



Parish of Our Lady of Walsingham

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10:15am Mass Duties.

Readers: This week: - Daniil and Mary Ann - Next Week: Sophie and Jim

Ministers: This Week: - Margaret and Pat - Next Week: Patsy and Richard

Sunday, 9nd February 2020, Fifth Sunday of Year A.

Weddings 2020. For all couples getting married this year. Do not miss the important meeting, this Tuesday, 11th February at 7:30 pm in Our Lady's Catholic Club (K.K.). This meeting is for couples getting married in our five churches and anywhere else, for example abroad who require us to do the paperwork.

Bishop-Elect David's Episcopal Ordination. Only those with tickets will be admitted, owing to high demand. Our quota of parish tickets has been allocated and those representing our four parishes have been informed. They will receive their tickets in due course. Our Fr David has been selected by Bishop-Elect David as the priest of our Diocese who is to present him to the Cardinal as part of the ceremony. Fr David feels very honoured to have been selected for this role.

NB Don't forget that the whole Ordination Mass will be live-screened via the websites of the Cathedral and Northampton Diocese (northamptondiocese.org), so everyone will be able to watch from home: March 19th, 11am.

Year of the Word: Commissioning of Readers Today: Thanks to those who attended the readers' training session last week. We emphasised the importance of the Word of God, and how we must proclaim it well. Today we will call forward all readers present at Mass; please come forward after the homily for a simple service of Commissioning. We are very grateful to all our readers who proclaim the Word of God at each and every Mass. Your ministry is much-valued and is being promoted during this Year of the Word.

Baptism. Welcome to the family of God: Noah Otoni-Smith, baptised this weekend in Raunds.

Praise and Worship. This Friday in St Thomas More Church, Marshalls Road, Raunds, 7pm.

Diocesan Directories: On sale now at £3.50. Although they arrived too late to include the news of our new Bishop, they are still full of facts and figures about our Diocese and make for interesting reading.

Youth News. Next OLY Meeting: Saturday 22nd February, 10.30am for teenagers. For Year 6 and over: Activ8: Tuesday 11th February, after school in the Parish Room.

School Mass: Please note that the Mass on Tuesday (11th February) will be in school at 9.30am (not in church). All parishioners are invited to Mass which will have the theme of Our Lady of Lourdes.

Going Deeper. We had a terrific response to Fr David and Rick's new initiative last Thursday. Everyone enjoyed the peaceful prayer-time, the friendly gathering over a cuppa and the inspiring talk. Thursday 20th February is the date set for the second gathering, at Our Lady's Church. Put it in your diary. Everyone welcome. Come and see.

Masses This Week

Saturday:	Our Lady's	5:30 – 6:10 pm	<i>Confessions</i>
	Our Lady's	6:30 pm Mass:	Catherine Gallagher A / Bridget Killeen A
Sunday	Our Lady's	10:15 am Mass:	Harry and Anne Mellon (Int) / Patrick McDaid A
Monday	Oundle	10:00 am Mass	
Tuesday	School	NB: 09:30 am in School	Mass: Frank Maguire RIP / Joan Appleby
		<i>NB No Mass in Raunds today: Fr David is with the Junior Clergy at the Bridgettine Convent. Oh to be young!</i>	
	Our Lady's	4.30pm:	Teresa Barrett into church
Wednesday	Our Lady's	NB: 8:30am Mass:	Frank Maguire RIP / Special Int
	Our Lady's	10am:	Funeral: Teresa Barrett RIP
Thursday:	Our Lady's	8am Adoration;	8.50am Benediction; 9am Rosary
9	Our Lady's	9:30 am Mass:	Tommy McManus RIP / Thomas Kennedy RIP
		<i>NB No Weekday Masses in Thrapston during February owing to redecoration of the church</i>	
Friday	St John Ogilvie's:	9.30am Mass	
Saturday	Our Lady's	5.30pm-6.10pm	<i>Confessions</i>
	Our Lady's	6:30 pm Mass:	Helen Jones RIP / Agnes Szudek RIP
Sunday	Our Lady's	10.15am Mass:	Lost friends from the Parish / Tony Mills A

May They Rest In Peace.

Teresa Barrett, aged 89, late of Argyll Street, whose funeral service is on Wednesday 12th February at 10am, coming into church at 4.30pm on Tuesday.

Emma Ennis (nee Easton), aged 40 years, late of West Glebe Road, whose funeral is at Warren Hill Crematorium, Kettering at 10am on Friday 14th February.

Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

Catechism Classes for those not at Our Lady's School. Having enrolled for Confirmation and/or having now made your First Reconciliation, your classes take a short break. They will resume on Monday nights, commencing Monday 2nd March at 6pm in church.

Baptisms. Something new. To book a baptism, please pick up the form from the priest after Mass. From now on, when booking a Baptism, we will require certificates of baptism of the parents and Godparents. Two Godparents is the norm, a Godfather and Godmother. Further names can be added as witnesses.

Farewell Mass for Bishop Peter. Saturday 22nd February at Northampton Cathedral, Barrack Road at 11am. All welcome to the Mass.

Today is a day of Special Prayer for Racial Justice. We are all members of the same race, the Human Race.

NYMO will be hosting a Youth Ministry Conference on Saturday 7th March, for all who love young people in our Church, and want to work to lead them to a closer encounter with Christ. At the RE Centre, Luton. Rick will promote it after Masses today. See nymo.org/conference or call Fiona on 01582 720627.

May God Bless us All, Canon Michael & Fr David