

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2018

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

28 October

10.30 C O'Connor, G Barker

6.30

4 November

10.30 I Gracias

6.30

11 November

10.30 E Hardcastle, C. O'Connor

6.30 G Conroy

18 November

10.30

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25 November: Christ the King

10.30 C. O'Connor

6.30

READERS

P Brisbane, J Stones
H Mozley

P. Robinson, G. Haddock
H. Mozley

H Glendinning, B Lingwood

P Brisbane, P Cox

S O'Neill, P Brisbane

Please remember to check the rotas and fill them in . . .

Do you now believe that the Lord has healed you
and has forgiven all your sins and pardoned you?

Always believe in Him, have faith in His abundant mercy,

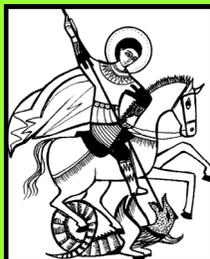
love Him with all your heart and trust Him utterly.

And take care of your health as precious treasure sent by God.

*St Seraphim of Sarov's teaching on God's healing
after healing his friend Nicholas*

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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*Sunday 28 October 2018 30th Sunday of the year Year B (Office
Week 2)*

Sunday 10.30am: Pam and David Miller

6.30pm: People of the Parish

Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10.30am Mass

*Next Sunday's Readings: Deuteronomy 6, 2-6; Hebrews 7, 23-28;
Mark 12, 28-34*

Unless announced otherwise service times are:

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

Exposition and Confessions: Saturday morning after Mass until 11.00

FEAST

Mon NO MASS

Tue NO MASS

Wed NO MASS

Thu ALL SAINTS HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION

10 AM

7 PM

Fri ALL SOULS

8.30 am November list/9 am Holy Souls/9.30 am Holy Father's ints.

Sat *November list*

This morning we are celebrating First Holy Communion for Maria and Pasquale. Please give them a warm welcome

On Tuesday and Wednesday I shall be in Ely for the funeral of my friend and former Deacon John Steel RIP.

Therefore there will be no Mass in the parish.

Next Saturday at 1pm Tadhg will be welcomed into God's family through the Sacrament of Baptism celebrated by Canon Ryan. Congratulations to

baby and family!

Lately dead: Jason Lehman

Anniversaries:

Masses received for: Julia & Philip Curtis, Jason Lehman, Raymond Livingston (sick), John Robinson, Mike Donoghue

PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

Mobile Phones: please switch them off during Mass. Twice recently people have answered their phones during Mass - we are supposed to be focussed on the Lord.

Before Mass we talk to God, during Mass we listen to God, after Mass we talk to each other

November is fast approaching. Envelopes are available at the back of church for those wishing their loved ones to be remembered. Please place the names of those you wish to remember together with your offering in the envelope.

Advance Notice: The Bishop is coming on Official Visitation on Sun. 18th November

Third World Cake Stall: Next Sunday 4th November

Young Adults: A good start last week! Next meeting Sat. 3rd November at 6 pm

Journey in Faith: Starts soon. Watch this space

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

CAFOD 2nd collection raised £721.59. Thank you.

Gift Aid: If any parishioner, who is a tax payer, would like to join the Gift Aid Scheme they should speak to the Gift Aid Organiser, Seamus O'Neill.

A note for your diary: THE PARISH MEMORIAL SERVICE will take place on 8 November. The Service is for all of us to remember our loved ones who have died. All are invited to come, pray, remember and support one another. If there is anyone who is close to you who has died this year please let me know their names so we can read them out at the Service - they don't have to have lived in the parish, just to have been close to you in some way. Sadly, owing to GDPR rules we cannot send out personalised invitations this year but EVERYBODY is most welcome.

Catholic Diaries (with order of Mass available near St Anthony at back of church £4.95. Also 10 minute diaries £8.95

A Plaque for Robert Aske: Born at Aughton in the East Riding, he was the leader of the Pilgrimage of Grace which objected to the closure of the monasteries. He was martyred at Clifford's Tower by Henry VIII on 12 July 1537 by being hung in a cage until he died of starvation and dehydration, a terrible way to die.

On **Friday 30 November** a plaque will be unveiled at Clifford's Tower by Bishop Terrence Drainey at 11.00am.

Immediately prior to this there will be an ecumenical service in All Saints Church Pavement, 10.15-10.45 arranged by The Revd Jane Natrass, followed by a procession through Coppergate to the plaque site which is opposite the Hilton Hotel and all are most welcome after the unveiling to adjourn to the Hilton for a reception.

EVELYN: CITYSCREEN YORK Sunday 28th November 12.30 The film tells the story of one family on a journey of remembrance across some of the most stunning landscapes of the UK, in memory of their brother and son, Evelyn, who tragically took his own life over a decade ago. [See poster]

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

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St Bede's 'Exploring Prayer' Course: Seven dates in Autumn or Spring. Cost £75. Participants will be expected to attend all sessions. See poster and flyer for details.

Mass Of Celebration for the Howdenshire Martyrs: Friday 16 November at 7.00pm at Sacred Heart Church, 1 Buttfield Road Howden, DN14 7DW. Tel: 01430 430245

From Dee Statham, headteacher of our school: a response to being nominated for—and winning—Teacher of the Year.....

I thought it was all good fun and perhaps a little tongue in cheek. However, when I was sent a copy of the actual nomination, I discovered that it had come from an 18 year old young man who I had taught when he came to St George's in year 6. The young man had arrived at our school after being the victim of terrible bullying at a different school. I remembered him very well. He had been classed as low ability and he was extremely shy. I remembered how he had flourished and grown and how his smile soon returned after only a few days with us.

His letter of nomination made me cry and I printed it out to share with my friends and colleagues at St George's. They too were all reduced to tears to read how much I had changed his life, helping him to overcome his mental health issues and enabling him to reach the expected levels in all subjects!

I was totally humbled to read his letter. Up to that point, I had no idea that the work I do every single day could have such a profound effect on a child and could actually change someone's life.

When I actually WON the TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARD I accepted it on behalf of all teachers but I actually know for a fact that the way we teach and care for each child at St George's is OUTSTANDING. Our parents at school love us. The children we teach are full of joy every day. The staff are truly amazing. To be awarded TEACHER OF THE YEAR has made me extremely proud and it will enable me to continue with my teaching vocation knowing that what I do can change lives.

Please come and see our amazing school in action. I am always delighted to show people round. If you are looking for a school for your little one, look no further. I know that St George's RC Primary is the best school in the world.

Mrs Deirdre Patton-Statham ~ Headteacher

There will be a **Parish Musicians' session** at Our Lady's, Acomb, York, at 10.30am on Saturday 17th November.

This will be to talk about possible music for Advent and Christmas, hopefully you will get some ideas for new material. I shall also look at some Mass settings. For your music and choir people, or indeed anyone who might be interested. These are always lively sessions,

with exchanges of views and experiences. There is no charge for these events, but if you can give us a hint of how many may be coming, that would be great. Or if you would simply like to talk about your music needs, please contact: Sue Black, tel. York 760331; mob. 0789 136 5521; sue.black@btinternet.com

Julian of Norwich Meditation Saturday 24th November Bar Convent 6pm. Admission free. See poster