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PARISH PRIEST: FR JO MICHAEL

**SUNDAY MASS 10.30am and 6.30pm**  
Confessions *in the Sacristy* after all Masses  
Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10.30am Mass  
Adoration 9.00am Tuesday to Saturday  
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**Sunday 25 January – YEAR A - YEAR OF ST MATTHEW – Divine Office Week 3**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD**

**End of Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 25 January**

**10.30am Mass – For successful cancer treatment <> 6.30pm Mass – Private Intention**

Mon	Ss Timothy and Titus, Bishops	NO MASS	
Tue	St Angela Merici, Virgin	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer	10.00am Mass
Wed	St Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor of the Church	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer	10.00am Mass <i>St Jude Thaddeus, Private Intention</i>
Thu		9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer	10.00am Mass <i>Gordon Lockwood</i>
Fri		9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer	10.00am Mass <i>Feleshia Abel – 1<sup>st</sup> Death Anniversary</i>
Sat	St John Bosco, Priest	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer	10.00am Mass <i>K J Thomas RIP</i>

**THOUGHT FROM THICKET – 25 January, Sunday of the Word of God**

“O Eternal Word, Word of my God, I want to spend my life in listening to You,  
to become wholly teachable that I may learn all from You.” (St Elizabeth of the Trinity))

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**THIS WEEK . . . Day of Reflection and St Brigid's day**

**DAY OF REFLECTION FOR CATECHISTS:** Hosted by the Adult

Formation Team on **Saturday 31 January, 10.30am-3.00pm**  
in the **parish hall of Our Lady's Catholic Church, York.**

Refreshments provided, bring your own lunch. Open to all who  
are already serving as catechists. However, if you are interested  
in becoming a catechist, please speak to Fr Jo Michael and you  
will be welcome to attend. To book a place please contact  
Nicola at [adultformation@rcdmidd.org.uk](mailto:adultformation@rcdmidd.org.uk)

**ST BRIGID'S DAY:** York Irish Association - family-friendly  
celebration on St Brigid's Day, **Saturday 31 January**, 2.00pm to  
6.00pm, St Clement's Hall, Nunthorpe Road YO23 1BW. Harpist,  
local singers, Irish dancer, poetry, exhibition on emigrant  
women, workshop to make your own St Brigid's cross.  
Refreshments. Supported by the Irish Embassy in the North.  
*All are welcome.*

***Looking ahead - Saturday 14 March St Patrick's Day  
celebration in St Sampson's Square.***

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION – ENROLMENT FOR 2026:**

Enrolment is now open for any your people (usually Y8 and  
above) in the parish who want to receive the Sacrament of  
Confirmation. The start date for sessions will be announced  
very shortly. Please complete the Google docs form on the  
parish Facebook page or, alternatively, a paper copy which is  
available at church. Please speak to Katy Iggulden or  
Fr Jo Michael.

**NOT TO BE MISSED:** Come along to Stamford Bridge on the  
evenings of 4-7 February to see **Jack and the Beanstalk**. It is a  
great show and features our very own **Kevin Willis** and  
**Martin Thorpe**. For more information grab hold of Martin (if  
you don't know him he's usually at 10.30am Mass near the front  
on the left) or email [martinthorpe231@gmail.com](mailto:martinthorpe231@gmail.com)

**CARECENT:** Thank you for your ongoing generosity with items  
for Carecent and our primary school breakfast club.

**PLEASE NOTE** that the Vangarde Management Suite has  
stopped accepting items for Carecent with effect from  
31 December 2025. Deliveries for Carecent have to be made  
to Carecent's premises at the Central Methodist Church in  
St Saviourgate. Open 8.30am – 10.45am Mon to Sat;  
tel: 01904 624244

**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/Intention  
please speak to Fr Jo Michael.

**GIFT AID:** For tax payers £1 donated through Gift Aid becomes  
£1.25. For more information please speak to **Seamus O'Neil**.  
*Many thanks to all who already donate in this way.*

**ST BEDE'S PASTORAL CENTRE** (21 Blossom Street, York YO24  
1AQ) is a place of warm welcome, spiritual renewal and  
refreshment offering a wide variety of day, weekly and  
monthly courses, some at the centre and some online. If  
you are interested in the regular all-year events or the  
Summer term events including retreats in Whitby please visit  
the website: [www.stbedes.org.uk](http://www.stbedes.org.uk).

**YORK HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY:** For pastoral visits contact the  
hospital chaplaincy team, tel 01904 725579 or the hospital  
switchboard 01904 631313. There is a Catholic chaplain on  
call 24/7 **for emergency calls only**. *If you are contacting us  
about someone else, you must have their permission.*

**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.*