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SUNDAY MASS 10.30am and 6.30pm
Confessions after all Masses *in the Sacristy*
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10.30am Mass
Adoration after Saturday Mass/First Friday Mass
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PARISH PRIEST: FR JO MICHAEL

SUNDAY 9th MARCH – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT – YEAR C - YEAR OF ST LUKE – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1
10.30am Mass, *People of the Parish* – <-> 6.30pm Mass – *Mariamanna Francis*

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| Mon | | No Mass | |
| Tue | | 9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass | <i>St Jude Thaddeus, for Personal intentions</i> |
| Wed | | 9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass | <i>St Jude Thaddeus, for Listening & Hearing to my family</i> |
| Thu | <i>Anniversary of election, as Supreme Pontiff of Pope Francis</i> | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass | <i>Personal Intention - Anna Citlali</i> |
| Fri | Lent Fast Day | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass followed by Stations of the Cross | <i>Personal intentions</i> |
| Sat | | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass | <i>Personal intentions</i> |

A THOUGHT FROM THICKET – 9th March 2025, 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

“Especially during Lent try to have periods of solitude, silence and recollection alone with Jesus in the desert. Minister to him with the angels, work for him after the example of St Joseph in the home of Nazareth.” (Venerable Hermann Cohen)

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THIS SUNDAY: FAIRTRADE STALL, BOTH MASSES,

Easter eggs large and small on sale. Stall on 16 February raised £128 at morning Mass, £33 at evening Mass. *Thank you to all.*

THIS SUNDAY 9TH MARCH:

St Aelred's CAFOD group pilgrimage will call at St George's Church at about **11.45am** for prayers and blessings *en route* to St Margaret Clitherow's Shrine in the Shambles, St Wilfrid's Church, the Museum Gardens and the Minster Gardens.

We are warmly invited to join the walk for all or part of the way. More details at back of church or email Tony Questa - tquesta47@gmail.com

We at St George's are also organising a **Community Big Lent Walk for CAFOD** leaving from Church on Sunday 23rd March morning. More details to follow, next Sunday 16th March.

FIRST SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING:

We would like to continue with our monthly coffee mornings but cannot do so without two volunteers per Sunday to set up, serve and clear away. The timing would be about 9.45 to 12.30 on a rota basis. If you could help please give your name (males, females but over 18's only), to either Cheryl Wright or Ann. *Donations for cups of coffee, tea and biscuits, go to St George's Primary School to purchase food for the breakfast club – please be generous.*

RETREAT DAY AT THICKET PRIORY:

Day of recollection, led by Fr. John Farrell O.P (Holy Cross Leicester), on Wednesday 2nd April, at the Thicket Carmelite Priory. Fr. Farrell will be reflecting on St. John's Gospel. 10am for 10:30am start, finishing at 3pm. All welcome, for more information contact - Patrick Doyle – 01430 431870

ST BEDE'S PASTORAL CENTRE hosts a variety of day, weekly and monthly courses throughout the year. [Click here](#) for more information about events.

- In need of some inspiration for Lent –
- A Spiritual Audit for Lent** on Saturday 8 March, 10.00am-4.00 with John Pritchard, £25. 21 Blossom Street York YO24 1AQ 01904 464900; www.stbedes.org.uk email - fiona@stbedes.org.uk

PILGRIMS OF HOPE JUBILEE 2025:

As we journey into this Year of Hope you are invited to join others in the Diocese on Saturday 8 March from 10.00am to 1.00pm (Registration from 9.30am) at Our Lady's Church Acomb YO24 3DX. We shall celebrate the good things already happening in our parishes and will explore how we can bring hope to others in the light of the major themes of the Jubilee. *For more details please speak to Katy Iggulden.*

NEWMAN CIRCLE LECTURE:

Monday 17 March, at 7.30 pm at the Bar Convent: Marie Baker will speak about *Catholic Parish Life in the USA* Tea and coffee available from 7 pm All welcome for information contact - judith.smeaton@btinternet.com

CAFOD LENT FAST DAY – FRIDAY 14TH MARCH

Please support the Community Big Lent Walk on Sunday 23rd March.

WELCOME TO ALL: If you are visiting York, we hope you enjoy your time here. If new to the parish or would like to be involved in parish activities please make yourself known to Fr Jo Michael or to our Welcomers on the door.