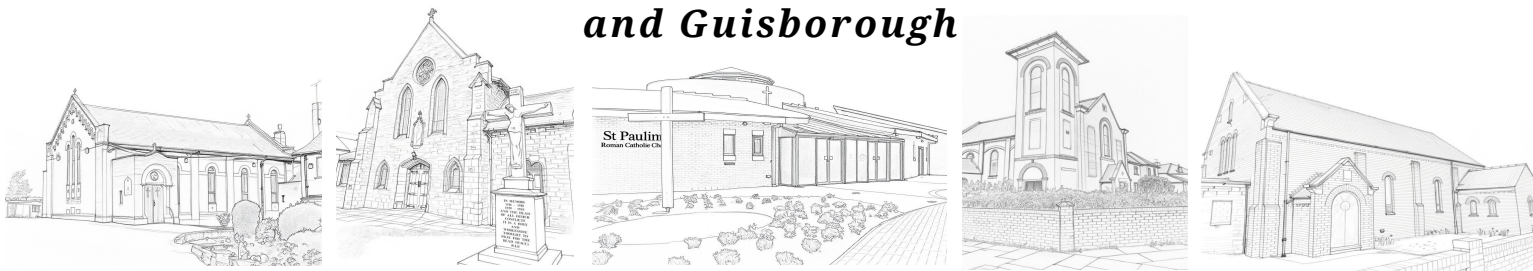


Newsletter for the Catholic Parishes of Redcar & Marske, Saltburn, and Guisborough



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THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Acts 6:1-7 **Psalm:** 33(32):1-2, 4-5, 18-19 *'May your merciful love be upon us, as we hope in you, O Lord.'*

2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9 **Alleluia, alleluia. I am the way, and the truth, and the life, says the Lord. No one comes to the Father except through me. Alleluia. Gospel:** John 14:1-12

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	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	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)
Monday	9:30am 10:00 am	Sacred Heart St. Paulinus	THE ENGLISH MARTYRS	Leslie Roberts (Repose of the Soul) Catherine Conwell (RIP)
Tuesday	10:00 am 7:00 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes St. Augustine	5th Week of Eastertide	<i>Priest's Intention</i> Birthday Thanksgiving - Fr. Ferdinand
Wednesday	9:30 am 11:00 am	Sacred Heart St. Bede	5th Week of Eastertide	Josephine Keane (RIP) For 3 People Who Are Unwell
Thursday	7:00 pm	Sacred Heart	St. John of Beverley, Diocesan Patron	Peter Hill
Friday	9:30 am 10:00 am	Sacred Heart Our Lady of Lourdes	5th Week of Eastertide	Kenny Family <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Saturday	9:30 am	Sacred Heart	5th Week of Eastertide	Edna Little
Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm	Our Lady of Lourdes St. Augustine St. Paulinus	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	The Morrissey Family Jack & Josie Laws (RIP) <i>People of the Parishes</i>
Sunday	9:30 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:30 am	Sacred Heart St. Paulinus Our Lady of Lourdes St. Bede		Marie Marshall (RIP) Jim Barker (RIP) Kate Connelly Sarah – Return to Good Health

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

Happy 40th Birthday Fr. Ferdinand! (Tue)

***This Weekend* Lourdes 2nd Collection** - 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 by 22/5/26

Cathedral Ruby Jubilee Thanksgiving Mass - Friday 15th May, 7pm. *There will be no Masses in our Cluster today as everyone is encouraged to attend the Cathedral.*

RECENTLY DECEASED ~ Please pray for: William O'Hara, Patricia Harrison, Frank Harker, Michael Morrissey, Freda Duncan

CLERGY REFLECTION: This Sunday, the readings encourage us to place our trust fully in Jesus and hold on to hope, especially during difficult times. In the Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples, "Do not let your hearts be troubled... I am the way, the truth, and the life." These words bring comfort and remind us that Jesus is our guide to the Father and the one we follow each day. In the first reading from Acts, we see the early Church growing, as believers from different backgrounds come together to serve. This shows that the Church grows stronger when people work in unity and care for one another. In the second reading, Peter describes us as "living stones" built into a spiritual house, showing that each person has value and a role in God's plan. Today's readings call us to trust Jesus, support one another, and stay faithful, even when life feels uncertain.

~ Fr. Ferdinand

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ST. AUGUSTINE'S



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ST. BEDE'S



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***This Week* Mass Change: Thursday 7th May** - There will be no 9:30am Mass on Thursday, due to a clergy training day. Instead, Mass will be at 7pm, at Sacred Heart. This will be the only Mass across the Cluster today. Apologies for any inconvenience.

May Processions - These will take place on the weekend of 16/17th May. Everyone is welcome to bring along flowers.

Funeral of Freda Duncan - This week we heard the sad news of Freda's passing. Freda was a long time parishioner at St. Bede's, and her Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday 19th May, 12 noon, at St. Bede's Church. Please keep Freda and her family in your prayers.

Quiz Night - Are you ready to have your knowledge tested with another quiz? Friday 22nd May, 7 for 7:30pm, Coatham Road Social Club. Tickets £6, includes pie & peas. Available from this weekend!

St. Bede's School Memories - St. Bede's Primary are celebrating 60 amazing years this May! Were you once a pupil there? The school would love to hear from you! Share your photos, favourite memories, and where life has taken you since, by emailing: enquiries@stbedes.npcat.org.uk to be featured in their special anniversary exhibition.

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! Every time you shop in Redcar's 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. Good luck St. Bede's!

'Lourdes Active Challenge' A Message from the Lourdes Fundraising Group - Angela O'Brien will lead a virtual 1037 mile journey from Teesside to Lourdes. Join in by cycling, walking, or running, and share the miles you complete so we can reach our goal together as a Cluster. You can also sponsor Angela. Please place donations and record your miles in the envelopes at each church. Our progress will be tracked on the poster. Thank you for your support!

Mass Attendance Last Weekend in Blessed Nicholas Postgate

Time	Adults	Children	Total
6:00pm SA	63	0	63
9:30am SH	107	24	131
11:30am SB	55	4	59
	225	28	253

"The Jules Anneessens Organ Restoration" at Sacred Heart Church

Work began this week on the restoration, with parts of the organ being taken away to the restorer's workshop. This physical work will continue for around three months, and 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!** 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.

100 Club April Winners - 1st: 81 2nd: 82

Lent Smarties Challenge - 4 weeks to go! Please return your tubes by Pentecost - Sunday 24th May.



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.

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***This Sunday* Coffee Morning** - This will take place in the Scout Hut a few yards up the road from the church after this Sunday's 10:30am Mass. All welcome.

Offertory Collection - Starting from Sunday 10th May we will return to passing the baskets around while the Offertory Hymn is being sung, as we used to do before Covid. We are aware that many people now donate their Sunday offering through standing orders or envelopes, so just pass the basket on. If you choose, you can make a Sunday donation using the card reader machine at the back of church. Thank you all so much for your weekly donations because, as you are aware, our church is facing the same rise in the cost of living as we all are.

Stella Maris Donations - Thank you for everyone's generosity in donating your items to this cause. It's been a great success. The collection box will be a permanent feature going forward, so please continue to donate any rosary beads or religious medals for our seafarers. Thank you.

Easter Raffle - The Easter Raffle raised £363.80 for parish funds. Thank you all for your contributions, and especially to Joe and Sheila Collins for their wonderful organisation.

Te Lucis Ante Terminum Concert - Join us for an evening of Sacred Choral classics, conducted by music scholars from Newcastle Cathedral Laura & James Watson. Includes music from Allegri, Parry, Fauré, Handel, and Howells. Saturday 13th June, 7pm, Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Tickets are £10, available from the church, online (using the QR code on the poster) or on the door.

Mass Intentions - The Mass is the greatest prayer we can say, so if you'd like a Mass saying for your intentions, please use the envelopes provided. If requesting a specific time/date/church, please provide notice a week or two in advance. Thank you.

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

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Head of School: Mrs S. Dickinson



St. Bede's Primary

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01642 485217
Head Teacher: Ms L. Smith



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Executive Head: Mrs A. McClurey
Head of School: Mrs R. Bircham



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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

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Icon of Our Lady of Guisborough - You may notice a new addition in our church this weekend. The icon of Our Lady of Guisborough now has a new home in the church on a custom made stand, which includes wood from the old St. Paulinus Church. It's great to have a place to pray before the icon of Our Lady and have another connection to our heritage as a parish. Thanks to Malcolm Garbutt for organising the creation of our new icon stand.

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.

Guisborough Bridge Association Jubilee - Founded in May 2001, Guisborough Bridge Association (a Churches Together in Guisborough Charity) has now reached its Silver Jubilee! We would like to say a big THANK YOU to all who have supported us over the years - churches, trustees, staff, volunteers and givers - as we celebrate 25 years of service in our community. Please join us in giving thanks to God for His guidance and blessings, and pray for strength and resources for the next 25 years. If you feel you could offer us your time or talents (we need a new Treasurer), or would like to give a donation, do contact us: email: staff@guisboroughbridge.org.uk or contact our Manager, Lorraine Nash on 07890 228851. Office answerphone: (01287) 638771

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'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 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.

Date For Your Diary: Anniversary of the Dedication of St. Paulinus - On Thursday 21st May, we will be celebrating the 16th dedication anniversary of our church, which was dedicated by Bishop Terry. We'll be celebrating with a special Mass and coffee morning. All welcome!

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 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.

Mass Intentions Gratefully Received This Week:

Marie Marshall, David Spellman, For 3 people who are unwell, Les Roberts (1st Anniversary), Sarah - Return to Good Health, Margaret Lanny (2), Albert Lanny (2), White & Lanny Families (2), Catherine Conwell, Peter Hill, Kate Connely, Maisie & Fred Thornett, The Morrissey Family, Tony Storey, John & Michelle Foster, Jim Barker, Elizabeth - Restore to Health, Birthday Thanksgiving - Fr. Ferdinand