

THE YORK ORATORY

Saint Wilfrid's & Saint Joseph's

SUNDAY. 3rd SEPTEMBER 2O23

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

ORATORY CHURCH OF SAINT WILFRID, DUNCOMBE PLACE, YOI 7EF

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sunday Readings: Year A Divine Office: Week II

MONDAY, 4th SEPTEMBER

English: St Cuthbert, Bishop

Feria Latin:

TUESDAY. 5th SEPTEMBER

English: Feria

St Laurence Justinian, Latin:

Bishop & Confessor

WEDNESDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER

THURSDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER

Feria

FRIDAY, 8th SEPTEMBER

THE NATIVITY OF THE **BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

SATURDAY. 9th SEPTEMBER

English: St Peter Claver, Priest

Our Lady on Saturday, Latin:

Commemoration of St Gorgonius,

Martyr

ORATORY CLERGY

Fr Richard Duffield | Provost

Fr Daniel Seward | Parish Priest

Fr Stephen Brown

Br David Chadwick

Br Paul Murray

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

- 5pm Saturday Vigil (English Low Mass)
- 8.3Oam (English Low Mass)
- 10.30am (English Sung Mass), followed by refreshments
- 12 noon (Latin Sung Mass), followed by refreshments

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday

- 8.15am (Latin Low Mass)
- 12.1Opm (English Low Mass)

Saturday

- 9.15am (Latin Low Mass)
- 12.10pm (English Low Mass)

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Saturday

• 11.3Oam - 12 noon

• Confessions are also heard before every Mass, every day

OTHER SERVICES, PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

• Monday - Saturday from 11.3Oam - 12 noon

• Sunday at 4pm followed by Benediction at about 4.30pm

Veneration of the Relic of Saint Philip:

• Monday after the 12.10pm Mass

Devotions to Our Lady of York:

• Saturday after the 12.10pm Mass

• Daily after the 12.10pm Mass

CHURCH OPEN

• 8am-6pm every day (except Saturday: 9am-6pm)

CHURCH OF SAINT JOSEPH, BURDYKE AVENUE, YO3O 6JX

SUNDAY MASS TIME

• 9.30am (English Sung Mass), followed by refreshments

WEEKDAY MASS TIME

Wednesday

• 9.15am (English Low Mass), followed by refreshments

CONFESSIONS

• Before Mass

SHRINE OF SAINT MARGARET CLITHEROW, THE SHAMBLES, YOI 7LX **MASS TIME**

Saturday

• 10am (English Low Mass) with Rosary before Mass Litany and Petitions to the Martyrs of York after Mass

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OUR LADY'S BIRTHDAY

This Friday is the feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. There is a sung English Mass at 12.10pm.



VESPERS ARE BACK!

Now that September is here, we once again have Vespers – the evening prayer of the Church – sung in Latin at 4pm on a Sunday, followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. After that there is tea in the Upper Room for all who wish. Compline will resume at 6pm on Sunday 17th September.

SUNDAY ORATORY

The Barocci Group, looking at Catholic art, meets again on 17th September, and the Dante Reading Group will meet again on 1st October. The next Brothers of the Little Oratory Chapter will be on Sunday 24th September in the Upper Room at 2.3Opm. Brothers will then meet every 4th Sunday as normal unless otherwise noted.

TRIP TO THE SPANISH GALLERY

We have a trip to the wonderful Spanish Gallery in Bishop Auckland on Saturday $21^{\rm st}$ October. The plan is:

8:OOam - Mass at the Oratory

9:06 - Train, arriving in Bishop Auckland at 10:20

10:40 - The Spanish Gallery

1pm – Tapas lunch

2:3O – Time to view the Castle or other delights of Bishop Auckland

4:26 - Train, arriving back in York at 5:30pm

Please email mrsroseheslop@gmail.com by 15th October.

TALKING HEADS

Talking Heads, our series studying scripture, will return on Monday $25^{\rm th}$ September at 7.3Opm or Tuesday $26^{\rm th}$ at 2pm. We will continue to read the Books of Kings, with their tales of the two kingdoms of Judah and Israel and the great prophets Elijah and Elisha.

REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS

After Sunday & Wednesday Mass at St Joseph's, and in the Upper Room after the 10.30am & 12 noon Masses at the Oratory.

VISITING CHOIR & MUSICAL ORATORY

Next Sunday we look forward to welcoming the choir from St Francis Xavier Church, Littleton, Colorado to sing at the 10.30am Mass. They are directed by Mary Reinker, mother of our own Molly Reinker, Director of the Parish Choir. There will also be a Musical Oratory at 7pm on Monday 11th September in our church.

PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

All places on our minibus are now booked, though others may wish to drive themselves. We shall depart at $7.3\,\mathrm{Oam}$ from the Oratory, and hope to return by $1\,\mathrm{Opm}$, on Saturday 9^{th} September.

YORK UNLOCKED

Once again we will be taking part in this event on the weekend of \mathcal{I}^{th} and 8^{th} October, when many of York's interesting buildings are open to the public for free. The Oratory Garden will be open from 2-4pm on Saturday \mathcal{I}^{th} October, with refreshments available in the Upper Room. Our church will of course be open as normal, and it would be good to have some volunteers to welcome visitors throughout the Saturday and Sunday. Please speak to Fr Daniel to help.

THANK YOU

Our Parish Conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul wishes to thank the parish for its generous response to our recent appeal about providing weekly lunch packs for children during the school holidays. We received promises of prayers, offers of time & energy & donations of over £1,800. In addition, Simpson Associates adopted us as their charity this summer so employees brought contributions to work & the company matched what was gifted. The SVP was able to give away parcels of non-perishable food, fresh fruit and bread to more than 30 children each week in the Clifton area. This was a great help to many parents in these difficult times.

YORK SPUC GROUP

The next meeting of York Society for the Protection of Unborn Children is the AGM on Saturday 9th September, 1Oam, in the Upper Room at the Oratory. We need new officers: chair, secretary and treasurer. We are a small group and would appreciate new members to help us witness to the wrongs of abortion. After each meeting we put banners with the message, 'Women deserve better than abortion' on the church railings and witness for an hour by offering leaflets and speaking to passers-by who are interested. We witness about twice a month, weather permitting. Please contact Chris Kelly cmjklOO@btinternet.com for details.

ST JOSEPH'S THIS WEEK

Unfortunately there will be no Mass on Wednesday this week.

ACCOMMODATION

Professional, married, practising Catholic gentleman (aged 32), about to commence employment with Network Rail in York, seeks lodgings from December for 9-12 months. Please ring O7951483223 or email Andrew.McManus.2@glasgow.ac.uk