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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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PARISH PRIEST: FR JOSE MICHAEL

SUNDAY 24th MAY 2026 – PENTECOST SUNDAY - YEAR A - YEAR OF ST MATTHEW – SOLEMNITY
10.30am Mass, The Lafi Family – < > < > < > < > 6.30am Mass – Priest's intentions
DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH



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Mon 25th	Mary Mother of the Church	NO MASS	
Tue 26th	St. Philip Neri, Priest	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass	
Wed 27th	St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bp	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass	
Thur 28th	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.00am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass 11:15 am, Mass of Anointing	Thanksgiving Mass at 10am for 25 years of Wedded life and Blessings. John and Ancy Fernandes
Fri 29th	St Paul the VI, Pope	9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass	
Sat 30th	NO MORNING PRAYER OR MASS. PARISH DAY AT THICKET PRIORY, WHELDRAKE, 10am to 4pm		

THOUGHT FROM THICKET – PENTECOST SUNDAY 24TH MAY

"One of the greatest temptations of the Church is to forget about the Holy Spirit, not to listen to the Spirit, and not to let ourselves be guided and strengthened by the Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the fire and the wind of God that guides and sustains the Church, the strength of God that consoles and defends us in every circumstance. Only the Holy Spirit can make us courageous and joyful witnesses of Jesus." (Bishop Silvio José Báez OCD)
@thicketpriorycarmel <http://www.thicketpriorycarmel.org>

IN THIS JOYFUL EASTER SEASON AND THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

our Parish of St George's provides a very easy way at the back of church to donate tinned and other non-perishable food items to those in need of support at this time. We particularly need tinned items e.g. tinned fruit, beans, tomatoes, spam/corned beef and hot-dogs. Sugar and coffee are also in regular demand as is Weetabix. Please donate what you can afford. Donations of food such as cereals are also appreciated for the primary school breakfast club. Many thanks for all your donations and to the volunteers who deliver them.

LOOKING FORWARD – FOUR DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 28th May: Thursday - SVP Mass of Anointing at 11:15am.**
- 30th May: Saturday - St George's Parish Day at Thicket Priory**
- 7th June: Sunday - solemnity of Corpus Christi**
Our Bishop Marcus Stock will be here for . . .
- 10.30am Mass and Confirmations and here also for . . .
- 3.00pm Corpus Christi procession to St Wilfrid's Church.
- 20 June: Saturday - First Holy Communion Mass**
- 12th July: Sunday - Nicholas Postgate Rally at Ugthorpe**

***SAVE THE DATE – MASS OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK, THURSDAY 28TH MAY ***

This year's Mass of Anointing will be at 11:15am in Church on Thursday 28th May, followed by a social gathering at The Victoria on Heslington Rd, from 12:30pm. You will be able to add your name to the list to attend, at Sunday Mass on today and 24th May. This is an annual parish event organised by our SVP group.

SAVE THE DATE – PARISH RETREAT DAY, SATURDAY 30TH MAY

You are all very warmly invited to Thicket Priory for a Parish Retreat Day of renewal and fellowship. Arrive 10am for refreshments and we will start at 10.30. Light refreshments are provided throughout the day but please bring a packed lunch. Please sign up for the day at the end of Mass, at the back of the church. If you either need a lift or can provide a lift, let us know when you put your name down, so we can arrange this. If you won't be at Mass but want to come, please email Katy Iggulden - kathleeniggulden@gmail.com We will finish at 4pm. There will be a Mass, plenty of breaks and a chance to explore the beautiful gardens at Thicket. We really hope you can make it! If you have any questions, please see **Fr Jose**. "

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: SUNDAY 7TH JUNE – 3pm, We are truly blessed to welcome Bishop Marcus, who will lead a Corpus Christi Procession from our parish to St. Wilfrid's on 7th June at 3:00 pm. This is a beautiful and grace-filled opportunity for our parish to come together in faith and devotion to the Eucharistic Lord. In a special way, I invite our First Holy Communion children, Confirmation candidates, along with their parents and families, to be present. Let us make this a truly memorable occasion for our parish, a witness of our love for Christ in the Eucharist, and a moment to receive abundant blessings. Your presence will make a difference. **Fr Jose**

60 YEARS OF PRIESTHOOD

"Canon Michael Ryan is celebrating his 60 years of Priesthood with Mass at 12 noon at English Martyrs Church on Saturday 13th June, with refreshments in the hall afterwards. All very welcome."

WEEKLY COLLECTION IN CHURCH – 17th MAY

Loose plate.	£343.52	
Gift Aid	£137.00	
Retiring collection	£127.82	World Communications Day

CHURCH WELCOMERS – How would you like to volunteer at the back of Church and be the first person to welcome parishioners as

they arrive? We are looking to add extra numbers to our very friendly team of volunteers. If you feel you can help the Parish in this way then please speak to Dave H or Chris F or one of the other welcomers. Or mention it to Fr Jo. Welcoming is a lovely and important Ministry and our volunteers get many blessings from welcoming people into Church.

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 Jose Michael or to our Welcomers on the door.