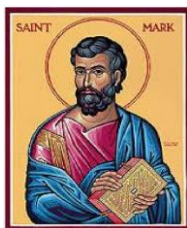


# Parish Information



# ST MARK'S ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

R.C. Diocese of East Anglia: A Registered Charity (Charity commission No 278742)

The Parish of St Mark includes St Mark's Church in Ipswich (IP2 0QQ) & The Church of the Holy Family in Brantham (CO11 1TB)

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## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: St Mark's

Fridays – 11:40-12:10  
**Holy Family**  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the  
Month – 09:20 - 09:50

## CONFESSIONS:

### **St Mark's:**

Fridays: 11:50 - 12:10  
Saturdays: 17:00 – 17:20

### **Holy Family:**

Sundays before Mass  
Tuesdays before or after Mass

26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – Year A		
Responsorial Psalm – “Remember your mercy, Lord”		
26th Week of the year		
MASS & PRAYER TIMES: 27th - 3rd OCTOBER 2020		
<b>SAT 26th</b>	<b>17:30 St Mark's Vigil Mass</b> Offered For: Peter Davison	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>SUN 27th</b>	<b>09:00 Holy Family</b> Offered For: Jeremy Moss (RIP)	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	<b>11:00 St Mark's</b> Offered For: Private Intention	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>MON 28th</b>	<b>09:30 St Mark's</b> Offered For: Lorna Cooper and family	Feria.
<b>TUES 29th</b>	<b>09:30 St Mark's</b> SS MICHAEL, GABRIEL & RAPHAEL, Archangels. Offered For: Intentions of Grace O Conor	
	<b>10:00 Holy Family</b> Offered For: Terry and Violet Felton	
<b>WEDS 30th</b>	<b>09:30 St Mark's</b> Offered For: Bridget Collins (RIP)	S Jerome PD Mem.
<b>THURS 1st</b>	<b>09:30 St Mark's</b> Offered For: Margaret Kathleen Smith (RIP)	S Therese of the Child Jesus VD. Mem.
<b>FRI 2nd</b>	<b>12:15 St Mark's + Adoration at 11:40</b> Mem. Offered For: All Souls	The Holy Guardian Angels.
<b>SAT 3rd</b>	<b>17:30 St Mark's Vigil Mass</b> Offered For: Lucy and Ben	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>SUN 4th</b>	<b>09:00 Holy Family</b> Offered For: Fr Pat Reynolds	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	<b>11:00 St Mark's</b> Offered For: Lynn Sellers (RIP)	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



## POPE FRANCIS ON LOVE IN THE FAMILY

To love like Christ is not easy because we are often so weak. But just to try to love as Christ loved us shows that Christ shares his own risen life with us. In this way, our lives demonstrate his power at work – even in the midst of human weakness.

**Ipswich Hospital:** Ipswich Hospital Catholic Chaplaincy will now be covered by Fr. Bineesh Elenjikkal, assisted by Deacon Clive Brooks. Please be aware that for reasons of patient confidentiality, the current practice in the NHS is NOT to inform the chaplains of any Catholics that are admitted to hospital. So unless you or your relatives inform the chaplains of your hospital stay yourselves, you will not be visited by a priest or any other member of the chaplaincy team.  
Fr. Paul and Fr Bineesh can be contacted on 07549 695648 or 01473 684963

## **CAFOD FAST DAY**

This week our parish is marking CAFOD's Family Fast Day to help people facing the worst of the coronavirus crisis. We've all felt the impact of this terrible disease – let's come together to help the poorest and most vulnerable people in the world survive, rebuild and heal. Please pray for all those affected and donate online at [cafod.org.uk/give](https://cafod.org.uk/give) or by using one of the envelopes. You can also give easily via text. Text CAFOD to 70085 to donate £10. *Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text CAFODNOINFO to 70085. For more information please see our Privacy Policy: [cafod.org.uk/Legal-information/Privacy-notice](https://cafod.org.uk/Legal-information/Privacy-notice)*

## **RED BOX HOLDERS**

Thank you to everyone, who has handed in their Red Boxes or sent donation direct to me. Missio magazines are available at the back of the church (only for a short while due to Covid 19). If you contact me 682477, I am happy to deliver or post one to you. By Jenny.

## **CLEANING ROTA APPEAL FOR ST MARK'S**

We have a dedicated team of helpers who do a marvellous job cleaning the church every week. We usually work in teams of 2 people, working together for a couple of hours a week. It's on a rota basis, presently about once a month for each team. It would be really helpful if some more people could join us so each team has a longer period between cleaning sessions. As one of the team says "This is a way of giving back to the church and helping our church community". Please speak to Gloria or Fr Paul.

## **ST MARK'S PARISH 100 CLUB**

The 102nd draw of the St Mark's 100 Club, set up to raise funds to support the life and mission of our Parish, took place last Sunday 20 September 2020, at the promoter's home and witnessed by a club member Greg Fenby Taylor using FaceTime. This month the 100 Club raised £165 for the Parish. Congratulations to the winners of this month's prize fund all of whom I'm sure will await their cheque in the post:

1st Prize £90.75 – Number 111; 2nd Prize £49.50 – Number 58 ; 3rd Prize £24.75– Number 127.

**We welcome new members to the Club or if you are already a member why not take out another number before next month's draw?** Either will increase your chance of winning a valuable prize! We have 165 numbers taken to date; WITH YOUR SUPPORT how soon can we make it 200? When we achieve 182 our first prize will be £100 !

Application Forms may be found at the back of the church or on the Parish website [www.stmarksparish.org.uk](https://www.stmarksparish.org.uk) or email [mgforsyth@outlook.com](mailto:mgforsyth@outlook.com) or ring Graeme Forsyth on 01206 399049. The next draw is planned to take place on Sunday 18 October 2020

## **MARRIAGE**

Next Saturday at 11 am there is marriage of our parishner Lucy Beeho to Benjamin in St Mark's.

**THANK YOU** for last week's collection, which amounted to £ 355 and Second collection £200. Thanks for your generosity.