

The Parish of St Mary the Virgin, Nunthorpe

1st March, Second Sunday of Lent

9:30 am	Café Church	Hall
10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
11:45 am	Baptism	Church
12:30 pm	Baptism	Church
5:30 pm	Eucharist	Church

Evening readings: Jer.17:5-10. 1 Thess.4:1-8.
Matt.15:21-28.

This Week in the Parish		
Wed 4 th Mar 10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
Wed 4 th Mar 2:00 pm	MU Lent Service	Church
Thu 5 th Mar 10:00 am	Pram Service	Hall
Fri 6 th Mar 2:00 pm	World Day of Prayer	St. Bernadette's
Fri 6 th Mar 6:00 pm	Confirmation Course	Narthex

Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) The date for this year's meeting is Tuesday, 24th March, 7.00 for 7.30 in church. The Yearbook and papers will be on the website soon, and available in printed form in church next week.

Singers Wanted to make up the Centenary Chorus, for their concert on Sunday 17th May (with an all day workshop on Saturday 16th). The only qualification is enjoyment of singing. Please see the Centenary page of the church website for details. *Bill Colombi*.



Quiz Night on Friday, 20th March, 7:00 pm at the Church Hall. A pie and pea supper will be included and tickets cost £12 from any SET members.

Neighbourhood drop in event: Monday 2nd March, 6-8 pm at the Methodist Church. An opportunity for Nunthorpe residents to meet each other, help strengthen our neighbourhood spirit and explore how to best use the new Community Centre. Full details are in Greater Nunthorpe News.

The funeral of Basil Eddershaw will take place on Monday 9th March at 1 pm in church.

World Day of Prayer: Friday, 6th March is World Day of Prayer and a service will be held at St. Bernadette's Church at 2pm. The worship will be prepared by the women of Nigeria. Everyone welcome! *Edith Dobson*.

For prayer and reflection this week:

Today, the Diocese of York prays:

Almighty God, by the prayer and discipline of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We pray for the Nippon Sei Ko Kai.

Those seeking comfort and healing, or who have requested prayer:

We pray for Harry B, Doris L, Becky, Edytha B, Joan L, Madge M, Marie H, Jess, Evelyn & Keith B, Mary H, Diana W, and Amy R.

We pray for Elodie Johnson and Aurora Brady who are being baptised today, asking that God will bless them and their families as they are welcomed into the church.

Years Mind: We remember with thanksgiving: John Lynas, Mary Foxtan, Marjorie Whitfield, Jennifer Jaques, Joseph Wrather, Beatrice Milne, Peter Fenwick, Robert Cross, Elsie Fall, Ray Broadhead, Sidney Brown, Florence Squires, Ann Welch, John Wade, Oswald Fisher, Margaret Stratton, Kenneth Bainbridge, Jean Agar, Marion Andrews, Debi Cuthbert, Mabel Carrass, Doris Boyd, Charlotte Holmes, and Jean Mortlock. May all whom we remember rest in peace and rise in glory!

Next Sunday:

8th March, Third Sunday of Lent

10:00 am	Eucharist	Church
5:30 pm	Evensong	Church

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