Skelton (1983), Fr Peter Cansdale (2003), Annie Hambling (1998), Francis Jarvis (1977), Charles Cullen (2014), Mary Garrard (1969), R.I.P. **Please also remember:** Dennis Wise, who died on 6th January, and Fred Fisher, who died on 18th January. May they rest in peace.

DIOCESAN AND PARISH INFORMATION

The Bishop: The Right Revd. Alan S. Hopes (1991),

The Parish Priest: The Revd. Denys Lloyd: 58 Cromer Road, Sheringham NR26 8RT Tel: 01263-822036

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Masses this weekend:

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year 'C')

Saturday 6pm (Cromer) R.I.P. Mary Marfleet

Sunday: 9am (Cromer) R.I.P. Dennis Wise (Grant)

11am (Sheringham) People of the Parish

Monday: Our Lady of Lourdes 12.30pm Funeral Mass for Fred Fisher (Sheringham)

Tuesday: Feria 7pm (Sheringham) R.I.P. Kevin Hand

Wednesday: Feria 9am (Cromer) R.I.P. Fr Peter Cansdale (Foundation Mass)

Thursday: SS CYRIL & METHODIUS (Co-Patrons of Europe) (FEAST)

9.30am (Holt) R.I.P. Leo William Currie (Foundation Mass)

Friday: Feria 9am (Cromer) Private Intention

Saturday: Of Our Lady 9am (Sheringham) Holy Souls

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Saturday 6pm (Cromer) People of the Parish

Sunday 9am (Cromer) R.I.P. Dennis Wise (Littlechild)

11am (Sheringham) R.I.P. Fred Fisher (Oakins)

Confessions: Saturday 9.30am at Sheringham; Saturday 5pm at Cromer

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: No Exposition on Monday; Wednesday at Our Lady of Refuge 9.30am – 10am

Rosary: Monday at 7pm and Thursday at 7pm at Our Lady of Refuge

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST JOSEPH SHERINGHAM AND CROMER

A Registered Charity (Charity Commission No. 278742)

News-sheet for the week beginning

Sunday, 10th February, 2019

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year 'C')

Weekday Readings: Week 5 (Cycle 1)

Psalms for Week 1

Eucharistic Prayer 3 at all Masses

Eucharistic Acclamation 1 at all weekend Masses

THE MIRACULOUS CATCH OF FISH

(St Luke, Chapter 5: today's Gospel)

Dear Parishioners,

In today's Gospel, Jesus amazes Simon, James and John with a miraculous catch of fish. Seeing this, 'they left everything and followed him'. So too today, Jesus calls us to trust him and commit ourselves to making known to others his infinite love.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday:

12.30pm: Funeral Mass for Fred Fisher at St Joseph's, followed by Committal at Cromer Crematorium.

NB no 9am Mass and no Exposition today at St Joseph's

Tuesday:

7.30pm: Choir Practice at Cromer

Wednesday:

5pm: First Holy Communion Programme at St Joseph's Presbytery

5.30pm: Choir Practice at Sheringham

Thursday:

11am: North Norfolk S.V.P. Conference at Our Lady of Refuge, Cromer.

7.30pm: Parish Finance Committee meets at St Joseph's Presbytery.

Saturday:

7.15pm: Concert by the Huddersfield Boys Choir at Our Lady of Refuge. Retiring Collection for the S.V.P. (House for the temporarily homeless in Sheringham project)

'WELCOME PACKS': at long last these are now ready – there are copies (A4 white folder) in both churches. Would those of you who have arrived in the Parish in the past year or so please take one - and return to me the 'Information Form' duly completed with your details and also, if you have not already done so, the GDPR (GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATIONS) Form, duly completed and signed. I hope the various items of information on the sheets in the Pack will prove useful.

ADVANCE NOTICES

DOWRY TOUR at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist, Norwich: 28th February – 2nd March

Month by month, the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham – which normally stands in the Slipper Chapel in Walsingham - is being brought to every Cathedral in England, in preparation for the re-dedication of England as the Dowry of Mary in March 2020. The 'Dowry Tour' is due to visit St John's Cathedral, Norwich, from February 28th until March 1st.

During these three days of prayer, there will be talks on England as the 'Dowry of Mary', an evening of Adoration and a day set aside for visits from our primary and secondary schools.

The full schedule can be viewed on: www.dowrytour.org.uk

The tour is being organised by the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham and the Guild of Our Lady of Ransom, a group founded in 1887, that seeks 'the conversion of England and Wales, the restoration of the lapsed, and prayer for the forgotten dead'.

The tour is part of the spiritual preparation for England's re-dedication as the Dowry of Mary around the Solemnity of the Annunciation in 2020. Both the tour and the re-dedication have the support of the English Bishops. It is a call to a spiritual renewal to support the New Evangelisation in England.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols has called the re-dedication a 'moment of great promise...for the Church in this country and for our mission'.

Monday, 4th March: Parish Social Committee meets at St Joseph's Presbytery at 2pm.

Wednesday, 6th March: ASH WEDNESDAY

Mass, with Imposition of Ashes:

9am at Our Lady of Refuge

10.30am and 7pm at St Joseph's

FOOD BANK: Once again the usual items will be gratefully received, *as well a financial donations*. Particular needs: long-life milk, semi-skimmed or full fat; fruit juice, Cuppa Soups, washing powder/liquid.

‘CATHOLIC SINGLES’: I have been asked to include in the News-sheet a note about this organisation. Its aim is to help single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) to meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information visit: www.catholicsingles.org.uk or e-mail: info@catholicsingles.org.uk or phone: 0161-941-3498.

ROSARY AT OUR LADY OF REFUGE: The Cassidy family would be delighted if members of the Parish could join them for Rosary at 7pm on Mondays and Thursdays.

VISITORS TO OUR PARISH: You are most welcome and we hope you enjoy your stay with us. We provide Gift Aid envelopes for those who normally use this method for their Church giving. Envelopes are to be found in the pews (or on the window sills at Cromer). Would you please complete in ink or biro with your full name, **HOME ADDRESS AND POST CODE (not your holiday address)**. Visitors are most welcome to join members of the Parish for Refreshments after both Sunday Masses.

Cleaning Rota at Cromer: C. O’Grady & M. Dalton

Church Cleaning Rota at Sheringham: C. O’Grady

Counters:

SHERINGHAM This week: K. Jones

Next week: P. Bowie & G. Brooks

CROMER This week: P. & B. Godfrey

Next week: R. & L. McNulty

Collections last weekend: £1,033.56.