

MARCH / APRIL 2018

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

READERS

March 11

10.30 C Polack G Barker

6.30 G Conroy

G Haddock B Lingwood

H Mozley C Nichols

March 18

10.30 I Gracias E Hardcastle G Barker

6.30 G Conroy

P Cox, J Stones

March 25

10.30 G Barker

6.30 .

P Brisbane B Lingwood.

H Mozley

April 1

10.30

No evening Mass

April 8

10.30

6.30 Gill Conroy

April 15

10.30

6.30

April 22

10.30

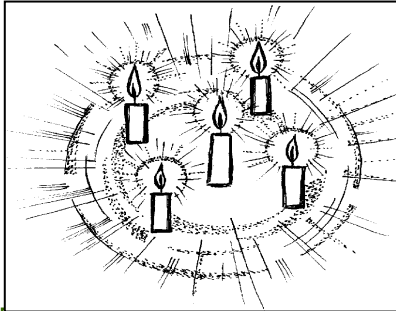
6.30

*So far today, I've done alright.
I haven't gossiped, lost my temper, been greedy or grumpy, been nasty, selfish or over indulgent. I'm very thankful for that
But in a few minutes, God, I'm going to get out of bed and from then on, I'm probably going to need a lot more help.*

Anon.

VISITORS TO ST GEORGE'S CHURCH

Welcome to you all and thank you for joining us for Mass. We hope you enjoy your stay in York and your visit to our parish! Please join us for coffee in the Sacristy after 10.30 Mass on Sunday. We'd love to see you! Also, if you are making a donation, we'd be really grateful if you would use a Gift Aid envelope from the table at the back of the church. For every £1 you donate we can then claim back 25p from the Inland Revenue. *Many thanks for your support.*



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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

11 March 2018 (Year B Week 4)

(Mothering Sunday)

Sunday Mass 10.30am: Susan Mulvaney

6.30pm: People of the Parish

10.30am: Children's Liturgy of the Word

Next Sunday's Readings: Jeremiah 31: 31-34; Hebrews 5: 7-9;

John 12: 20-30

Unless announced otherwise, service times are:

Tuesday-Saturday: Morning Prayer 9.15 am, Mass 9.30am

Exposition & Confessions: Saturday mornings after Mass until 11.00am

FEAST

INTENTIONS

Monday

No Mass

November List

Tuesday

Liza O'Rourke

Wednesday

7.30am

Kathleen Burns

Thursday 9.30am Carol Browne;

At 5pm an American group will be using the church for Mass

Friday

Ian Walker

Saturday 9.30am St Patrick Patron of Ireland

Marika & Family

12 noon, Irish celebration of St Patrick's Day Mass . All Welcome

During Lent, confessions will be available before Sunday Masses:

10-10.25 and 6-6.25. **Advance Notice:** the Lenten Reconciliation

Morning at St. Wilfrid's will take place 24th March . I'll be on at Noon.

Next week there is an appeal by Rita Miller (a parishioner) who does
Volunteer work in a hospital in Uganda

Lately dead: Jacqueline Mary Smith

Anniversaries:

Masses received for: . Brian Pearce, Susan Mulvaney

PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

Journey in Faith: Tuesday 6.30 in the Rectory. Open to all: non-Catholics, new Catholics, established Catholics - anyone interested in exploring the Faith, and learning more about it. At the moment, we are looking at the Mass. All very welcome.

The Young Adults group will meet Saturday 10th March at 6pm in the church

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Fridays 10.15am-6.00pm in the Corpus Christi Carmelites' chapel for peace and reconciliation.

Involvement in the parish: Anyone who wishes to be more involved in the parish in any way, from opening up to Eucharistic Ministry and anything in between, please see Canon Alan

Fair Trade

Please support the stall's supplier **Fairer World** in Gillygate. Fair Trade enables producers in developing countries to improve their communities, increase health care and education and give them more control over their own lives.

Confirmations: Meeting this Thursday 6.30pm in the Sacristy

FORMATION AND COMMISSIONING OF LAY MINISTERS OF THE WORD AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION - 28TH APRIL

At the Spa Hotel, Scarborough, Saturday 28 April, 9.30am - 2.45pm. Only new ministers please. Those who volunteered for two ministries last year but could only be commissioned for one are welcome to attend this year, to be commissioned in the other ministry. See me if interested.
Closing date for applications in Middlesbrough is 7th April, so before Easter to me please!

The **PARISH BARBECUE** on the late afternoon/early evening of Saturday 16 June is now confirmed. **Please pen this in your diary!**

Talk which may be of interest to you:

Hull University Wednesday 13 March at 7.30pm on the campus of the University in the Allan Lecture Theatres in the Eask Building but is open to the public. It is being given by Professor John Lennox. He is speaking on:
SCIENCE & God?

John Lennox is Professor of Mathematics (emeritus) at the University of Oxford and Fellow in Mathematics and Philosophy at Green Templeton College Oxford.

A Helping Hand The Retreat York. A community drop in service for people with symptoms of dementia, carers and those who want to further improve their knowledge. The session will take place at the Retreat cafe Heslington Road York. 15th March 11am - 14pm attendees can drop in anytime during the session.

There are posters about most of these events on the notice board at the back of church

Ecumenical Bible Group: Ecumenical Bible Group: There is no meeting this Thursday 15 March. The final meeting of the course - looking at the 'Our Father' - will be on 22 March, 7pm-8pm, at the Corpus Christi Carmelites, 110 Lawrence Street.

Middlesbrough Diocese LGBT + Outreach and Service: Masses given explicit welcome to LGBT + Catholics and their families and friends will take place on the second Sunday of the month throughout 2018 at 3.00pm in the chapel of the Bar Convent, 17 Blossom St. York, YO24 1AQ,

St Patrick's Day - Saturday 17th March. Mass will be celebrated at 12noon here. Light refreshments will be available in the Sacristy after Mass so as to give people a chance to enjoy the craic at the St. Patrick's Festival in Parliament Street (see below) All very welcome.

The York Irish Association proudly presents its annual York Irish St. Patrick's Weekend Festival. Celebrations will take place in a marquee in St. Sampson's Square in the city centre. The activities are all about celebrating and continuing to bring an understanding of Irish tradition and culture to York, bringing fun and enjoyment to the city for people of all ages who have an interest in Irish culture and celebrating the unique connections between York and Ireland. Taking place on the Friday evening from 5pm and all day and evening on Saturday, St. Patrick's Day itself, the festival will include music performances from the likes of Roisin Ban and the Flying Donkeys, Irish Dancing performances from the O'Connor Academy of Irish Dance and St. Aelred's School of Irish Dance and a celidh with Fiddlers Wreck. There will also be Irish food and drink served and face painting throughout the weekend. Everyone is welcome and it's free to attend!

Mill Hill Missionaries: Samantha Walker has volunteered to empty the red missionary boxes. Please leave in the Sacristy - NOT at the back of the church.