

York

17th March 2024

Parishes of St Paulinus  
and St Margaret Clitherow

## Fifth Sunday of Lent Year B

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### MASS INTENTIONS AND SERVICES 16th – 23rd March

Sat. 16th Mar	<b>6.00 p.m.</b>	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>	<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
Sun. 17th Mar	<b>9.00 a.m.</b>			<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
	<b>11.00 a.m.</b>			<b>St Paulinus</b>
Mon. 18th Mar		<b>No Mass</b>		
Tue. 19th Mar	<b>9.30 a.m.</b>	<b>St Joseph, Husband of Our Lady</b>		<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
Wed. 20th Mar	<b>9.00 a.m.</b>	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>		<b>St Paulinus</b>
	<b>9.30 a.m.</b>			<b>St Paulinus</b>
Thu. 21st Mar	<b>9.30 a.m.</b>			<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
Fri. 22nd Mar	<b>9.30 a.m.</b>			<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
	<b>7.00 p.m.</b>	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>		<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
Sat. 23rd Mar	<b>10.30 a.m.</b>	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>		<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>
	<b>6.00 p.m.</b>	<b>Vigil Mass</b>		<b>St Margaret Clitherow's</b>

### PLEASE PRAY

for those who are sick or housebound:

**Paul Critchlow, Helen Jewitt, Paul Lowther, Brid McGill, Helen Norris, Patricia & Martin O'Donnell, Madge Quinn, Tony Recchia, Val Szadura, Julie Thomson, Mary Ward, Angie York;**

for those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:

**Frances Ward, Elizabeth Proudlock, Tony Roberts, Fred Mennell,  
Des Hoare, Mary McKeever, Peter Smith, Daniel Kealey, Peter Jackson;**

and for those who have died recently.

### HOSPITAL VISITING

Sue Ellis is the Lay Hospital Chaplain in York. If you have any parishioners who would like a visit, contact her direct on 07748 108 253 or via the Chaplains' office, tel. 01904 725579.

### COMMUNION SONG

'Restless is the Heart' by Bernadette Farrell. Chorus:

Restless is the heart until it comes to rest in thee.

All the Earth, all the Earth shall remember and return to our God.

### WELCOME

We especially welcome Fr Nicholas as he takes over the care of the parish.

## This Sunday's Readings

Jeremiah 31: 31-34    Hebrews 5:7-9    John 12:20-30

### THE HOLY GOSPEL FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR B: 17TH MARCH

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 12:20-30

Among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. These approached Philip, who came from Bethsaida in Galilee, and put this request to him, 'Sir, we should like to see Jesus.' Philip went to tell Andrew, and Andrew and Philip together went to tell Jesus. Jesus replied to them:

'Now the hour has come for the Son of man to be glorified.

I tell you most solemnly, unless a wheat grain falls on the ground and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest.

Anyone who loves his life loses it;

anyone who hates his life in this world will keep it for the eternal life.

If a man serves me, he must follow me; wherever I am my servant will be there too.

If anyone serves me, my Father will honour him.

Now my soul is troubled. What shall I say: Father save me from this hour?

But it was for this very reason that I have come to this hour.

Father, glorify your name!'

A voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' People standing by, who heard this, said it was a clap of thunder; others said, 'It was an angel speaking to him.' Jesus answered, 'It was not for my sake that this voice came, but for yours.

Now sentence is being passed on this world;

now the prince of this world is to be overthrown.

And when I am lifted up from the earth,

I shall draw all men to myself.'

By these words he indicated the kind of death he would die

The Gospel of the Lord

### LENTEN ACTION PRAYER

We invite everyone once again to join us in our Lenten Action Prayer. We will be collecting food to create Easter gifts for our needy parishioners and neighbours and also for the local food bank. The following are only suggestions but all tins and packets will be gratefully accepted. Thank you. *Sue & Rachel Lamb*

Sunday 17th March    Fruit pies or cake

Sunday 24th March    Sweets, chocolates or a small Easter egg

### LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

Loose Plate	103.25
Envelopes	116.50
Standing Orders	<u>75.00</u>
	£294.75

Many thanks

### PARISH DUTIES

Church Cleaner	W/E 29th March	Win Hartley
	W/E 6th April	Denise Jewitt
Reader	Sunday 17th March	11.00 a.m. Sue Ellis
	Palm Sunday 24th March	11.00 a.m.
Offertory Counters	Sunday 17th March	11.00 a.m. } David & Christine Gath
	Palm Sunday 24th March	11.00 a.m. }

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