



THIRD WEEK OF ADVENT

11th December 2022 · Year A · Weekday I · Psalter III

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TIMES OF CEREMONIES

Sunday 11 th Dec		THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT – Gaudete Sunday	
9am	Mass		<i>Mary Cushing (F) +</i>
11am	Solemn Mass		<i>Amy Watkins</i>
4.30pm	Vespers & Benediction		
4.45pm	Confessions		
5.30pm	Sung Mass		<i>Yaniv Small</i>
Monday 12 th		<i>Our Lady of Guadalupe</i>	
10am	Mass		<i>Mgr John Freeland (F) +</i>
Tuesday 13 th		S Lucy	
10am	Mass		<i>Vincent Catalan +</i>
Wednesday 14 th		S John of the Cross	
11.30am	Solemn Mass of Ordination		<i>Bishop Elect Peter Collins</i>
Thursday 15 th		<i>Advent Feria</i>	
10am	Mass		<i>Ruth & Jan Loyko (F) +</i>
Friday 16 th		<i>Advent Feria</i>	
7.30am	Mass		<i>For Godparents</i>
10am	Mass		<i>Holy Souls</i>
Saturday 17 th		<i>Advent Feria</i>	
10am	Mass & Adoration		<i>Marco Antonio-Olarte-M +</i>
10.30am	Confessions		
5.15pm	Confessions		
6pm	Mass - Anticipatory		<i>For the People</i>

Next Sunday: 6pm [Saturday], 9am, 11am, 5.30pm · **Confessions** 4.45pm · **Vespers & Benediction** 4.30pm · **Lauds** at 9.40am **Monday - Saturday** in the **Precious Blood Chapel**

The Rosary is prayed in the **Lady Chapel Monday to Friday** after the **10am Mass**

Adoration: Tuesday 7.30pm, First Friday 10.30am until 4pm & Saturday 10.30am

Prayers for the sick: Cathy Adams, Justina Adamska, Philippa Barnes, Ian Beyts, Eleanor Bray, Amanda Caistor, Brenda Devany, Ann Dunning, Anthony Edmunds, Jonathon Fitzimmons, Sophia Gough-Solar, Joe Heaney, Gill Horan, Paul Horan, Nancy Horner, Joan Marshall, Maria Osorio, Sarah McLean, Gary Newton, Christopher Parish, Canon David Paul, Anthony Preston, Nicholle Sales, Reece Sales, Linda Sheppard, Peter Thorn, Mary Ward, Peter Warrington, Fr John Warrington, Peter Willets, Adrian Woods, the Wood Family, the Watson Family, and Dianne Yeadon. [GDPR compliant] **Going into hospital?** Please inform the hospital ward itself that the Catholic Chaplain is needed.

The Cathedral Church is open daily from 7.30am until 6pm

There will be a second collection at all Masses today for the **Dependent Priests' Fund**.

On **Tuesday 13th December**, due to the Ordination of Canon Peter Collins the following day, there will be no 7pm Mass, Adoration or Confessions. On Wednesday 14th December (the day of the Ordination) there will be no 7.30am or 10am Mass; the doors to the Cathedral will be open from 10am onwards for the Ordination.

The Teresian Prayer Group's meeting on Tuesday 13 December has been cancelled due to the necessary preparations for the new Bishop's Ordination. Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 10 January at 6pm in Mac's Bar.

Next weekend 17th & 18th December there will be Offertory baskets taken by the Flower Group to help towards the cost of Christmas flowers.

The Duckett Library will close on Thursday 15th December for the Christmas holidays and re-open on Sunday 8th January. Please continue to email with any queries.

Inviting all young people to a special Candlelight Mass - 7th January A special Mass for young people at the start of January, celebrated by Bishop Peter. Followed by hotdogs, fireworks, and refreshments. 4pm - 6pm at The White House, 21 Upgate, Poringland, NR14 7SH. There will be a collection of gifts for the *Welcome Rucksack Project* which helps children who are refugees. Suitable gifts (please bring unwrapped) include small games, stickers, children's shampoo and bodywash. Organised by the Diocesan Youth Service
www.rcdea.org.uk/youth

CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Saturday 24th Dec – Christmas Eve

3.15pm	Solemn Pontifical First Vespers of Christmas
4pm	Missa Cantata [Old Rite Latin]
6pm	Family Mass
9pm	Mass at Holy Apostles, Scarnell Rd, NR5 8HT
11.30pm	Carol Service

Sunday 25th Dec – Christmas Day


12am	Solemn Pontifical Midnight Mass
9am	Sung Mass of the Dawn
10am	Mass of the Day at Holy Apostles
11am	Solemn Pontifical Mass of the Day

HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

Scarnell Road, Norwich NR5 8HT

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Sunday	10am Mass
	11am Confessions
	4pm Holy Qurbana

 **Carols by Candlelight**, 7.30pm on Friday 16th December. Join the Cathedral Choristers and Schola for an evening of traditional and contemporary carols with free mulled wine and mince pies in the interval! Tickets £15 from www.sjbcathedral.org.uk/carols

On Sunday 18th December at 4pm we will have our celebration **O Emmanuel** - a service of readings and carols in anticipation of Christmas. All are welcome to attend this free event; this will take the place of Vespers on that Sunday.

The Listening and Prayer Ministry is looking to recruit new Helpers. Applications are to be received by mid December 2022, with interviews taking place online and training planned to commence in January 2023. For more information on the Ministry and for a Person Specification please visit: <https://www.rcdea.org.uk/prayer-ministry-needs-good-listeners-with-compassion/> To ask questions or to apply please contact: Antonia Braithwaite
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Healing After Abortion - Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat March 17 – March 19th, 2023, North Norfolk. Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Healing Weekends offer a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of healing. Do email so that we can correspond or arrange a time to chat. East England contact: sona@rachelsvineyard.org.uk Further info: <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk>

Noah's Ark Baby & Toddler Group will be taking a break for Christmas and so will not run on 22nd or 29th December, returning on the 5th of January. For more information cathedralplaygroup@outlook.com

The Garden Café and shop will be closed between Christmas and the New Year from 1pm on Saturday 24th December and will reopen on Thursday 5th January.

Rejoice