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

25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
22ND SEPTEMBER 2024

*Readings: B (II)**25th Week of the Year***
Psalter: Week 1.



"Anyone who wants to be first must be the last, and the servant of all." (Mark 9:35)

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ADORATION & BENEDICTION
SJ: **Tues 6-7pm**

OLR: **Wed & Fri after Mass till 10am**
CONFESSIONS
SJ: **Tues 6:30-7pm & by appointment**
ROSARY
SJ: **Sat 10am**

If you would like anything included in the parish newsletter, please send Fr. Trindade an email latest by Wednesday evening.

MASS TIMES
25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat 21st Sept 6**pm** OLR Vigil Mass
Mrs. Annakutty Mathew (RIP)

Sun 22nd Sept **9am** OLR
Joe Considine of Tylard, Ireland (RIP)
11 am SJ
People of the Parish

Tue 24th Sept **6:30pm OLR**
Our lady of Walsingham. Solemnity
Solemn Feast Mass at OLR, Cromer

Wed 25th Sept **9am** OLR
Paul Whelan (RIP)

Thurs 26th Sept **9:30am St. Andrew's, Holt**
Nicky Golding

Fri 27th Sept 9**am** OLR
Francis William Leo Currie

Sat 28st Sept **9:30am** SJ
Anthony Randall (RIP)

6pm OLR Vigil Mass
Lucja Szokalska (3rd Death Anniversary)

26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sun 29th Sept **9am** OLR
Mr. Ulahannan Mathai (RIP)
11 am SJ
People of the Parish
3pm SJ
Latin Mass

See parish website for directions to live streaming of Sunday Masses

**OLR: Our Lady of Refuge, Cromer*
***SJ: Saint Joseph's, Sheringham*

Mass is additionally celebrated according to the '62 Roman Missal at 3pm at St Joseph's On the last Sunday of the month.

Reflection:

The readings of this Sunday present a very grim and violent picture of what a good man will have to undergo. The first reading narrates the plot of those who oppose a good and righteous person. This description is perfectly applicable to Jesus, the righteous person, who was unjustly condemned. But the death of Jesus was not merely the result of a plot by evil people, rather, it was a divine plan. Jesus was intent on fulfilling the plan of God and he was more than willing to embrace the cross. However, in the Gospel we do see the contrasting characters: while Jesus is talking about his impending death, the disciples are discussing about who is the greatest! How often we get embroiled in our own ego and status, ignoring the will of God for us?

Fr Trindade

ANNIVERSARIES

Margaret Neate 2018, John Emery 1981, Bernard Perry 1983, Sr Winefride O'Neill 1974, Laurence Travers1984, Winifred Drury 1986, Bernard Mann 2003, Betty Mangan 2020, Yvonne Worthington 2021, Eileen Roach 1997, Lawrence Clocherty 2006, Anne Perry 1990, Matthew Kavenagh 1997, Christine Lagan 2015

Solemn Feast of Our Lady of Refuge

We will be celebrating the Solemn Feast of Our Lady of Refuge at OLR, Cromer on Tuesday 24th Sept 2024. The Solemn feast mass will take place at 6:30 pm followed by a procession and a light supper in the hall. All are welcome.

Parish Appointments

At the last meeting of the Finance Committee on 13 September we were pleased to welcome Annette Shaw as our new Secretary.

A few weeks earlier Peter Godfrey stepped down as Parish Treasurer, and Caroline O'Grady was appointed in his place. We are very grateful to Peter for giving us over two years of dedicated service and to Caroline for agreeing to take on this important office.

Earlier this year the Committee also said farewell to Colin Fisher after many years as a loyal member. For him and for all who bring their experience and expertise to the service of the parish in this way we are truly thankful. Please have them in your prayers.

Invitation

Today St. Andrews Methodist Church has invited our parishioners for refreshments at 12:00 noon.

Gift Aid and Donations to the Parish

If you wish to set up a Standing Order or Direct Payment to the Parish our bank details are:

Name: Our Lady and St. Joseph Parish.
Barclays Bank Sheringham
Sort Code 20-03-26
Bank account number: 30783412

Envelopes are available at church for **Visitors** who are tax payers**.**

Please complete in black INK and put in normal collection box.

Thanks for supporting our parish.

Mass Count

Mass Count will be taken from today and for the next three weekends. Don't be surprised if you are counted.

Pilgrimage to Rome to celebrate the Jubilee of Youth

As part of the Jubilee 2025, the Diocese will be leading a pilgrimage to Rome, joining with thousands of young people from all over the world. If you will be age 16 – 30 next summer 2025, come and join us! **Find out more at our Launch Meeting on** October 20th at Newmarket Parish Centre, 14 Exeter Road, CB8 8LT, starting at 12:30pm (please bring a packed lunch) and will end by 3pm. See www.rcdea.org.uk/youth for more details.

ONLINE FIRE SAFETY COURSE

An online fire safety course has been arranged for welcomers and anyone else who is interested.

It will be held on 21st October, Monday from 1:00 p.m. and if you wish to attend, please notify Fr Trindade (Trindade.Monteiro@rcdea.org.uk) or Peter Godfrey (pagorama@gmail.com) and provide your e-mail address.

First Holy Communion programme 2024- 2025

Parents wishing to register their children for the First Holy Communion programme (children in Year 3 and above), should contact Father Trindade by email as soon as possible. Sessions for children begin in early November in preparation for their First Holy Communion celebration in June 2025.

The Strand Club thank parishioners who supported their recent charity coffee morning. Helping to raise £611 for the Society of St. Vincent De Paul.

Last week's Offertory Collection: £456.67
2nd Collection (Catholic Education): £181.92
Thank You! God Bless!