

SCARBOROUGH CATHOLIC PARISHES



CHURCHES OF ST PETER, ST JOSEPH, ST EDWARD THE CONFESSOR



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Note: the Polish Mission does not form part of the Scarborough Parishes – it is a separate entity

Welcome	Fáilte	Merĥba	Croeso	Witajcie	Swagatam	Mabuhay
Benvenuto	Bienvenu	Bienvenido	Benvindo	Benvindo	Beninguts	Wilkommen

WEEK COMMENCING 10 MAY 2020

DIVINE OFFICE: week 1

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR A

SECOND PRAYER OF POPE FRANCIS TO OUR LADY IN THIS MONTH OF MAY

Following on from last week's front cover article: *Letter of His Holiness Pope Francis to the Faithful for the Month of May 2020* we now publish the Pope's Second Prayer to Our Lady:

We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God

In the present tragic situation, when the whole world is prey to suffering and anxiety, we fly to you, Mother of God and our Mother, and seek refuge under your protection.

Virgin Mary, turn your merciful eyes towards us amid this Coronavirus pandemic. Comfort those who are distraught and mourn their loved ones who have died, and at times are buried in a way that grieves them deeply. Be close to those who are concerned for their loved ones who are sick and who, in order to prevent the spread of the disease, cannot be close to them. Fill with hope those who are troubled by the uncertainty of the future and the consequences for the economy and employment. Mother of God and our Mother, pray for us to God, the Father of mercies, that this great suffering may end and that hope and peace may dawn anew. Plead with your divine Son, as you did at Cana, so that the families of the sick and the victims be comforted, and their hearts be opened to confidence and trust. Protect those doctors, nurses, health workers and volunteers who are on the frontline of this emergency, and are risking their lives to save others. Support their heroic effort and grant them strength, generosity and continued health. Be close to those who assist the sick night and day, and to priests who, in their pastoral concern and fidelity to the Gospel, are trying to help and support everyone.

Blessed Virgin, illumine the minds of men and women engaged in scientific research, that they may find effective solutions to overcome this virus. Support national leaders, that with wisdom, solicitude and generosity they may come to the aid of those lacking the basic necessities of life and may devise social and economic solutions inspired by farsightedness and solidarity.

Mary Most Holy, stir our consciences, so that the enormous funds invested in developing and stockpiling arms will instead be spent on promoting effective research on how to prevent similar tragedies from occurring in the future.

Beloved Mother, help us realize that we are all members of one great family and to recognize the bond that unites us, so that, in a spirit of fraternity and solidarity, we can help to alleviate countless situations of poverty and need. Make us strong in faith, persevering in service, constant in prayer.

Mary, Consolation of the afflicted, embrace all your children in distress and pray that God will stretch out his all-powerful hand and free us from this terrible pandemic, so that life can serenely resume its normal course.

To you, who shine on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope, do we entrust ourselves, O Clement, O Loving, O Sweet Virgin Mary. Amen.

Titles of Mary

There are very many titles given to Mary. Some relate to an apparition or shrines, eg. Our Lady of Lourdes, Fatima, Knock, Czestochowa, Guadalupe, Our Lady of Ransom (Kerala, India) and many more. Some are the title under which people of particular Religious Orders address her, eg. Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Carmelites), while other orders venerate her under previously known titles. Here are some of the more prominent ones. The first 4 in the list relate to the 4 Marian Dogmas.

Mother of God (Theotokos)	Mother of Divine Grace	Queen of the Holy Rosary	Cause of Our Joy
Immaculate Conception	Mirror of Justice	Our Lady of Perpetual Help	Queen of Angels
Our Lady of the Assumption	Seat of Wisdom	Comforter of the Afflicted	Queen of Apostles
Mary, Ever Virgin	Arc of the Covenant	Refuge of Sinners	Queen of All Saints
Virgin Mary	Mystical Rose	Star of the Sea	Queen of Martyrs
Mary Most Holy (Panagia)	Tower of David	Our Lady of Sorrows	Queen of Peace
Queen of Heaven	Gate of Heaven	Undoer of Knots	Our Lady of All Nations
Mother of the Church	Morning Star	Mother of Good Council	Our Lady of Walsingham

**ALL MASSES LIVE STREAMED ONLY FROM ST PETER'S - NO PUBLIC PERMITTED
ALL CHURCHES ARE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

SATURDAY VIGIL	9	5.30pm	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM)	
SUNDAY	10	11.30am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM)	For Mass Intentions
Monday	11	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM)	see printed copy
Tuesday	12	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM) <i>St Nereus & Achilleus / St Pancras</i>	
Wednesday	13	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM) <i>Our Lady of Fatima</i>	
Thursday	14	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM) <i>St MATTHIAS, APOSTLE</i>	
Friday	15	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM) <i>DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL</i>	
Saturday	16	10am	St Peter's (LIVE STREAM)	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) It is not currently possible to receive this Sacrament. Make a personal Confession, Perfect Act of Contrition and attend the Sacrament as soon as it becomes possible.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (Note time change for this week only) 3.30pm to 4.30 pm Monday to Friday (Live Stream). HOLY ROSARY 2pm Monday to Friday (Live Stream)

STREAMED MASSES in our diocese: <https://middlesbrough-diocese.org.uk/streamed-masses-in-our-diocese-2/>
POPE'S MAY PRAYER INTENTION: *that deacons, faithful in their service to the Word and the poor, may be an invigorating symbol for the entire Church.*

† RECENTLY DECEASED: Judith Dealtry **† ANNIVERSARIES:** Jean Murphy, Annie Alonzi, Danielle Harrison
NEWSLETTER is available outside all our churches in a waterproof box - **take a copy to those who are isolated (take care - wear gloves, post through letterbox).** **MAILING LIST:** email us to receive by email (note, we are not able to post copies).

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION *My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I passionately desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart and soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.*

FUNERAL CREMATION of Judith Dealtry: 12.45pm Monday 11 May can be viewed on Woodlands Crematorium website - **by invitation only.**

MASS BY TELEPHONE Fr Phil Cunnah will celebrate Catholic Sunday Mass by telephone. Pass this to anyone who wishes to join the celebration of Mass, but does not have internet access. Mass times: **Sundays & Holy Days at noon.** Recordings remain available to listen to until the next Mass is uploaded. **Phone 01642 130120** to access this service.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY Why not create a grotto in your home or in the garden and pray the Rosary or a decade during May. Send in your photos by email or post on our Facebook Page. Rosary is live streamed weekly **2pm Monday to Friday.** Prayer Cards of Our Lady of all Nations are freely available with newsletter in waterproof boxes outside each church.

CAFOD CORONAVIRUS APPEAL CAFOD have made a special appeal to help them respond to the devastating effects of the Coronavirus on already vulnerable people across the world. You are encouraged to support this appeal. Donations can be made securely online at www.cafod.org.uk/coronavirus or via telephone at 08085 858885.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER Pope Francis has accepted and is promoting a proposal of the High Committee for the Human Fraternity for believers of all religions to spiritually unite on **14 May** in a day of prayer and fasting and works of charity, to implore God to help humanity overcome the Coronavirus pandemic. Do participate.

NEW OFFERTORY ENVELOPES now available outside our churches. Anyone wanting to Sign up for envelope or standing order giving, and/or Gift Aid, contact the Parish Office.

SUNDAY SMILE: *Message from psychiatrists - "Since we are currently flooded with calls, we want you to know that in times of quarantine, it is completely normal to talk to walls, flowers, and other items. Only call us when they start talking to you."*

MIDDLESBROUGH DIOCESE LOURDES 16-DAY WALK OF HOPE The diocese invites each of us to join them on a 16-day Walk of Hope **from Middlesbrough to Lourdes**, which began last Thursday 7 May, travelling around 65 miles each day through England and France before arriving at the shrine for the start of the **virtual pilgrimage on Friday 22 May.** Do this by walking, running or travelling in your wheelchair for anything from 100 yards up to a few miles (observing social distancing, of course). This could be part of your existing exercise or especially for the journey – every step counts. Simply **email the distance you've completed to lourdesvirtualwalk@gmail.com by 5pm each day** to add to the diocesan daily total. They will use the Middlesbrough Diocesan Lourdes Facebook page to record the journey and post daily updates. They welcome you to post photographs and comments about your own day's journey. **Bishop Terry** has agreed to lead a programme of online services from St Mary's Cathedral at around the times our various celebrations would have been taking place. More info on the Diocesan Virtual Pilgrimage on the Diocesan website: www.middlesbrough-diocese.org.uk/lourdes/index.php/2020/05/04/join-us-on-our-lourdes-walk-of-hope/ **Scarborough Parishes** is joining the Diocese at St Peter's Grotto, where a candle will be lit each day for Our Lady, to light our way and lead us safely on - **open daily 9.30am to 8pm.**