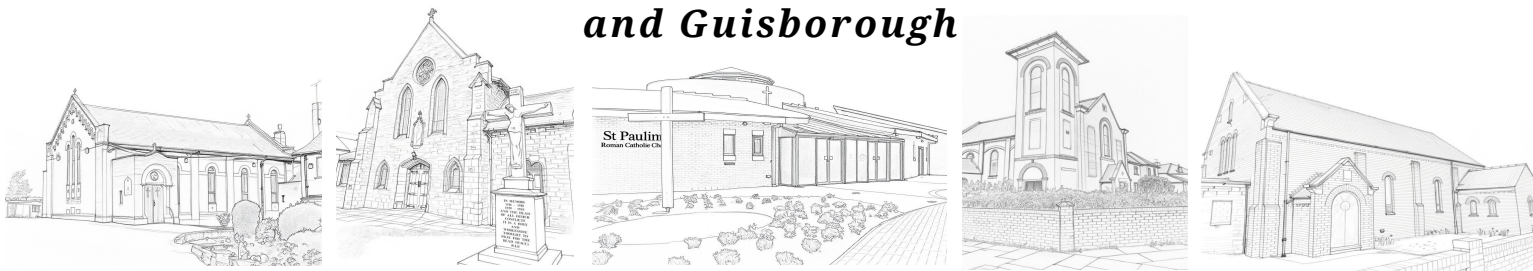


# Newsletter for the Catholic Parishes of Redcar & Marske, Saltburn, and Guisborough



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## THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

**1st Reading:** Acts 2:14a, 36-41 **Psalm:** 23(22):1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 *'The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.'*

**2nd Reading:** 1 Peter 2:20b-25 **Alleluia, alleluia.** I am the good shepherd, says the Lord. I know my sheep and my own know me. **Alleluia. Gospel:** John 10:1-10

Day:	Time:	Church:	Celebration	Mass Intentions:
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes St. Augustine St. Paulinus	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	Elise Lindop Phil Robinson Laurie Savage (RIP)
Sunday	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:30 am	Sacred Heart St. Paulinus Our Lady of Lourdes St. Bede		<i>People of the Parishes</i> Michael Morrissey (Repose of the Soul) Mr Francisco Macato (Repose of the Soul) George Mockett (On His Confirmation)
Monday	<b>9:10am</b> 10:00 am	<b>Sacred Heart School</b> St. Paulinus	4th Week of Eastertide	<i>Priest's Intention</i> <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Tuesday	10:00 am 7:00 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes St. Augustine	4th Week of Eastertide	Michael Morrissey (RIP) Kathleen Fennon (RIP)
Wednesday	9:30 am 11:00 am	Sacred Heart St. Bede	SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA	Jane & James Tymon Pat Willan (RIP)
Thursday	9:30 am 10:00 am	Sacred Heart St. Paulinus	4th Week of Eastertide	Thanksgiving <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Friday	9:30 am 10:00 am	Sacred Heart Our Lady of Lourdes	4th Week of Eastertide	Thanksgiving Michael Morrissey (RIP)
Saturday	9:30 am	Sacred Heart	Saint Athanasius	Mary Lloyd (RIP)
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes St. Augustine St. Paulinus	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	Michael Morrissey (RIP) Christine Cusack (RIP) Eileen Dobson (Repose of the Soul)
Sunday	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:30 am	Sacred Heart St. Paulinus Our Lady of Lourdes St. Bede		Margaret Cheall (RIP) Don Dykes (RIP) <i>People of the Parishes</i> Mavis Collins (RIP)

All Masses and liturgies celebrated in Sacred Heart are livestreamed on YouTube. Search 'Blessed Nicholas Postgate, Redcar and Marske'. Please be aware when attending Mass here that you can be seen near the altar on the online stream.

## ADORATION

**Monday 4:30-6pm at St. Paulinus**  
Silent adoration: a time for private prayer. Just pop in for as long as you need.

**Friday 7-8pm at St. Paulinus**  
Adoration accompanied by music, intercession, and silent prayer

**Saturday 10-11am at Sacred Heart**  
Quiet time in the Lord's presence

## CONFESSIONS

Sacred Heart: Saturday 10-11am

Our Lady of Lourdes: Saturday 4:30-4:50pm

St. Paulinus: Saturday 5-5:30pm

St. Augustine's: Saturday 5:30-5:50pm

St. Bede's: Sunday 11-11:20am

Also available on request

## CLUSTER NOTICES

**This Weekend there will be a Second Collection for the Priests' Training Fund.**

**\*Next Weekend\* Lourdes 2nd Collection** - On 2nd/3rd May we will be having a collection to support the Lourdes Pilgrimage. Owing to the increased cost of jet fuel, the airline has added an additional charge for each pilgrim. The cost of the pilgrimage is already high, so rather than add this burden to the pilgrims themselves - many of whom are elderly or young people from our schools - there will be a Diocesan wide 2nd collection, to help alleviate this unexpected cost.

**Have Your Say on the Future of the Dioceses of Middlesbrough & Leeds** - Fill in the form via: [www.middlesbrough-diocese.org.uk/consultation](http://www.middlesbrough-diocese.org.uk/consultation) by 22/5/26

**RECENTLY DECEASED** ~ Please pray for:  
Pat Willan, William O'Hara, Patricia Harrison, Frank Harker, Michael Morrissey

## CLERGY REFLECTION:

We are so familiar with the words, *Through Him, With Him and in Him*, aren't we? We hear them as the priest prays the Eucharistic prayer each time we come to Mass. This prayer is called the doxology and, as I'm sure you are aware, is a beautiful moment in which we adore and thank God, and affirm our prayers.

Today's Gospel reminds us how it is through our relationship with the Lord, how walking with him in our heart and living an authentic relationship in his name, that we have the joy of living life to the full. So perhaps each day this week we could start our day by saying *Through Him, With Him, and In Him* as we pray for his blessings and guidance in our lives.  
~ Deacon Tom

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# PARISH OF BLESSED NICHOLAS POSTGATE

Incorporating the Churches of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine, and St. Bede

## SACRED HEART



Lobster Road  
Redcar, TS10 1SH

## ST. AUGUSTINE'S



Warwick Road  
Redcar, TS10 2ER

## ST. BEDE'S



Southfield Road  
Marske, TS11 7BP

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*This Saturday, we celebrate the baptism of Esme at St. Augustine's Church. We welcome her into God's family and our parish community, and we keep her in our prayers.*

**\*This Week\* Mass Change: Monday 27th April** - The usual Sacred Heart 9:30am Mass will instead be at 9:10am at Sacred Heart School. This is to celebrate the start of the summer term. All parishioners welcome! If attending, please make sure you arrive early so we can start promptly at 9:10am.

**'Lourdes Active Challenge' A Message from the Lourdes Fundraising Group** - Angela O'Brien, a keen cyclist, will lead us as we journey (virtually) to Lourdes from Teesside, a distance of 1037 miles. We'd like you to join us, either cycle, walk or run and let us know the number of miles you've completed as you do them. We'll add all the miles together and hopefully as a parish cluster, we'll reach our destination. If you'd like to sponsor Angela and/or encourage your friends and family to do the same, put your donations and/or the miles you've covered in the small envelopes available at each church. We'll then chart our journey on the poster. Thank you for your support.

**Tesco Tokens for St. Bede's Primary** - St. Bede's has been successful in bidding for funding from Tesco's Stronger Starts initiative. But now they need your help! Starting on Tuesday 28th April, every time you shop in Tesco, pick up a blue token from the checkout and drop it in the collection boxes in store, to support our School in gaining as much funding as possible. The more tokens they collect, the more money they get. The voting boxes are in the Redcar store, but also across some of the Middlesbrough stores too. Good luck St. Bede's!

**Raffle Winner at St. Bede's** - There is one prize unclaimed from Syd & Yvonne's raffle before Easter: Blue 216.

**Quiz Night** - Are you ready to have your knowledge tested with another quiz? Save the date: Friday 22nd May. Tickets £6, available very soon!

**Lent Smarties Challenge** - Please return your tubes by Pentecost - Sunday 24th May.

Mass Attendance Last Weekend in Blessed Nicholas Postgate

Time	Adults	Children	Total
6:00pm SA	67	1	68
9:30am SH	89	11	100
11:30am SB	61	8	69
	217	20	237

**\*Starts This Week\* Organ Restoration at Sacred Heart** - After securing funding from The National Lottery Heritage Fund, as well as the Benefact Trust, and generous parishioner donations, **work will begin on the restoration on Wednesday 29th April**, for around three months. During this time the organ will be out of action and the organ loft will be inaccessible. In the interim, we'll have a keyboard to continue our church music. Exciting times ahead!



Thanks to National Lottery players.

**Do you have a favourite hymn you love to hear on the organ?** Let us know about it using our Organ Memory cards. As part of the project, we'll be putting together a collection of your favourite hymns with the idea of creating a small scrapbook of memories, as well as the possibility of a recording/sing-along-concert once the organ is restored to its former glory. **We'd love to add your favourites to our list!** Currently we have: Here I am Lord, I Watch the Sunrise, Ave Maria, Be Thou My Vision, Do Not Be Afraid, Follow Me, Shine Jesus Shine, and Abide With Me. If your favourite has yet to make our list, pick up a card from the back table at Sacred Heart, and leave us a note!

**Missio Boxes** - Please bring your red mission boxes to church for emptying. Our parish reps are Edel Gittins & Paul Hart.

### Regular Activities at Blessed Nicholas Postgate

**Children's Liturgy** - Every Sunday Mass during term time at Sacred Heart and Saint Bede's.

**Bede's Brunch** - St. Bede's, 10am, one Sunday a month. New dates: 17/5/26, 28/6/26

**Legion of Mary** - Mondays, 10am, Sacred Heart

**Scripture Group** - Thursdays, 10am, Sacred Heart

**Sunday Coffee** - Every Sunday after Sacred Heart & St. Bede's Masses

**Wednesday Coffee** - Every Wednesday after St. Bede's 11am Mass

**First Friday Coffee** - 1st Friday of the month after Sacred Heart's 9:30am Mass.

# PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES



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or sent direct to  
[coastal.cluster@rcdmidd.org.uk](mailto:coastal.cluster@rcdmidd.org.uk)

**Sunday Donation Envelopes** - Please pick up your Sunday Donation Envelopes from the back of Church. Sorry I was late in getting them ready for collection. If you would like to make a Standing Order, please add your name to the Standing Order sheet at the back of church. If you would prefer envelopes then please add your name to the Envelope Sheet. If you pay tax, then if you Gift Aid your donation, the Parish will receive an extra 25% of your donation amount from the Government Tax Office. If you have any questions, please ask me - Liam Gardiner - or send me an email via [liam.gardiner2@ntlworld.com](mailto:liam.gardiner2@ntlworld.com)

**Stella Maris Donations** - If you have any rosary beads or religious medals you would like to donate to our seafarers, please place them in the box at the back of church. Thank you.

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## Regular Activities at Our Lady of Lourdes

**First Sunday Coffee** - 1st Sunday of the month after the 10am Mass. Held in the Scout Hut, just a few yards up the road. Everyone welcome!

**Praying the Rosary** - Every Friday at 9:30am before Mass and on Wednesday evenings at 7pm

**Football Cards** - £2 a number, available at the back of Church. This supports parish funds.

## OUR CLUSTER SCHOOLS



### St. Benedict's Primary

Mersey Road, Redcar, TS10 1LS  
[enquiries@stbenedicts.npcat.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@stbenedicts.npcat.org.uk)  
01642 495770  
Executive Head: Mrs K. Sill  
Head of School: Mrs S. Dickinson



### St. Bede's Primary

Redcar Road, Marske, TS11 6AE  
[enquiries@stbedes.npcat.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@stbedes.npcat.org.uk)  
01642 485217  
Head Teacher: Ms L. Smith



### St. Paulinus Primary

The Avenue, Guisborough, TS14 8DN  
[enquiries@stpaulinus.npcat.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@stpaulinus.npcat.org.uk)  
01287 637978  
Executive Head: Mrs A. McClurey  
Head of School: Mrs R. Bircham



### Sacred Heart Secondary

Mersey Road, Redcar, TS10 1PJ  
[enquiries@sacredheart.npcat.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@sacredheart.npcat.org.uk)  
01642 487100  
Head Teacher: Mrs L. Dwyer

# WE'RE HIRING!

Deputy Headteacher

St Bede's Catholic Primary School,  
Marske-by-the-Sea

APPLY BY  
Friday May 8 2026, 9am

More info available at [npcat.org.uk/current-vacancies](http://npcat.org.uk/current-vacancies)

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# PARISH OF ST. PAULINUS



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 [facebook.com/StPaulinusParishChurchGuisborough](https://facebook.com/StPaulinusParishChurchGuisborough)

**CAUSE Foundation Summer Event: Carvery & Cake** - Saturday 6th June, 1-5pm, Middlesbrough Golf Club (Brass Castle Lane, TS8 9EE). Tickets are £25 each. Don't miss out!! Not many tickets left for this truly special event, which hopes to raise much-needed funds to continue the vital work of the CAUSE Foundation. The event also includes a raffle, bottle surprise, live music, and a free prize draw. For tickets and further information, please contact Marie Kilgallon Tel: 07432 712237. Donations of bottles (filled!!) would be most welcome.

**If Only We had the Same Faith - The Power of the Holy Rosary** - *Recently we were given a copy of a true story, written by one of our parishioners a number of years ago. We thought it would be nice to share it once again with everyone, especially as we enter the month of May:*

My country was occupied by the Hitler regime. We civilian people were made to work as a forced labour, and near the civilian people were prisoners of war who were made to work very hard. The Red Cross had not found out if they were alive or not for six months or longer. They were given very poor food and very little. The weather was very cold and some men were ill.

My Father said to my Mam, "Yes, we must help these men so they will get back to their homeland." We had very little food but we were free and not behind barbed wire. We put some food on the roadside into a heap of stones, with a marking. This was fine for a long time but one day the Gestapo police came to take my Father away. I went forward and said that I walked there and not my Father. So they took me to the Gestapo headquarters for interrogation.

I was given a piece of bread and water but I did not eat the bread; I made it into Rosary beads and I prayed Our Lady's prayers. I was taken each day for questioning and the Gestapo men were not nice, but I was not frightened as I had in my hand the greatest weapon, the Rosary.

One day they said to me, "All the people who come here, they tremble and are very frightened and you are not; why is that so?" I said, "I have done nothing wrong." In my hand I squeezed the Rosary beads and prayed and I felt Our Lady, our Mother was with me and I was with her.

*Dear people, please pray the Holy Rosary as I know our Dear Mother was with me as I was with her and she saved*

**'Go and Make Disciples': A Day of Reflection** - Saturday 9th May, 10am-3pm, Hinsley Hall, Leeds. Join the Dominican Sisters of St. Joseph for a beautiful day of reflection as together we explore our mission to share the faith with joy, confidence, and hope. Mass celebrated by Bishop Marcus Stock. This is a free event, with lunch provided. [Please book by Friday 1st May using the QR code.](#)



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**Prayer Box** - If you have any prayer intentions, please place them in the box near the Tabernacle labelled "ASK". These intentions will be silently offered at each Adoration.

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## Regular Activities at St. Paulinus

**Scripture Prayer Groups** - Tuesday & Wednesday evenings. If you would like to join one of the groups please email [emmamorrison1@live.com](mailto:emmamorrison1@live.com) for more information.

**Coffee Mornings** - Sundays & Thursdays after morning Mass in the hall. Everyone is warmly invited to join us.

**Craft Group** - On Thursdays after the coffee morning. Anyone interested in joining the craft group, please speak to Morita and Margaret.

**Children's Liturgy** - Every Sunday Mass during term time.

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## Mass Intentions Gratefully Received This Week:

Thanksgiving, Bernard Hunt, John Coulthard,  
Michael Morrissey