

NEWS AND EVENTS

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR...

Neville Barnett, Louise Croce, Anthony Healey, Maureen Wright, Rosalie Aquino, Jack Watt, Christopher Brown, Isabel Morris, Pamela Farr, Indira Das, Andrew McHale, Dawn Watts, Betty Keech, Anne Atkins, Rosanna Connolly, Valerie Cleary, Christopher McQuade, Chris Smith, Frances Cole, Moira Wileman, Diane Lyons, Joe Hudson, Wendy Binns, Sharon Gray, Rachel McHale, Ann Bamford, Ken Whitehead, Elaine Brighton, Imelda Dunne, Gerry Hurst, Maureen Pearson, Marilyn Johnson, Connie van Donck, Bridget & Noel Crompton, and Veronica Chadwick who are sick, those who died recently and all with anniversaries this week.

ROSARY ON THE COAST

Rosary on the Coast for Faith, Life and Peace takes place at 3pm on Sunday, 29 April. Locally this will take place in Scarborough. A coach will depart from Union Terrace coach park at 1.30pm and return at 5.30pm taking a group from York to participate in this event in Scarborough. Cost £10 per person. To book please see the volunteer taking bookings at the back of both churches after Masses this Sunday or contact Sue Whitaker suemwhitaker@icloud.com or 07973 321555. Details of the event are on the poster in the porch.

SOLEMNITY OF ST PHILIP NERI, SATURDAY, 26 MAY

The Solemnity of St Philip Neri, the founder of the Oratory, is on Saturday, 26 May. There will be Sung First Vespers at 6pm on Friday, 25 May at St Wilfrid's. On Saturday, 26 May, Rt Rev Marcus Stock, the Bishop of Leeds, will be the Celebrant and Preacher at the Sung Mass in St Wilfrid's.

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL REFRESHMENTS

Refreshments with cake after 10.30am Mass on 22 April will be served by St Wilfrid's SVP in aid of SVP Youth projects. Please join us and be generous!

SPUC COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS

York Society for the Protection of Unborn Children will host coffee and cakes after 10.30am Mass on Sunday 29 April. Please indulge and be generous. It is fifty years this week since the implementation of the Abortion Act passed the previous autumn.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION FORMS

The application forms for preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation for 2019 are available in the sacristy at St Joseph's and in the porch at St Wilfrid's. The courses will begin in the early autumn.

REGULAR MEETINGS AND GROUPS AT ST WILFRID'S

- **Evangelium/RCIA** for those interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith or becoming Catholics. Mondays at 7:30pm in the Upper Room.
- **Legion of Mary** is a worldwide group fostering spiritual formation in the spirit of Our Lady and offering practical and spiritual help to others. At the moment this group is not meeting but we hope to revive it if anyone would like to support it.
- **Life Ascending** a group for older people, meets in the Upper Room at 12.45pm the last Wednesday each month. **THIS WEEK**
- **Newman's Group (Young Adults)** (17-30) for prayer, growth in faith, and social activities. Second and fourth Tuesday each month at 7:30pm in the Upper Room.
- **Mums & Toddlers** for children under school age to allow them to get to a weekday Mass and have social and playtime after. Please contact oliviaeuesden@gmail.com for more information.
- **SVP** for helping those in our city with various difficulties especially loneliness or material deprivation. Please call 07933 599270. We are here to help.
- **St Wilfrid's Bellringers** ring for the main Sunday services and on special occasions. Practice is on Thursday evenings. Contact Jacqueline Ward.
- **Women's Oratory** for prayer, scriptural meditation & recreation in St Philip's tradition. Third Friday of the Month at 7:30pm starting in the rectory and moving to church.
- **York Aquinas Reading Group** to discover & discuss the teaching of St Thomas. Upper Room, 7:30pm, the third Friday each month.
- **Young Oratory** for young people aged 13-17, for prayer friendship and service. Meets on Wednesdays at 4pm in the Upper Room. Please see Br Adam if interested.

REGULAR MEETINGS AND GROUPS AT ST JOSEPH'S

- **Ladies' Group** please contact Hilary Topham
- **Parish Hall** please contact Fr Richard

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEK

	Plate	Gift Aid	Total	Second
St Wilfrid's	611.29	191.50	802.79	
St Joseph's	179.20	194.70	373.90	

Thank you very much for your continued generosity

SPIRITUAL THEME THIS WEEK

The Christian vocation is always a renewal of this personal friendship with Jesus Christ, which gives full meaning to our lives and makes us open to the Kingdom of God. God continues to call priests

The Church lives on this friendship, nourished by the Word and by the Sacraments, holy realities entrusted especially to the ministry of Bishops, Priests and Deacons, consecrated by the Sacrament of Orders.

For this reason - as I stressed in the same Message - the priest's mission is irreplaceable, and even if in some regions a scarcity of clergy is being recorded, we must never doubt that God continues to call boys, young men and adults to leave everything to dedicate themselves totally to preaching the Gospel and to the pastoral ministry

Another special form of the following of Christ is the vocation to the consecrated life, which is expressed in living a poor, chaste and obedient existence totally dedicated to God in contemplation and in prayer and at the service of others, especially the lowly and poor.

Moreover, let us not forget that Christian marriage is in all respects a vocation to holiness, and that the example of holy parents is the first favourable condition for the flourishing of priestly and religious vocations.

Dear brothers and sisters, let us invoke the intercession of Mary, Mother of the Church, for priests and men and women Religious; let us pray too that the seeds of a vocation that God sows in the hearts of the faithful may reach full maturity and bear fruits of holiness in the Church and in the world.

Benedict XVI, Angelus Address, Fourth Sunday of Eastertide 2009

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ST JOSEPH'S YORK ST WILFRID'S

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SUNDAY 22 APRIL 2018

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sunday Readings: Year B
Weekday Readings: Year 2
Divine Office Week 4

Monday 23 April

St George

Tuesday 24 April

Easter Feria or St Adalbert or St Fidelis

Wednesday 25 April

St Mark

Thursday 26 April

Easter Feria

Friday 27 April

Easter Feria

Saturday 28 April

Easter Feria or St Peter Chanel or

St Louis Marie

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ORATORY CLERGY

Fr Richard Duffield *Parish Priest*
Fr Nicholas Edmonds-Smith
Fr Stephen Brown
Br Adam Fairbairn
Br Henry O'Connell
Br David Chadwick

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

REGULAR MASS & SERVICE TIMES AT ST WILFRID'S

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil, 6.30pm; 8.30am, 10.30am and 12 noon (Sung Latin EF)

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday to Saturday, 12.10pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday 11:30am to 12 noon, Saturday from 10:45am - 12:00 noon

OTHER SERVICES, PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS

Vespers: Sunday at 6pm followed by Benediction at about 6:30pm
Rosary: Tuesday to Friday after the 12:10 Mass
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday - Saturday from 11:30am to 12:00 noon
Blessing with St Philip's Relic: Monday after 12.10pm Mass
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: Wednesday after the Rosary
Devotions to Our Lady of York (Our Lady of Mercy):
Saturday after 12:10pm Mass

REGULAR MASS & SERVICE TIMES AT ST JOSEPH'S

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil, 5pm; 9:30am. Confessions before Sunday Masses.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 9:15am

ST MARGARET CLITHEROW'S SHRINE, THE SHAMBLES

MASS TIME

Saturday, 10am

PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS

Rosary before Mass; Litany and Petitions to the Martyrs of York after Mass

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING SATURDAY, 21 APRIL

Day	Time	Church	Intention
Saturday	5:00pm	St Joseph's	Dave Brough RIP
	6:30pm	St Wilfrid's	Pro Populo
Sunday	8:30am	St Wilfrid's	Danny Hurst RIP
	9:30am	St Joseph's	Cameron & Brennan Families
	10:30am	St Wilfrid's	George Yeats RIP
Monday	12:00pm	St Wilfrid's	Michael & Evelyn McHugh
	9:15am	St Joseph's	Thanksgiving
Tuesday	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Tony & Mike Clayton Chance
	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Special Intention
Wednesday	9:15am	St Joseph's	Peace of Mind etc
	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Terence Kilmartin
Thursday	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Andrew Benn
	9:15am	St Joseph's	Janet Lewenes
Friday	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Nicholas Caddy
	10:00am	Shambles	For Health (MMB)
Saturday	12:10pm	St Wilfrid's	Benefactors

OTHER MASSES (HOLY DAYS, CONVENTS ETC.)

Day	Time	Church	Intention
Tuesday	24	Free	Tony Tasker RIP
Thursday	26	Free	Free
Friday	27	10.30am	PCs For Health (MMB)