



Parish of Our Lady of Walsingham

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10:15am Mass Duties.

Readers: This week: - Jim and Oscar - Next Week: Jeff and Eamonn

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

Sunday, 8th March February 2020, Second Sunday of Lent

Midweek Mass Changes

Extra Mass on Tuesday at 09:30 am at St John Ogilvie, 10th March being the Feast-day of our St John Ogilvie.

No Mass on Wednesday: Fr David's day off and Fr Michael is on Diocesan duties, attending the national gathering of Doofs (Directors of Ongoing Formation).

Baptism Welcome to the Family of God: Esther Butterworth, baptised today.

Second Collection today for CAFOD –Catholic Fund for Overseas Development

Lenten Devotions Stations of the Cross on Friday at 6:00-7:00 pm at Our Lady's with Adoration and Benediction. Also, after the 09:30 am Mass at St John Ogilvie's, Friday.

Lenten Course The Bible: God speaks to His People, Monday, 9th March at 1:30 pm in St Brendan's Parish Room.

Farewell Bishop Peter On Tuesday Bishop Peter leaves us. We have been truly blessed to have had such a caring shepherd for the last 14 ¾ years. We wish Bishop Peter every blessing for his well-deserved retirement which will be spent in a vacant presbytery in Winchester. We assure him of our prayers.

Praise and Worship There will be Praise and Worship at 7:00 pm in Raunds Church, Marshall Street.

Gift Aid Would you like to Gift Aid your weekly offertory to Our Lady's? If you pay income tax on your wages/salary/pension, then the church, as a registered charity, can re-claim the tax you have paid on your donations to Our Lady's. This costs you nothing and will not affect the amount of tax you currently pay. The new numbered gift aid envelopes will be distributed soon, so now is the time to join us.

Advance Notice Divine Mercy Sunday, 19th April: Devotions from 1:30-4:00 pm. This includes Confessions, Chaplet, Holy Hour and Mass, followed by refreshments at St Patrick's Church, Gainsborough Road.

Masses This Week

Saturday:	Our Lady's	5:30 – 6:10 pm	<i>Confessions</i>
	Our Lady's	6:30 pm Mass:	Johanna Lester RIP/ Margaret Wilson RIP
Sunday	Our Lady's	10.15 am Mass:	Andrew Lupton (Int) / Kathleen Farren (1 st A) & Thomas Farren RIP
Monday	Oundle	10:00am Mass	
Tuesday	Our Lady's	09:30 am Mass:	Bishop Peter Doyle (int)
	St John Ogilvie's	09:30 am Mass:	
Thursday	Our Lady's	09:30 am Mass:	Brian Barberton (A) / Peter Dellot (A) Harper May Douglas
	Raunds	10.00am Mass:	Stations of the Cross
Friday	St John Ogilvie	09:30 am Mass:	Followed by Stations of the Cross
	Our Lady's	6:00 - 7.00 pm	Stations of the Cross and Benediction
Saturday	Our Lady's	5.30pm-6.10pm	<i>Confessions</i>
	Our Lady's	6:30 pm Mass:	Richard Langley RIP / Susan Hayes RIP
Sunday	Our Lady's	10:15am Mass:	Patrick & Eileen McKeown (A)/ Jimmy Brown (int)
	St John Ogilvie's	5:00 pm: Mass	

May She Rest In Peace.

Monica Mary Sims, late of Westfield Road, whose funeral is at Kettering Crematorium on Tuesday, 31st March at 11:00 am. Please remember her family in your prayers.

Coronavirus (Corvid-19)

As we go to press the "Catholic Bishops of England and Wales Guidelines for Catholic Parishes" is available at [www.cbcew.org.uk/guidance-to-catholics-on](http://www.cbcew.org.uk/guidance-to-catholics-on-coronavirus) coronavirus. Everyone is invited to practise universal good hygiene at Mass.

- * All Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are asked to use hand sanitising gel.
- * Those with cold-like symptoms are asked to refrain from receiving the Precious Blood and to refrain from receiving the Sacred Host directly on the tongue.
- * Whilst it is always optional at Mass, the Sign of Peace has not at this time been suspended but those with cold or flu-like symptoms should refrain from sharing the peace by shaking hands. In such cases a bow of the head is advisable.

If anyone suspects they may have the virus they should self-isolate and call the NHS on 111 for advice. Anyone who is ill is automatically dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday and Holyday Masses.

Presbytery to Let. St John Ogilvie's Presbytery, the house built for Fr James McDermott when the parish in Danesholme was founded, is to become vacant in mid-March. We thank Laura and Harry for being such good tenants. We are looking for new tenants and want to give our congregation advance notice before we advertise more widely. All enquiries to our Parish Office" ourlady.corby@yahoo.co.uk or 203121

Rosary in Lent Fr David would like to encourage as many parishioners as possible to make a daily rosary during Lent. This truly life changing prayer is a great way to prepare for Easter, and for the Rededication of England as the Dowry of Mary, happening on 29th March at the Cathedral in Northampton.

Our Gospel Acclamation During Lent:

**"Glory and praise to our God
Who alone gives light to our days.
Many are the blessings he bears.
To those who trust in his ways."**

May God Bless us All this Lent, Canon Michael & Fr David