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*Thank you for your generosity
 Your offering of an hour's
 earnings supports the ministry and
 mission of our parish.*

Our Parish Family - please pray for:

- those who are unwell; especially David Brown, Christopher Browne, Mary Bryan, Tony Cairns, Mark Cattermole, Anthony Cornforth, Nigel Day, Horace Gaudencio, Gill Gleghorn, Eva Gutowska, Adrian Hambly, Wiliamina Hardy, Fr Michael Hazell, Eric Healey, Lily Healey, Val Irwin, Edward Kay, Isaac Kelly, David Knight, John Knight, Dominic Lee, Paul Major, Alice McLeod, Peter Miller, Margaret O'Rourke, Novelene Parungao, Tom Patten, Brenda Peters, Barry Pollard, Margaret Prodger, Catherine Raine, Frank Reilly, Jennie Ribbans, Ferial Rogers, Max Steel, Fr John Warrington and John Williams. *(New entries in bold)*
- those whose anniversaries are at this time: Albert William Francis Camps, Dorothy Rofix, Elizabeth Mary Mason, Arthur Frederick Cox, Margrit Hermanns, Waosel Nimenko, (Betty) Elizabeth O'Neill Mortlock, Clara Blackett, Joseph Bullen and Catherine Fox. *May they rest in peace.*

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The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):
 Holy Family - Saturday 17.15 - 17.45
Baptisms and Marriages are celebrated by appointment.



THE NEWSLETTER

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Easter Sunday 21st April 2019 Year C

1st Reading Acts 10:34. 37-43
Psalm This day was made by the Lord;
 We rejoice and are glad.

2nd Reading Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel Alleluia, alleluia!
Acclamation *Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed;
 Let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord.
 Alleluia, alleluia!*

Gospel John 20:1-9 (Psalter Week Pr)

Mass Times and Intentions				
Sa	SM	20.00	Easter Vigil Albert Camps (F)	<i>Holy Saturday</i>
Su	SM	09.00	Jennie Ribbans (M & P Beckett)	Easter Sunday
	HF	09.15	Judy Marjoram & family (C Webb)	
	SM	10.30	Thanksgiving to Parishioners (M O'Rourke)	
	SM	18.00	For the People of the Parish	
M				<i>Easter Octave</i>
Tu	SM	09.15	Alan Doran (Jane Doran)	<i>Easter Octave</i>
W	HF	10.00	Maureen Hughes (F Houchill)	<i>Easter Octave</i>
Th	SM	09.15	Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Divine Office)	<i>Easter Octave</i>
F	HF	10.00	Isabel Whittle + (B Keenan)	<i>Easter Octave</i>
Sa	SM	09.30	Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Divine Office)	<i>Easter Octave</i>
	HF	18.00	Teri & Tim Calvert (Morrison)	
Su	SM	09.00	Edward Riches + (P Riches)	2nd Sunday of Easter
	HF	09.15	Gordon Blackburn (C&M Williams)	
	SM	10.30	For the People of the Parish	
	SM	18.00	Margaret O'Rourke (M & A Reeves)	

A Happy & Holy Easter to all

Prayers for those welcomed into the Church at Easter Please keep in your prayers Penny, Janet, Nicholas and Russell who were welcomed into our church over Easter.

Easter Collections and Gift Aid *As you will be aware the collections over the Easter Weekend are your gift to the Parish Clergy.* There has been a recent change in the rules; which now mean the Easter collection qualifies as a Gift Aided donation the same way as regular collections.

For those using the weekly envelopes please use the designated envelope for Easter, however for visitors, those donating by Standing Order and all others, special Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of each church for those who would like their Easter gift to the clergy to be counted towards the Parish Gift Aid Claim.

Christmas collections will also be treated in a similar manner.

There will not be tea/coffee after 9am Mass in St. Mary's on Easter Sunday

Thanks Seven children in Africa will get a hot dinner every day in their school, for a full year - thanks to a lunch held last week in St Mary's Parish. Julian Wong, **Mary's Meals** local representative, spoke and showed a heart-warming film about the beginnings and flourishing work of Mary's Meals from its humblest beginnings in Scotland. Thanks to all who supported this wonderful charity.



Praying the Rosary Continues on Wednesday afternoon from 2pm - 2.45pm in the Susan York Room at the back of St. Mary's Church, all are invited to come along and pray the Rosary.



Silent Prayer/Meditation (7.30-8.20) Tues, April 23rd -at the home of Penny & John Cassidy, 14 St Anthony's Crescent. IP4 4SY. Contact 01473399778 if you need further information. All welcome

Divine Mercy Devotion Sunday 28th April Canon Michael Hazell will lead the Divine Mercy Devotion for the Deanery in St James' Catholic Church, Landseer Road, Ipswich, IP3 9LU. The devotion will begin at 2.00 pm with a Holy Hour of Adoration during which Confession will be available. This will be followed at 3.00 pm by Veneration of the Image, recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Vespers. There will be refreshments in the hall afterwards. All are welcome

Indian Meal at St James' Sat 11th May hosted by *Support for World in Need*. Come and enjoy an authentic three course Indian Meal in St James' Parish Hall, 482 Landseer Road, Ipswich, IP3 9LU at 7.30 pm. £15 per person, bring your own drinks. Raffle. To book phone 01473 271671.

L'Arche Ipswich, Woodbridge Road, has a vacancy for a live-in or live-out Deputy House Animator (Leader). This role would suit someone who has worked with people with learning disabilities and has an interest in community. For further details please contact Emily Nunn on 01473 216362 or email at Emily.nunn@larche.org.uk

Mary Magdalene in History, Literature and Film. Professor Joan Taylor, with an enviable long list of degrees and awards including Honorary Research Fellow in the Departments of History and Jewish Studies at University College London, will give a talk on Mary Magdalene - both in terms of ancient evidence and how this controversial person has been viewed in more modern times. **Thursday 2nd May at 7.30pm at the Co-op Education Centre.** Free car park, entrance on Waterworks Street IP4 1JG. £5 includes refreshments and home made cake. Everyone welcome at our very friendly Suffolk Theology Forum meeting.

New Parish Gift Aid Organiser Required Ian Parker has been the Parish Gift Aid organiser for over ten years and is now looking to stand-down, consequently the Parish is looking for a volunteer to replace him.

The role involves, firstly, in March the distribution of boxes of Gift Aid envelopes for the new tax year, secondly, explaining and encouraging new people to sign-up to Gift Aid and answering any questions or queries, and thirdly, after the end of the tax year preparing the Parish claim for Gift Aid to be submitted to the Diocese who make the claim to HMRC for all the parishes in the Diocese.

If you are interested in taking on this important job for the Parish please contact Ian Parker, telephone 01472 729927 email ian.j.parker@btinternet.com. He will be happy to explain in more detail what is involved and answer any questions. Alternatively let Fr Tony or Eleanor know you are interested and Ian can contact you and explain what is involved.