

Introduction We are here because the Lord himself has called us. "Come to me," he says, and we have come to him, full of thanksgiving, to celebrate the Eucharist, to worship him and receive his help.

First Reading Zechariah 9:9-10

The Messiah's coming makes our hearts and souls rejoice, for he humbles himself to share our life.

Second Reading Romans 8:9. 11-13

We are spiritual people who belong to Christ and are filled with his Spirit.

Gospel Matthew 11:25-30

The Lord calls us to come to him, that we may find rest for our souls.

Please pray for all whose anniversaries occur about this time:

JULY

7 Margaret & Elizabeth Grimshaw, Francis Keighley,
7 Joseph Waring **8** Alice Maud Brierley, Marie Turnbull
8 George Ignatius Green, Catherine Nielson,
11 Norbert Lovatt, John Bell

Join the parish's SVP group – we need you

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New members always welcome.

Parishes of St Andrew & Blessed George Haydock, Cottam, and St Mary, Lea Town

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5th July 2020**

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Baptisms and Marriages by Arrangement.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday (4.30pm to 5pm) or on request. Please call in to the Presbytery or speak to Canon Adrian before or after Mass.

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The Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator

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Come to me, all you who
labour and are burdened,
and I will give you rest.

Matthew 11:28

Welcome Home

The Government has announced that from today Saturday 4th July 2020, communal acts of worship will be allowed in Catholic Churches. The Bishops' Conference of England & Wales has given guidance that we need to follow to ensure we comply with government guidance and keep safe. Please read the general guidance which details all our advice and what you need to do if you are going to attend Mass.

SATURDAY 4th July

5.30pm (St Andrew's) People of the Parish

SUNDAY 5th July

Parish Mass Book use suspended until further notice

9.00am (St Mary's) Holy Souls

10.30am (St Andrew's) Repose of the soul of

Mary Winifred Winders (6788)

6.00pm (St Andrew's) Private Intention

MONDAY 6th July – St. Maria Goretti (Opt. Memorial)

9.15am (St Andrew's) John & Mary Simpson (6786)

TUESDAY 7th July - NO MASS

WEDNESDAY 8th July

9.15am (St Andrew's)

THURSDAY 9th July

St. Augustine Zhao Rong & Companions (Opt. Memorial)

8.15am (St Mary's)

FRIDAY 10th July

9.15am (St Andrew's)

SATURDAY 11th July – St. Benedict (Feast)

9.15am (St Andrew's)

5.30pm (St Andrew's)

Mass Intentions All Mass offerings and intentions are most welcome. If you require a Mass on a particular day, please let Canon Adrian know or place the intention, offering and details in an envelope on the collection plate at the back.

General Guidance

The following guidance should be following by everyone who attends either St Andrew's or St Mary's.

1. **PLEASE DO NOT VISIT THE CHURCH IF YOU HAVE ANY SYMPTOMS OF COVID-19 INCLUDING FEVER, PERSISTENT COUGH OR LOSS OF TASTE OR SMELL.**
2. You must not visit if you have been asked to shield or are in self-isolation.
3. **HAND SANITISERS** must be used on entry to, and exit from the church.
4. **FACE COVERINGS** must be worn by all members of the congregation.
5. **SOCIAL DISTANCING**, following government guidance of 1m plus, must be followed at all times.
6. All printed material, such as missals and hymn books, which are not intended for single use will not be available in the church.
7. There will be **NO CONGREGATIONAL SINGING** at Mass.
8. There is a maximum limit of people in the church which is determined not only by the number of people, but whether they are part of a family or bubble. Once the limit is reached you will be asked to attend a different service.
9. If you are able to attend a weekday Mass then you may consider this as an alternate to the weekend Mass. The obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still suspended and a weekday Mass will be quieter than the weekend.

Registration – Online on the parish website preferred

As a requirement of the government's test and trace system we are required to hold details of all those who attend each of our services. The requirement is to hold these details for 21 days. There will be hard copies of the form available at church, but we would urge you to complete this online, either before you attend Mass, or on return. We would like to hold your details on file for longer than this so that we can contact you in the future in regard to parish activities and other such matters. If you are happy for this to occur, then please tick the appropriate box. We need to record this information for all services. However It is possible to indicate that you will normally attend a particular Mass, in which case you only need to register once, rather than each week. If you attend a weekday Mass, this information will be recorded on the day in church.