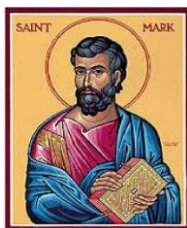


Parish Information



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
2nd and 4th 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

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – Year A

Responsorial Psalm – “Give the Lord glory and power”

29th Week of the year

MASS & PRAYER TIMES: 18th - 24th OCTOBER 2020

SAT 17th	17:30 St Mark's Vigil Mass Offered For: Jenny Newing	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
SUN 18th	09:00 Holy Family Offered For: Beryl and Edwin	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:00 St Mark's Offered For: John West (RIP)	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
MON 19th	09:30 St Mark's Offered For: Barbie Alexander (RIP)	Feria.
TUES 20th	09:30 St Mark's Offered For: Maura Solon	Feria.
	10:00 Holy Family Offered For: Rita Vincent	
WEDS 21st	09:30 St Mark's Offered For: Val Van Walwyk	Feria.
THURS 22nd	09:30 St Mark's Offered For: Private Intentions (Fr Paul's Birthday)	Feria.
FRI 23rd	12:15 St Mark's + Adoration at 11:40 Offered For: K T Thomas (RIP)	Feria.
SAT 24th	17:30 St Mark's Vigil Mass Offered For: Kathleen Ellen Galloway	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
SUN 25th	09:00 Holy Family Offered For: Val and Terry Felton	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:00 St Mark's Offered For: Nanette Daniels	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



POPE FRANCIS ON LOVE IN THE FAMILY

Holiness is experiencing, in union with Christ, the mysteries of his life. It consists in uniting ourselves to the Lord's death and resurrection in a unique and personal way, constantly dying and rising anew with him.

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

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Due to Covid 19 First Holy Communion classes stopped at Easter 2020. Covid 19 will still be with us next year and as such we will concentrate on this group of children so they can finally make their First Holy Communion. Confirmed dates of the restarted lessons will follow shortly.

This will mean that we will not start any new groups until 2022.

Please keep our children in your prayers. They have worked so hard and have waited so long, they deserve to have a love day at the end of all this.

Thank you, Lisa and Sheila,

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

This Sunday is the world mission Sunday, when the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for mission, his charity for world mission. Please support Missio in helping missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Join in on this special day, that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer and celebration of our church's mission to share God's love with all people- 'here I am send me'. Please call 02078219755 (office hours) or visit the Missio website to give a single gift, set up a direct debit and gift aid your donation, if possible: mission.org.uk

St PANCRAS CHURCH

As Fr Russel Frost is retiring from St. Pancras Church, it will be taken care of by St Mary's and St Mark's church jointly from November 7th onwards.

THANKS

Thanks to Jenny Newing for the great effort to coordinate the mission Boxes. Last years collection is £1170.97. Thanks for your hard work.

NEW ARRIVALS

We now have a great selection of very reasonably priced Christmas cards, Christmas Mass cards, Advent calendars and diaries in the repository at the back of the church.

PARISH FINANCES

Covid 19 has meant a very serious hole in our Parish finances, with our weekly collections seriously down, whilst we are still having to cover our fixed costs.

The 100 Club was set up to raise funds to support the life and mission of our Parish and in the past six months £1,035 was raised and a cheque for this sum was recently passed to Fr Paul.

So, knowing we welcome new members to the Club why not join now? If you are already a member, why not take out another number before the next month's draw on 18 October when the prize pot of £165 will be shared by three lucky winners?

Application Forms may be found at the back of the church or on the Parish website www.stmarksparish.org.uk or email mgforsyth@outlook.com or ring Graeme Forsyth on 01206 399049 for further details

THANK YOU for last week's collection, which amounted to £ 375.10 Thanks for your generosity.