

**WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY AND UNDIVIDED TRINITY
THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GRIMSBY, CLEETHORPES & IMMINGHAM**

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SUNDAY 10TH MARCH 2019 – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday 9th March	4.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
	6.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Sunday 10th March	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
	9.15 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby
	3.00 pm	Rite of Election in St Barnabas' Cathedral
Monday 11 th March	2.00 pm	Community Prayer Group in Cleethorpes
Tuesday 12 th March	9.45 am	Morning Prayer in Cleethorpes
	10.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 13 th March	1.30 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
	7.00 pm	Mass in Grimsby
Thursday 14 th March	10.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	7.00 pm	Deanery Station Mass in St Bernadette's Church, Scunthorpe
Friday 15 th March	12.15 pm	Mass in Grimsby
	6.00 pm	House Mass
Saturday 16th March	10.00 am	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes
	4.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
	6.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Sunday 17th March	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
	9.15 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby

Eucharistic Adoration This Week

Wednesday	6.15-6.55	Grimsby
Thursday	10.30-11.00	Cleethorpes
Saturday	10.00-11.00	Cleethorpes

Rosary This Week

Wednesday	6.30	Immingham
Thursday	6.00	Grimsby

Stations of the Cross This Week

Sunday	3.00	Cleethorpes
Friday	11.30	Grimsby
	7.00	Cleethorpes

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Richard Mellows (01472 752017), Sarah Pollard (01472 690672) & Shelagh Winter (01472 593780)

Sacrament of Reconciliation This Week

Wednesday	6.15-6.45	Grimsby
Saturday	10.00-10.45	Cleethorpes
Saturday	3.40-3.55	Immingham
Saturday	5.40-5.55	Cleethorpes

Our Parish Academies

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy
Philip Avenue, Cleethorpes (01472 690672)
St Mary's Catholic Primary Academy
Wellington Street, Grimsby (01472 357982)

Collections Last Week

£1419.54 & £737.77 for the SVP. Thank you for your support of the Church's mission.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for March: That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, may feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

Cycle of Prayer: During Lent, we pray for: candidates for the sacraments; women; the needy and hungry of the world; penitents & wanderers. We also pray for Fr Colum, Fr Tony, the sick & housebound of our parish, the mission of our parish schools, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Almsgiving, prayer & fasting are the three disciplines which we should make a special effort to follow during Lent. On Ash Wednesday, we heard Jesus teach us in the Gospel, 'When you give alms,' 'when you pray' and 'when you fast' – not 'If' (*Matthew* 6:1-6,16-18). So, it's already time for us to think about what we're going to give up *and* take on for the Season of Lent, a God-given opportunity for us to reflect on our relationship with others through almsgiving, God in prayer and ourselves by fasting.

Apostleship of the Sea: With Easter getting close, when you do your weekly shop, please buy an Easter egg for a seafarer, or else make a donation and Sue White will shop for you. They can be dropped off in any of the churches or in the Presbytery. The last day for collection is Palm Sunday, 14th April; for further information, and to arrange collection of Easter eggs, please contact Sue (01472 504564). We are also looking for warm clothing; all sizes are welcome, and items can be left in church. Thank you!

Cafod Lent Family Fast Day is this Friday, 15th March, and Cafod suggests that we have a simple low-cost meal and donate the money saved to Cafod, which will help us to give alms to our brothers & sisters worldwide; please take an envelope as you leave Mass today and return it in next Sunday's second collection.

Congratulations to Natalia Ewelina Sieczka, Kamsiyochukwu Osenagie Laura Odukwe, Hubert Sylwester Nalepka & Blanka Rolnik, recently baptised.

Deanery Penitential Services will be celebrated at 7.00 pm:

Monday 1 st April	Corpus Christi, Cleethorpes
Monday 8 th April	St Bernadette, Scunthorpe

15th Grimsby Brownie Pack will be selling raffle tickets after Masses over the weekend of Sunday 31st March to raise much-needed funds for the pack. There will be a separate raffle at each church, and a name card that will travel until full! Although the pack is a voluntary organisation, providing a much-needed service in the community, costs are high and so any financial support that you are able to give would be appreciated.

First Confessions: Those who hope to receive their First Holy Communion this year will celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time on Monday 25th March at 6.00 pm in Corpus Christi Church.

HCPT: There will be a retiring collection for our parish HCPT group at the end of each Mass this weekend. They will be taking young people to Lourdes for Easter, and Fr Andrew will be joining them on Easter Monday.

HOST UK welcome international students in British homes for friendship and cultural exchange. Volunteer hosts open their homes and offer the opportunity to their student guests to have a break from studies and the chance to discover a new part of the UK. For more information, please visit www.hostuk.org or see the leaflets available in each church.

Lent Alms: There is an a basket near the Altar in each of our three churches for Lent alms, the money that we save from fasting, which this year will support **Mary's Meals**, a Scottish-based charity named in honour of Our Lady which sets up school feeding programmes in some of the world's poorest communities, where hunger and poverty prevent children from gaining an education; please visit www.marysmeals.org.uk for further information

Lent Book Club: We will meet in St Mary's Presbytery after 7.00 pm Mass on the Wednesdays of Lent, beginning this Wednesday, 13th March, to reflect on *Another Story Must Begin*; based on *Les Misérables*, Jonathan Meyer looks at the lives of the characters & themes of Victor Hugo's work, recently dramatised on BBC One, and how the work connects with Sacred Scripture. The book is available in bookshops & online; please see Fr Andrew or Annie Cutting for further information.

Lent Breakfasts will be held in the parish hall after 9.15 am Mass on Sundays, and **Lent Lunches** in St Mary's Presbytery after 11.00 am Mass, beginning today! This year, the monies raised will support Mary's Meals.

Pilgrimage to Walsingham – 25th March 2019: There are a few places left for our pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Blessed Virgin Mary to celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord; please contact Moira for more information (01472 824188).

St Patrick's Night – 16th March 2019: Tickets are sold out! Many thanks to all who have bought them!

Senior Citizens Group – 13th March 2019: All are welcome to the senior citizens group this Wednesday, which will meet in the parish hall after the celebration of Mass at 1.30 pm in Corpus Christi Church.

Stewardship: Copies of last Sunday's address on the stewardship of our resources are available at the back of each church or from office@holytrinitygci.uk; summary accounts will be available, as usual, after the end of the current financial year.

Thank you to our parish circle of the Catenian Association for sponsoring our Confirmation candidates & their catechists to attend Flame, an event for young Catholics from across England & Wales, in Wembley Arena last Saturday as part of their preparation to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Patrick on 17th May 2019.