

# SECOND WEEK OF LENT

25<sup>th</sup> February 2024 · Year B · Weekday II · Psalter II

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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 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb | SECOND                   | SUNDAY OF LENT        |                              |
|                             | 9am                      | Mass                  | Pro Populo                   |
|                             | 11am                     | Solemn Mass           | Yoskyl Brackley (F) +        |
|                             | 4.30pm                   | Vespers & Benediction | 1                            |
|                             | 5.30pm                   | Mass                  | Jack Richardson +            |
| Monday 26 <sup>th</sup>     | Lent Feria               |                       |                              |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass                  | Robyn Hodgson +              |
| Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup>    | Lent Feria               |                       |                              |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass                  | Private Intention (AC)       |
|                             | 5pm                      | Vespers               |                              |
|                             | 5.30pm                   | Mass                  | Retired Priests & Religious  |
| Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup>  | Lent Feria               |                       |                              |
|                             | 7.30am                   | Mass                  | Chaplain Fr Dempsey +        |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass                  | Peace, Healing & Conversion  |
| Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup>   | Lent Feria               |                       |                              |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass                  | David Bacon +                |
| Friday 1st Mar              | S David, Patron of Wales |                       |                              |
|                             | 7.30am                   | Mass                  | Henry, Duke of Norfolk (F) + |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass & Adoration      | Private Intention (AC)       |
|                             | 12pm                     | Stations of the Cross |                              |
|                             | 6pm                      | Stations of the Cross |                              |
| Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>    | Lent Feria               |                       |                              |
|                             | 10am                     | Mass                  | Youth for Christ             |
|                             | 6pm                      | Mass (Anticipatory)   | Fr John Daley I.C.           |
| Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup>      | THIRD WEEK OF LENT       |                       |                              |
|                             | 9am                      | Mass                  | Mr & Mrs Ric Caasi & family  |
|                             | 11am                     | Solemn Mass           | Victorino Belen +            |
|                             | 3pm                      | Mass [1962 Latin]     | Holy Souls                   |
|                             | 4.30pm                   | Vespers & Benediction | 1                            |
|                             | 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, Gill Horan, Paul Horan, Nancy Horner, Joan Marshall, Joel McDonough, Anne O'Leary, Maria Osorio, Mary Newby, Gary Newton, Isobel O'Connor, Christopher Parish, Canon David Paul, Anthony Preston, Nicholle Sales, Reece Sales, Linda Sheppard, Peter Thorne, Mary Ward, Fr John Warrington, Peter Willets, Adrian Woods, the Wood Family, Patricia Woolley, Isobel Woolner, the Watson Family, and Shane Wissner. [GDPR compliant]

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

794, 620 (psalm), 208, 213, 720, 810

Lenten Talks in the Cathedral – last Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2024, we hosted our first Lenten talk given by our Heritage Officer, Dr Richard Maguire. The talk focussed on the west window of our cathedral and was extremely enlightening and a fascinating expose behind the rich symbolism and dynamic interpretation of the window. On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February, we will host our second talk, this time focusing on the east window; the Passion of Christ and the story of salvation. All are welcome.

The next First Friday Adoration is on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March when there will be Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration will run for the shorter time this month from after the 10 am Mass until midday when there will be Benediction. Please do come and spend quiet time before Our Blessed Lord in this season of Lent in intercession for all our Diocesan priests and Bishop Peter. All Welcome.

"Awake Norwich – Parish Lenten Retreat" – You are warmly invited to join Fr Gladson Dabre OSA and the Transform Ministries team for a weekend of healing, restoration and deepening of your faith and spirituality. The weekend will take place at St John's Cathedral on 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> March, starting on Friday evening and running through the weekend. For more information, please check out the Cathedral website.

**Lenten Booklets** are available at the back of the Church highlighting all services and functions during Lent.

**Stations of the Cross** will take place on the Fridays of Lent at 12pm & 6pm.

**Holy Hours** praying for the Sanctity of Life will take place on **Thursday 7**<sup>th</sup> **March** and **Thursday 14**<sup>th</sup> **March** from **6.30-7.30pm.** There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the time of Adoration will begin with a rosary for life which will be followed by a time of silent prayer. All Welcome.

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 4<sup>th</sup> March and then Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March.

Our Deanery Lenten Station Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral on Tuesday March 12<sup>th</sup>, with Adoration and Confessions from 6 pm followed by Mass at 7pm. Priests will be available for Confession from across the Deanery: this is an excellent opportunity for your Lent Confession.

#### 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, term time only)

## Inviting young adults (age 18-30) to walk the Camino.

Join Bishop Peter as he leads a walking pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela from 21st – 29th July 2024.

For more information and to book a place, please see <a href="https://www.rcdea.org.uk/youth">www.rcdea.org.uk/youth</a>. Places are limited and bookings accepted on a first come first serves basis.

**The SVP** is looking to employ an enthusiastic part time Membership Support Officer to help develop/redevelop SVP conferences in every parish in East Anglia and support struggling conferences. For further information and details how to apply contact Lance Philpott, Head of Membership at lancep@svp.org.uk Closing date for applications is 24<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

A Tower Tour and Mother's Day Event package is available on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March, £25 per person. The tour begins at 12.30pm, followed by afternoon tea at 1.30pm. Please come along either for the whole tour and tea or just for afternoon tea served between 11am – 1.30pm. A deposit is required, and booking is essential.

The Norwich School Choral Society will be joining forces with local music ensemble Norwich Baroque for a concert held at St John's Cathedral on Wednesday 6th March at 7.30pm. Comprising of John Rutter's Requiem, Mendelssohn Hear my Prayer together with Z. Randall Stroope's Omnia Sol. The first movement of Mendelssohn's violin concerto in E minor will be played by Rosemary Zhang, a senior pupil at Norwich School. Tickets are from <a href="https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/norwich-school">www.ticketsource.co.uk/norwich-school</a> also available on the door. £12.50 (Under 25s are free).

Car Parking - Car parking at the Cathedral is extremely limited and we know how difficult it can be to find a space. Please be courteous when parking, to ensure you are not blocking anyone else in, and please leave space on the access routes and gateways to allow Emergency Vehicles in. Please be particularly mindful on Holy Days of Obligation, as well as Sundays, and allow extra time to find parking away from the Cathedral.

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**Please pray for the repose of the soul** of Gilbert Losasso, who has recently died. His requiem mass will take place on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am at Our Lady and St Walstan's Catholic Church Costessey.