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Introduction: Let us be inspired by God's power and mercy to value God's gifts and share our wealth and blessings for the sake of the common good.

First Reading 2 Kings 4:42-44 - Instead of using an offering of food for himself, as he would be entitled to do, Elisha tells his servant to give the food to the people.
Second Reading Ephesians 4:1-6
The Spirit of God brings unity and peace and calls on us to be generous and gentle with one another.
Gospel John 6:1-15 - The story of Jesus feeding thousands of hungry people who had come to listen to him.

A link to today's readings can be found on our website.

Please pray for all whose anniversaries occur at this time:

JULY

25 Roy Anderton **26** Margaret Swarbrick
30 James Gardner, Terry Entwistle Mary Moore
31 Rose Masheter, Jim Cookson

Catholic Voice – The latest edition can be accessed from the parish website.

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

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
25th July 2021

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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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There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish.

John 6:9

SATURDAY 24th July
5.30pm Vigil Elizabeth Woolas (7281)
This Mass will be live streamed from Parish website.

SUNDAY 25th July
9.00am (Lea Town) People of the Parish
10.30am Deceased Members of the Laird Family (7103)
3.00pm Afternoon Devotions
6.00pm James & Malachy O'Neill & Agnes Devlin (7104)

MONDAY 26th July St. Joachim & St. Anne (Memorial)
9.15am Repose of the souls of A M Joseph & Molly Joseph (7325)

TUESDAY 27th July – NO MASS

WEDNESDAY 28th July
9.15am Betty Cornall (7326)

THURSDAY 29th July – St. Martha (Memorial)
8.15am (Lea Town) Patricia Kenyon (7286)

FRIDAY 30th July - St. Peter Chrysologus (Opt. Memorial)
9.15am Bridget Marlowe (7105)

SATURDAY 31st July- St. Ignatius of Loyola (Memorial)
9.15amOur Lady of Ransom White Ransomer Annual Mass (7327)
5.30pm Vigil John Graham (7107)

Afternoon Devotions There will be no afternoon Devotions in August.

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 of church.

Annual Mission Appeal. This weekend we will be welcome Fr Franco Mastromauro Mccj of the Comboni Missionaries (Verona Fathers) who will be appealing on behalf of the Comboni Missionaries.

Dessert & Wine Evening Our first parish social in over 18 months will take place on Friday 24th September at 7:00pm in the Haydock Room. More details will be available at the start of September – please book in your diaries now.

40th Anniversary Canon Adrian will be celebrating 40 years since his ordination as a priest on the 14th November 2021.We will have two parish celebrations.
On the 28th October we will have a celebratory meal at Bartle Hall. More details, including ticket prices, will be available in September.
On the 16th November we will have a Thanksgiving Mass at St Andrew's followed by a buffet in the Haydock Room. Booking will be required and more details will be available in September.

Welcome to Aubrey Eloise Taverro Cunliffe
who will be baptised today.

Large Round Stained Glass Window Appeal You will notice that the beautiful stained glass window at the back of church has had to be removed. The glass panels are surrounded by ornate carved wood, sadly this has all gone rotten from within, and the wood has to be completely replaced. The cost will be in the region of £6,000 for the large window. Given this is such a beautiful and important part of our church building, parishioners and friends of St Andrew's may like to contribute towards the cost of its repair. This can be done by a donation direct to the parish, or on the donate page of the diocesan website. If you do this via the diocesan website, please state you wish your donation to go to St Andrew's, Cottam, window repair. The two other smaller round windows will also need to be inspected.

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Or NHS Track & Trace App scan the QR Code at the back of church