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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

SUNDAY 6th APRIL – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
YEAR C - YEAR OF ST LUKE – DIVINE OFFICE WEEK 1
10.30am Mass – People of the Parish <> 6.30pm Mass – Mariamma Francis

Mon		No Mass	
Tue		9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass	<i>Margaret Dillon</i>
Wed		9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass	<i>Ellen Rosina McQuade Anniversary, The McQuade Family, & Peter Wright</i>
Thu		9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass	<i>John Derek Thomson</i>
Fri	St Stanislas, Bp M	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass followed by Stations of the Cross	<i>John O'Neil</i>
Sat		9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Morning Prayer; 10.00am Mass	

Holy Mass Offering and Intentions:
The Holy Mass is the greatest gift you can offer for our beloved ones, both living and deceased. To arrange a mass offering, please contact the parish office.
The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on 15 April at 12 noon in St Mary's Cathedral. If you would like to attend please contact the parish office. **Mass for Healing** in the Bar Convent Chapel at 11.45am on Tuesday 29 April

WELCOME TO ALL:
If you are visiting York, we hope you enjoy your time here. If you are 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.
Have a Blessed Sunday and a great week ahead.

GIFT AID: Thank you to those who Gift Aid their donations to St George's Church. The new boxes are ready for collection at the back of church.
If you would like to join the Gift Aid scheme Seamus O'Neill will be at the back of church after Mass this weekend answering any questions about how we can receive 'free money' from the government by reclaiming tax on church donations.

PALM SUNDAY – CHILDRENS PROCESSION:
13th April at 10.30am Mass
All children are welcome to join our procession before Mass on Palm Sunday. Meet in the sacristy by 10.20am - we have palms and costumes if you would like to dress up. We will walk with the altar servers and Fr Jo to the front of church for the blessing of the palms then go straight into Children's Liturgy.

KATHLEEN MITCHELL & MARGARET DILLON - RIP

The Funeral Mass for **Kathleen** will take place on **Friday 11th April at 2pm at - St Aelred's Church.**
The Funeral Mass for **Margaret** will take place on **Tuesday 22nd April at 1pm at - St Aelred's Church.**
May the souls of Kathleen and Margaret and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

A THOUGHT FROM THICKET- 6th APRIL 2025 (5th SUNDAY OF LENT)

"My God is not at all touchy; He doesn't bother about trifling things. He adjusts Himself to our way of giving. In taking account of us, He is not at all petty but generous. However great our debt may be, He finds it easy to pardon." **(St Teresa of Avila)**
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FAIRTRADE Goods to the value of £231 were bought. £187 at morning Mass and £44 at evening Mass on Sunday 30th March. The next stalls will be on 11th May – there won't be any stalls in April.
Many Thanks – Frances & Dennis

SAVE THE DATE:

As part of our preparations for Easter in Holy Week we will be screening a short film in Church "In These Shoes" - a documentary made to challenge perceptions of homelessness.
-This film has been made by homeless people in York under the guidance of Carecent, a local charity that we support each week with donations of food at the back of Church.
-The film will be screened in Church on Tuesday 15th April, commencing promptly at 6pm, till about 7:30pm, and it is free to attend.- We hope as many parishioners as possible can make it.
NB it's realistic and a bit gritty, with some swearing in parts.

RECYCLING NEWS:

-St George's waste wax is now going to be sent to the Carmelite sisters at the Thicket, to be used in producing their lovely candles! A wonderful way to go up in smoke!
-Please carry on bringing in your waste wax (leave in the box at the back of church) and unused wires and cables, which are still being recycled by St Nick's Environment