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PARISH PRIEST: FR JOSE 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 12 JULY 2026 – YEAR A – YEAR OF ST MATTHEW – Divine Office Week 3**  
**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – SEA SUNDAY – RETIRING COLLECTION FOR STELLA MARIS**  
**10.30am Mass – People of the Parish; 12.30pm Departure for Postgate Rally; NO EVENING MASS TODAY**



#### Parish Card Reader

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**THANK YOU**

| Mon  | St Henry                                        | NO MASS                                                                          | Mass Intentions             |
|------|-------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Tue  | St Camillus of Lellis, Priest                   | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament<br>9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass | Thomas Padin<br>Jaremurigil |
| Wed  | St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament<br>9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass |                             |
| Thur | Our Lady of Mount Carmel                        | <b>10.00am Primary School Mass in church All warmly welcome</b>                  |                             |
| Fri  |                                                 | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament<br>9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass | Lari Family                 |
| Sat  |                                                 | 9.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament<br>9.40am Morning Prayer 10.00am Mass |                             |

**THOUGHT FROM THICKET – 12 JULY 2026** - "Our Lady of the Now: This sounds to me a very Carmelite title with which to speak about Mary. Mary teaches us to live in time. She connects us to the here and now, God's eternal present: 'Here I am . . . Fiat.' It is Mary's music in every moment of her life."  
(Fr Miguel Márquez Calle OCD, Superior General). 16 July is the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

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#### Dear Parishioners

It is a great joy to be back with you after a refreshing holiday. During my time away, I had the opportunity to visit our Seminary, where I met with the Rector, our seminarians, and my Provincial Superior. We had encouraging conversations about priestly formation and the future of our mission. They all asked me to convey their heartfelt greetings, prayers, and sincere gratitude for your continued support and generosity towards the formation of our seminarians. Thank you for keeping them in your prayers. May God bless you all abundantly. **Fr Jose**

#### FAIRTRADE STALL NEXT SUNDAY AFTER BOTH MASSES

Thank you for your support of Fairtrade. Much of the food we eat in the UK is provided by producers and workers in the developing world. Many of these people live in poverty. They are kept in poverty due to the many dishonest practices imposed on them including late or short payment on contracts, cheating on weights and other similar unfair practices.

**Fairtrade** addresses this dishonesty by setting social, economic and environmental standards to which farmers and other producers must adhere.

**THE NEW CARD MACHINE** has an option to make payments now for Fr Jose. They will be earmarked for him and a cheque made out in his name before he leaves.

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM 2026:** The Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham takes place on Saturday, 26 September 2026. The coach leaves St Mary's Cathedral, Middlesbrough at 5.00am and York Railway Station at 6.00am. Cost: £40 per person. For further information or to book, please contact the Diocesan Curial Office.

#### PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT GRACE

**OSMOTHERLEY:** The annual pilgrimage to the Shrine takes place on Sunday 16 August 2026. The Rosary begins at 2.30pm, followed by Holy Mass at 3.00pm for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. *All are warmly invited.*

#### MASS FOR THE LGBTQ+ COMMUNITY, FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

this Sunday and on every second Sunday of the month, Chapel of the Bar Convent, 3.00pm. Doors open at 2.30pm. Followed by refreshments. *All welcome*

#### CONSECRATION TO THE ORDO VIRGINUM: Please keep

Dr Emma Morrison in your prayers as she prepares for her Consecration to the Ordo Virginum on Saturday 26 September 2026 at 12.00noon. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Terence Patrick Draney, Bishop Emeritus of Middlesbrough. *All are welcome to attend.*

**MASS FOR HEALING:** All are warmly invited to a Mass for Healing on Tuesday 28 July 2026, at 11.45am in the Chapel of the Bar Convent, 17 Blossom Street, York. The Mass will be celebrated by Fr Dominique Minskip, Canon Michael Loughlin and Fr Jose Michael. If you would like your name or the name of a loved one to be placed on the altar during the Mass, or if you require assistance, please contact Fiona Hill at St Bede's Pastoral Centre. Email: [fiona@stbedes.org.uk](mailto:fiona@stbedes.org.uk)  
Tel: 01904 464900. *Everyone is welcome*

**DO YOU HAVE IRISH ROOTS?** Michelle Astley-Yeomans, an Irish documentary filmmaker from Dublin now living in York, is researching the history of Irish migration to York during the Great Famine. If you or your family have Irish roots in York or the surrounding area, and you would be willing to share family stories, photographs, documents, or memories passed down through the generations, Michelle would be delighted to hear from you. For more information or to get in touch, please contact: Michelle Astley-Yeomans Tel: 07484 201508

**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 or to our Welcomers.*