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<https://st-mary.org.uk/gift-aid>

With grateful thanks for your continued support.

Our Parish Family - please pray for:

- Those who are unwell; especially Sheena Barker, David Brown, Jose Brown, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Mary Bryan, Tony Cairns, Nigel Day, Arabella Garrett, Gill Gleghorn, Adrian Hambly, Lily Healey, Val Irwin, Sandra Jones, Edward Kay, Audrey Kelly, David Knight, Paul Major, Maria Maltby, Alice McLeod, Joan McPhillips, John McPhillips, Margaret O'Rourke, Tom Patten, Brenda Peters, Ferial Rogers, Max Steel, Fr John Warrington and John Williams. *(New entries in bold)*
- Those whose anniversaries are at this time: Maurice McLaughlin, John McManahan, James Melia, Sybil Hazelton, Phyllis Beaumont, Margaret Kelly, Helena Olejnik, Francis (Frank) Joseph Reilly, Elena Waller, Bruce Cooper, Kenneth Howard, Mary Martin, Daisy Olga Castelino, Irene Talbot, Dorothea Robinson Turner, Jennifer (Jennie) Ann Ribbans, Edward Terence McKenna and Joseph Wicks. *May they rest in peace.*

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The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): By appointment
Baptisms and Marriages are celebrated by appointment.

How to access live streaming and other useful links can be found on the parish website <https://www.st-mary.org.uk> You can link directly to the parish YouTube channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCJ4RA2ocNUgNNombaKiy5A>



THE NEWSLETTER

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The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 25 July 2021 Year B

1st Reading 2 Kings 4:42-44

Psalm

Open wide your hand, O Lord,
and grant our desires.

2nd Reading Ephesians 4:1-6

Gospel

Alleluia, alleluia!

Acclamation

*Your words are spirit, Lord,
and they are life:
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia!*

Gospel John 6:1-15

(Psalter Week 1)

Mass Times and Intentions

Sa	HF	18.00	Open Intention	
Su	SM	09.00	Fr John Warrington (Bridget, Stephen & fam)	LS 17th ordinary Sunday 25th July
	HF	09.15	Deceased of Jolly & Clover Families (F)	
	SM	10.30	Dr Maire Heley + (Jean Johnson)	
	SM	18.00	For the People of the Parish	
M	SM	09.15	For the Elderly of the Parish	LS SS Joachim & Anne
Tu	SM	09.15	For the Election of New Bishop	LS Feria
W	SM	09.15	Open Intention	LS Feria
	HF	10.00	David Phelan (P & V Leason)	
Th	SM	09.15	Souls in Purgatory (Teresa)	LS St Martha
F	HF	10.00	Calvert Family (Morrison)	LS Feria
	SM	17.30	Lina Pucci + (Eleanor & Laurence)	
Sa	SM	09.30	Chris McNeff (Julie Febvre)	LS St Ignatius of Loyola
	HF	18.00	Kim & Mike Grant (Morrison)	
Su	SM	09.00	Jennie Ribbans + (Family)	LS 18th ordinary Sunday 1st August
	HF	09.15	Rev. Pat McHugh (F)	
	SM	10.30	Noemi Doblas + (Melvin & Lani)	
	SM	18.00	For the People of the Parish	

HF Holy Family

SM St Mary's

LS Live Streamed

Covid-19 Route Map: Step 4 Guidance The full text of the Catholic Bishops Conference guidance for the latest step in lifting lockdown restrictions can be found either at cbcew.org.uk or follow the link on our [parish website](#). In summary it stresses the general principles of continuing to create a safe environment in places of worship and their ancillary buildings are not abandoned. Also, to be found on the CBCEW [website](#) is information regarding Sunday Obligation.

*... It is our continuing judgement, therefore, that it is not possible at the present time for all of the faithful to attend Mass on a Sunday thus fulfilling their duty to God.
It is hoped that it will be possible for all Catholics in England and Wales to fulfil this most important Church precept, that of the Sunday Obligation, by the First Sunday in Advent 2021 (November 28).
In the meantime, all Catholics are asked to do their best to participate in the celebration of the weekly Sunday Mass and to reflect deeply on the centrality of Sunday worship in the life of the Church. ...*

Here in St. Mary's Parish, in both our churches, the measures that have been put in place to keep everyone safe will remain in place for now.

Use of **hand sanitiser** on entering the church.

Wearing of **face coverings** in church.

Ventilation of buildings (especially during and between services)

Maintaining a good standard of **routine cleaning**.

Track and Trace (QR codes or paper slips) remain in use.

The **Offertory Collection** will remain as a static collection with remote or contactless giving continuing to be an option.

The physical exchange of the **Sign of Peace** remains suspended.

Holy Communion will continue under one kind. Communion is recommended to be distributed in the hand, but if people wish to receive on the tongue, they should wait until the end of the communion line and receive then.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation This weekend is the **closing date** for all applications to participate in the preparation classes beginning in September for either sacrament. Full details of how to apply and forms can be found on the [parish website](#). The forms will no longer be available after this weekend.

St. Mary's & Holy Family Parish Party

St Mary's Hall & Gardens

Sept 4th 12-3pm

Bring your own picnic lunch

Light drinks and Fairy Cakes supplied

Live music: Jazz Trio & Ukulele Band

Grand Raffle in aid of Alzheimer's Society

Presents needed

Discernment weekend for men between the ages of 30 and 55, run by The Beda College in Rome, takes place at St Beuno's Jesuit Spirituality Centre in North Wales from Friday 3 Sep to Sunday 5 Sep 2021. The weekend is a first step for those who may be exploring the possibility of priestly vocation in later life. Information and registration forms are available at: <https://www.pathwaystogod.org/courses-events-retreats/discernment-weekend-older-men-1>

Suffolk Churches Ride and Stride on Saturday 11 Sept between 9am and 5pm. Both of our churches will be open to welcome visitors. Very soon volunteers will be sought to help man the churches and welcome visitors, so please check your diaries and consider giving an hour to help out. If you are considering taking part either by cycling or walking, sponsorship forms are available from Deacon Chris or the parish secretary. For more information on the history of this event and what it is all about please visit shct.org.uk

Joanne and Stephen Aguilar-Millan have now moved to Felixstowe so it is with sadness that we have to say goodbye to our parish family at St Mary's. During the past 30 years we have experienced so much, from baptisms to weddings, Bryan's sausage suppers to Keralan curry nights; from pilgrimages to Lourdes to the children's pilgrimage to Walsingham; school fetes, first holy communions, the list is endless, but most of all to you, the people. It has been wonderful, year after year, seeing the new generations coming into the church and we are sure that under the guidance of Fr Peter and Fr Paul and Deacon Chris the parish will continue to thrive. So all that is left for us to say is, thank you and God Bless.