

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

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AUGUST 18th 2013 : TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday Masses

Saturday 6.0pm Int. + Fred Faulkner & Family
Sunday 9.0am Int. For the People
11.0am Int.

Weekday Masses

Monday FERIA
10.0am Int. +George Parkin
Tuesday ST. BERNARD
10.0am Int. +Arthur Boyce
Wednesday ST. PUIS X
No services today
Thursday THE QUEENSHIP OF MARY
No services today
Friday ST. ROSE OF LIMA
10.0am Int. +Muriel Drury
Saturday FEAST OF ST. BARTHOLMEW
10.30am Int.
6.0pm Int. +Kathleen & Michael Carroll

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Noon and 5.30pm, or by appointment.

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 10.30am; Benediction at 11.0am.

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.125 of the Parish

Mass Book, and on p.1042 of The Sunday Missal.

At the 6.0pm Mass Eucharistic Prayer 3
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.24
Hymns (*Angelus*) 353, 366

At the 9.0am Mass Eucharistic Prayer 2
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.24
Hymns 350, 341, 360

At the 11.0am Mass Eucharistic Prayer 3
Gloria Lourdes
Sanctus & Benedictus Parish Mass Book p.24

Hymns 355, 347, 627, (*Angelus*) 350
The Psalm Response for all of the Masses is printed at the bottom of the page. The Preface for the Eucharistic Prayer is Preface II, p.66

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

THIS WEEK 

Today In the King's Lynn Parish, the annual Procession to the Red Mount Chapel (an ancient and extraordinary pilgrimage chapel on the way to Walsingham) takes place today. The Procession leaves the Church of the Annunciation at 3.0pm, and Fr. Peter has sent an invitation asking any of us who would like to, to join in.

Monday 7.30pm Queen of Peace Prayer Group at the Presbytery. All welcome.

Wednesday 7.30pm SVP meets at the Presbytery.

Friday 7.30pm Meeting of the Catechists at the Presbytery.

Saturday Saturday Club remains on holiday until the schools resume.



PARISH NOTICEBOARD

Anniversaries Richard Burrows (2001) and Adrian Sheath (2006). May they Rest in Peace.

Money Matters Last Sunday £490.07 was given at the Offertory.

130 Club – July Draw

1st Prize	£20	Eileen Brocklesby
2nd Prize	£15	Jadwiga Bingham
3rd Prize	£10	Frances Verne
4th Prize	£10	Peter Knight
5th Prize	£10	Theresa Pitcher

The Sponsored Cycle Ride

I've already mentioned the date for this year's Sponsored Cycle Ride, organised by the Norfolk Churches Trust, which is to take place on Saturday September 14th. I mentioned that those who 'man' the churches to sign people in can be sponsored, as well as those who ride, but I failed to mention that people can also be sponsored for walking to as many churches as they can. Now in Dereham we are in a very good position to do this, as anyone in moderate health would be able to walk to Our own church, the St.Nicholas Anglican church, the Baptist church, the Cowper church, and the Methodist church – a total of five churches in the town which are taking part in the Ride, and will be manned. So why not have a shot at this? You could ask your friends to sponsor you for a pound or fifty pence to each church you walk to, and if you worked hard at it and collected a good few sponsors, you would be able to raise a worthwhile sum, half of which would come to our own church, and half to the work of the Trust throughout the County.

Why not 'give it a go'? Just collect a sponsor sheet from the Sacristy, and then knobble your friends! But I do hope that others are going to ride, too. My own bike has been put in order, and I'm about to begin training!

The Parish Walking Group Brian Moran writes 'A Parish walk has been organised for Saturday afternoon August 31st. We will be leaving the church car park at 1.30pm. It is intended to walk a gentle 2.5 mile route in the pretty countryside

around the village of East Lexham (10 miles from Dereham.) This distance will be easily managed in about one hour. We will also take in the ancient 10th-century village church with its round tower (the oldest, apparently, in East Anglia) and see the lovely Elizabethan farm house alongside. We should be back in Dereham between 3.30pm and 4.0pm. Do come along and enjoy some fresh air in good company. Lifts will be available.'

THE YEAR OF FAITH

Last Sunday, we reached the half-way point in the Course of Homilies on the Nicene Creed – six down, six to go. We thought about the Resurrection of the Lord, remembering that this great action on the part of God was central to the preaching of the Apostolic church, and remains central to the calendar, teaching, and worship of the Church today. 'If Christ had not risen from the dead', wrote St.Paul, 'then of all men we would be the most miserable'. But, as Paul continues, 'Christ has in fact risen from the dead...' Last Sunday, we asked why the Resurrection matters so much, and on what grounds do we accept it as true.

And now this week we go on to the final part of what the Creed says about Our Lord Jesus Christ :

*HE ASCENDED INTO HEAVEN AND IS SEATED
AT THE RIGHT HAND OF THE FATHER.
HE WILL COME AGAIN IN GLORY TO JUDGE
THE LIVING AND THE DEAD
AND HIS KINGDOM WILL HAVE NO END.*

Next weekend, we will continue with

*I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT,
THE LORD, THE GIVER OF LIFE,
WHO PROCEEDS WITH THE FATHER AND
THE SON, WHO WITH THE FATHER AND THE
SON IS ADORED AND GLORIFIED,
WHO HAS SPOKEN THROUGH THE
PROPHETS*

and if you would like to do some preparatory reading, you might like to look at the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, paragraphs 687-741.

The summaries of the Homilies, which are prepared and made available each week, will be found at the back of the church. The stocks of some of these summaries are now exhausted, but if there is a particular one which you wish to have, and which is no longer there, then I can easily print one off for you.