

## THIRTY-SECOND WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

12<sup>th</sup> November 2023 · Year A · Weekday I · Psalter IV

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#### **Cathedral Collection**

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#### **Confessions**

Tuesday: 6pm Saturday: 10.30am Saturday: 5.15pm Sunday: 4.45pm

#### Rosary

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

#### **Divine Office**

Lauds is prayed in the Precious Blood Chapel. Monday to Friday at 9:40am

TIMES OF CEREMONIES			
Sunday 12th Nov	THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME		
	9am	Mass	Cesar Ibarra +
	11am	Solemn Mass	For the War Dead +
	4.30pm	Vespers & Benediction	ı
	5.30pm	Mass	Pro Populo
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Feria		
	10am	Mass	Clare McGuiness +
Tuesday 14th	Feria		
	10am	Mass	Edward C Heasley +
	5pm	Vespers	
	5.30pm	Mass & Adoration	O'Brien Family Intentions
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	S Albert the	e Great	
	7.30am	Mass	Blind & Deaf Children
	10am	Mass	Kathleen Middleton & James
			Sewell (F) +
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup>	S Gertrude		
	10am	Mass	Katja Antoinette Livsey +
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	S Hilda		
	7.30am	Mass	Avis Sarah Coleman +
	10am	Mass	John Robert Day +
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss Peter & Paul		
	10am	Mass	Lucia Chin +
	6pm	Mass (Anticipatory)	John Sharp +
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME		
	9am	Mass	Mr & Mrs Ric Caasi & family
	11am	Solemn Mass	Bishop Peter's Intentions
	4.30pm	Vespers & Benediction	ı
	5.30pm	Mass	Pro Populo

The Cathedral Church is open daily from 7.30am until 7pm

Prayers for the sick: Cathy Adams, Justina Adamska, Dr Michael Anibueze, Philippa Barnes, Ian Beyts, Jennifer Boland, Eleanor Bray, Amanda Caistor, Brenda Devany, Jonathon Fitzimmons, Sophia Gough-Solar, Mary Hatcher, Joe Heaney, Niamh Hodgson, Gill Horan, Paul Horan, Nancy Horner, Joan Marshall, Joel McDonough, Maria Osorio, Mary Newby, Gary Newton, Isobel O'Connor, Christopher Parish, Canon David Paul, Anthony Preston, Jack Richardson, Nicholle Sales, Reece Sales, Linda Sheppard, Peter Thorn, Mary Ward, Fr John Warrington, Peter Willets, Adrian Woods, the Wood Family, Patricia Woolley, Isobel Woolner and the Watson Family. [GDPR compliant]

Going into hospital? Please inform the hospital ward itself that the Catholic Chaplain is needed.

#### **HYMN NUMBERS FOR THE 9AM MASS**

969 213 (psalm) 944 214 807

**The Teresian Prayer Group** meets again on Tuesday 14 November at 6pm in the Narthex Bar. We'll be looking at St Teresa's important book on prayer, The Interior Castle. Everyone is welcome.

**Pre-Advent Lectures** – Fr Denys Lloyd has kindly agreed to return prior to this Advent Season for a short course on Theology of the Body part 2, starting on 17<sup>th</sup> November for 3 weeks. The course will begin at 7pm in the Narthex for approx. one hour. All are welcome, there is no need to have attended last year's course.

**Hospital Mass** - Mass is celebrated at 12 noon on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month in the Norfolk and Norwich University Hospital Chapel (Centre Block, Level 1). Our next Mass will be on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November.** 

# Did you know there are around 312,000 children in England and Wales with a parent in prison? Would you like to give joy to families separated by a prison sentence this Christmas?

Angel Tree is a very simple and incredibly rewarding way to help prisoners stay in contact with their families during imprisonment, which can contribute to reducing re-offending rates.

**Angel Tree** a Prison Fellowship project, which has a group **run locally from this parish**, which sends personalised gifts from a parent in prison to their child each Christmas. Would you be willing to give a donation for a gift? It costs £20 per present including postage. If you would like to donate, please visit:

https://prisonfellowship.org.uk/angeltree/.

We have had 89 present requests for our Angel Tree appeal from the men in HMP Norwich for their children. Which is the largest number we have ever had to deal with, so help would be appreciated.

#### The First Holy Communion and Confirmation

**Groups** will be holding their annual cake stall after all weekend masses on 25th and 26th November for the Feast of Christ the King - World Youth Sunday. Please keep our young people in your prayers and support our fundraising efforts by purchasing cakes. Donations of cakes and biscuits also gratefully received. The monies raised will fund the catechesis programme including the children's pilgrimage to Walsingham in 2024

**Youth for Christ** group meets in the Narthex on Tuesday afternoons 4-6pm during term time.

**Justice and Peace Group** - the next meeting will be held on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm in the Garden Café.

#### HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

#### Scarnell Road, Norwich NR5 8HT

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Saturday 5pm Holy Qurbana (Anticipatory)
Sunday 8am Holy Qurbana
10am Mass & Confessions
4pm Holy Qurbana
Wednesday 6pm Mass (UEA Chaplaincy)

### Inviting Applications to The Sibyl Collective - The East Anglia School of Contemporary Catholic Music.

This is an exciting new initiative from the Diocesan Youth Service which seeks to bring together young (age 16-30) contemporary Catholic musicians from around the Diocese. Under the leadership of Fr. Peter Wygnanski, the aim is to grow as a community committed to discipleship in Christ through prayer and praise & worship music, and then to be able to lead others at events and retreats in the Diocese. For more information and to apply, see <a href="https://www.rcdea.org.uk/youth">www.rcdea.org.uk/youth</a>

St Nicholas Christmas Craft Fair will be held on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December in the Narthex, 10:30 to 16:30. We have lots of amazing stallholders selling beautiful, handcrafted gifts, bespoke homeware, and Christmas cake. The Garden Café will be open serving festive food and drinks. With free entry, live music, children's activities, and a visit from St Nicholas we hope to see you there.

POSADA – The tradition of passing the statue of Joseph, Mary, and the donkey from house to house is back for Advent this year. Families are invited to sign up to welcome the Posada into their homes, starting on 3rd December, for an evening of prayer and fellowship. Please sign up on the list at the back of the Cathedral by 19th November to allow sufficient time for the list to be published and circulated. Due to the latest GDPR legislation, the list will only be put up briefly at the weekend masses and then kept securely, so if you can't find the list, please e-mail Jo Graham at <a href="mailto:stjohnfhc@gmail.com">stjohnfhc@gmail.com</a> to book your Posada date.

Counters are needed – in order to fulfil the requirements of our annual parish audit and to comply with the parish handbook we need to have a variety of counters to count the collection every week. Anybody who is interested in helping please contact Fr Alan for more details. Counting takes place at 09:00 Monday mornings for approximately 90 minutes. It is anticipated that you will only be rostered once per calendar month.

**Quiz Night** hosted by the Knights of St Columba on Saturday 25th November 7pm, all welcome, with the proceeds being donated to the "The Feed" in Norwich. Further details and information will follow soon.