

**PARISH OF THE SACRED HEART
AND ST.MARGARET MARY, EAST DEREHAM, NORFOLK**

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MAY 11th 2014 : FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday Masses

Saturday 6.0pm Int. For the People
Sunday 9.0am Int. + John Corcoran
11.0am Int. +Michael Walpole

Weekday Masses

Monday EASTER FERIA
11.0am Int.
Tuesday EASTER FERIA
7.0pm Int. Deacon Martin & Terri – Ruby
Wedding (AN)
Wednesday FEAST OF ST.MATTHIAS
10.0am Int. Vocations to Priesthood
Thursday EASTER FERIA
No services today
Friday EASTER FERIA
10.0am Int. +Bridget & William Murphy
Saturday EASTER FERIA
10.30am Int.
6.0pm Int. For the People

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Noon and 5.30pm, or by appointment.

The Rosary Friday 10.30am

The Divine Office

The Office is said a quarter of an hour before the Mass on Weekdays. This week we use Psalter Week 4

The Mass today

The readings can be found on p.262 of the Parish Mass Book, and on p.377 of The Sunday Missal.

At the 6.0pm Mass **Eucharistic Prayer 3**
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.25
Hymns *(Regina Coeli)* 644, 366

At the 9.0am Mass **Eucharistic Prayer 1**
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.25
Hymns 275, 271, 350
At the 11.0am Mass **Eucharistic Prayer 2**
Gloria Lourdes
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.25
Hymns 270, 279, 643, *(Regina Coeli)* 360
The Psalm Response for all of the Masses is printed at the bottom of the page.

This Sunday the quarter-hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before Mass will precede the 11.0 Mass. Next Sunday, it will take place before the 6.0pm Mass.

In Eastertide, we sing *REGINA COELI* in place of *ANGELUS* :

*Joy to thee, O Queen of Heaven, Alleluia!
He whom thou wast meet to bear, Alleluia!
As he promised, hath arisen, Alleluia!
Pour for us to Him thy prayer, Alleluia!
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia
R. For the Lord is risen indeed, Alleluia!
Let us pray.*

O God, who by the Resurrection of thy Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, hast vouchsafed to bring joy to the whole world, grant, we beseech thee, that aided by the prayers of his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we too may come to the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

THIS WEEK

Today At the 11.0am Mass Baptism of Eleana and Kayla Orifo-Doe.
12.30pm Baptism of James and Meehan.
Monday 10.0am Fr.John speaks at Assembly at the Toftwood Infants School ; so Mass today will be at 11.0am, not at the usual 10.0am.

7.0pm Queen of Peace Prayer Group, at the Presbytery. To be followed by a special meal to mark the fifth anniversary of the beginning of the Group, which falls later this week. Please be sure to tell Fr.John this weekend if you intend to be present at the meal.

Let the Children Live! I think that there must be more LTCL Lent Boxes to come in ; only two have been handed in so far. Please return them as soon as possible, so that the money can be sent off.

130 Club – April Draw

Qtly. Prize	£25	Ian Campbell
1st Prize	£20	Francis Crawley
2nd Prize	£15	Elaine Wilkes
3rd Prize	£10	Christopher Sayer
4th Prize	£10	Margaret Leggatt
5th Prize	£10	Karen Luke

TUESDAY
the 2014 parish agm
7.30pm, following a Mass at 7.0pm

The usual Annual Reports will be given; please will the leaders of the Parish Groups hand a copy of their report to Elaine Wilkes, and be ready to deliver their report to the Meeting.
(No elections to the PPC this year)

After Coffee, Mr.John Graver, Co-ordinator of the newly established Mid-Norfolk branch of Christians Against Poverty (CAP), will tell us about it's work.

Union of Catholic Mothers Brenda May writes 'UCM and Guests are planning to visit St.John's Cathedral on Wednesday for the Secret Places tour. We suggest the No.4 bus, leaving Dereham at 11.0am. Lunch will be at 12.15pm, and the Tour at 1.0pm. (This replaces our usual Meeting).

Quarterly Mass for the Sick Elaine Wilkes writes 'The SVP and UCM invite all parishioners to the next Mass (with anointing) for the sick and housebound on Wednesday May 25th, at 2.30pm , and afterwards to tea and chat in the Narthex. This is always a special and happy event, and we hope that many of you will be able to come. Anyone needing a lift, please 'phone Elaine on 01362 851159.'

Saturday 10.30am-11.30am Saturday Club, for children aged five to twelve ; after the Mass, the Parents of First Holy Communion Children meet at the Presbytery.

NEXT SUNDAY, May 18th
THE MAY DEVOTION
will take place at the end of the 11.0am Mass

The Statue of Our Lady will be crowned,
and taken in Procession.

Can you help? Each Monday, Joy Bussey and Catherine Perkins, alternately, do some cleaning in church – hovering, etc. For personal reasons, Catherine is not able to continue : I wonder whether there is anyone who would be able to take her place, and alternate with Joy? If you can help, please have a word with Fr.John. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

PARISH NOTICEBOARD

Anniversary Paul Theocleous (2013). R.I.P.

Money Matters Last Sunday £455.20 was given at the Offertory. Today there will be a retiring collection for the Diocesan Priests' Training Fund. Envelopes are available to enable Gift Aid to be claimed.

OUR CHRISTIAN CULTURE

You've probably heard or read something of the recent debate as to whether or not England remains a Christian country. Some participants have pointed out that our culture has Christian foundations, which are not easily destroyed. It struck me that a good example of this is our dating - BC means 'Before Christ', and AD 'in the Year of the Lord'.