

**PARISH OF  
OUR LADY OF THE ANNUNCIATION  
KING'S LYNN**

**Newsletter for Week Commencing  
Sunday, 06 April 2025  
5th Week of Lent  
Psalter Week 1**

Lectionary: Sundays = Year C; Weekdays = Year I

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**CONFESSIONS**

**Saturdays**

**10.30am**

**at Holy Family Church  
and**

**5.00pm**

**at Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**NEWSLETTER**

Email : [ronaldglazebrook@btinternet.com](mailto:ronaldglazebrook@btinternet.com)

**By Wednesday 11.00am please  
In plain "Word" format only**

**W/c Sunday 6th April**

**5th Week of Lent**

**Psalter Week 1**

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

**Church of the Annunciation**

**Walsingham**

**&**

**St Jude the Apostle, Whittlesey**

**Saturday 5th April**

**Vigil Mass at 6.00pm**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Intentions : People of the Parish**

**Sunday 6th April**

**Mass at 9.30am**

**Holy Family Church**

**Intentions : For a successful marriage**

**Lithuanian Mass at 9.30am**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Mass at 11.30am**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Intentions : People of the Parish**

**Holy Qurbana at 11.30am**

**Holy Family Church**

**Vespers and Benediction at 4.00pm**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Monday 7th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Mass at 12.00 noon**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Intentions : Richard Skinner RIP**

**Tuesday 8th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Mass at 4.00pm**

**Queen Elizabeth II Hospital**

**Intentions : Michael Brooks RIP**

**Wednesday 9th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Requiem Mass for Richard Skinner at 12.00 noon**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Thursday 10th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Mass at 9.30am**

**Hily Family Church**

**Intentions : Carolyn Donaldson's Intentions**

**Friday 11th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Mass at 12.00 noon**

**Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation**

**Stations of the Cross at All Saints at 5.30pm**

**Saturday 12th April - Feria in Passiontide**

**Mass at 10.00am**

**Holy Family Church**

**Intentions : Brigid McGovern RIP**

## W/c Sunday 13th April

HOLY WEEK  
Psalter Week 2

### Saturday 12th April

Vigil Mass at 6.00pm

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

### Sunday 13th April

Palm Sunday

Mass at 9.30am

Holy Family Church

Intentions : Mark Fincham RIP

Mass at 11.30am

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

Intentions : People of the Parish

Holy Qurbana at 11.30am

Holy Family Church

Vespers and Benediction at 4.00pm

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

## ECUMENICAL STATIONS OF THE CROSS

We will join the congregation at All Saints Church, Hillingdon Square, for Stations of the Cross on Friday this week at 5.30pm.

### SECOND COLLECTION

for the support of the Church in the Holy Land will be taken next weekend.

### CHRISM MASS

The Chrism Mass when the Bishop blesses the Holy Oils for use in the sacraments throughout the diocese will be on Tuesday 15th April at 11.30am in the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Norwich. Everyone is welcome.

## THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Maundy Thursday at 8.00pm

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

Good Friday at 3.00pm

Holy Family Church

The Easter Vigil at 8.30pm

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation

### CONFESSIONS FOR EASTER

There will be extra times for Confessions on the Monday, Wednesday and Thursday of Holy Week.

## CHURCH CLEANING AT OUR LADY'S

There will be a Spring cleaning session to get Our Lady's Church ready for Easter on Saturday this week from 10am. Many hands make light work!

## PARISH SICK LIST

Antonias	Pat Athey,
Tony Burton	Betty Dockney,
James Donaldson	Caroline Glazebrook
Mark Griffiths	Mike Griffiths
Beryl Green	Sadie Harris
Ann Lindley	Owen McDonagh
Cathy McNeil	Thomas Noone
Maria De Rosa	Debbie Roper
Renee Thomas	Sylvia Waddilove
Susan Young	

## ANNIVERSARIES

John Cooper.	Moya Cosgrove
Margaret Jones	Joseph O'Dwyer
Patricia Young	Morgan Ambrose
Betty Sheehy	Helene Neehan
Gracielle De Wood	Arthur Kennedy
Joanna Pratley	Baby Temperance Bush
Josy Thomas	Kathleen Perry,
Kevin Larkin	Brigid McGovern

## HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

### Pilgrim Walkers on Wednesday, April 6th

As with many previous years, we are hosting groups of pilgrims walking from the North and Midlands to Walsingham for Easter Sunday. On the Wednesday of Holy Week, they will stop over at Holy family Church (and also at Our Lady's) for a shower, an evening meal, a sleep and for breakfast on the Thursday. Jane and I have offered to coordinate the event at the Holy Family Church. We need folk to assist in setting up, preparing the evening meal, serving the food and clearing up after a simple breakfast on the Thursday. You can choose which you can help with. Also, we would welcome donations of cakes, packets of biscuits, crisps etc If you feel you could help in any way, please contact me on:

07739 46 52 96 or 01553 77 43 03

or Email : [johnaebelfield@gmail.com](mailto:johnaebelfield@gmail.com)

Thank you, Deacon John

## MARRIAGE CELEBRATION

Bishop Peter invites all married couples in the Diocese to attend the annual Marriage Celebration Mass on Saturday 14th June at 11.30am at the Cathedral of St John the Baptist in Norwich. All are welcome! Those who are celebrating significant anniversaries (one year, five years and every multiple of five years thereafter, until 60 years where we celebrate each year thereafter) will receive a certificate from the Bishop. Refreshments will follow the Mass. For more details and if you would like to register please go to:

<https://www.rcdea.org.uk/marriage-mass-registration/>

## GIFT AID DONATIONS

Donating by gift aid allows the parish to claim a rebate on the tax you have paid on your donation, effectively increasing your donation by 25%. In order to do this though the tax man requires us to verify each year that you are still paying income tax to cover the claim. Unless we are informed to the contrary, we assume you are still paying tax and will claim the rebate. We are also obliged to inform HMRC if you change your name, address or postcode, though in these circumstances there is no need to complete a new Gift Aid Declaration. Please note that these two stipulations are required whether you make your offering by envelope or standing order. Thank you to everybody who donates through Gift Aid. This very simple system makes a significant contribution to our parish finances. Last year we received a rebate of £10678

## FOUNDATION GOVERNOR

Foundation Governors have the task of preserving and developing the Catholic ethos of our schools and their partnership with the wider community. It is an excellent example of that vision of collaborative ministry given us in the teachings of the church. If this sounds like something you would be interested in doing, St Martha's are looking to recruit Foundation Governors to their Governing Body. If you would like more information or would like an application form please either contact the Headteacher, Rachel Edwards

([head@st-marthas.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:head@st-marthas.norfolk.sch.uk)) or Andy Stone, the Diocesan Director of School's Services

([andy.stone@rcdea.org.uk](mailto:andy.stone@rcdea.org.uk))

## VACANCY

Are you passionate about providing spiritual guidance and pastoral care?

We are looking for a dedicated individual to join our team at HMP Whitemoor. Position: RC Priest, Deacon, or Qualified Layperson in the Catholic Faith.

Location: HMP Whitemoor,

Salary: £30,001 - £40,000 per annum

Working Pattern: Full Time

Closing Date: 10-Apr-2025.

Interested?

For more information, please contact

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<https://jobs.justice.gov.uk/careers/>

[JobDetail/3589](https://jobs.justice.gov.uk/careers/JobDetail/3589)