

14th July 2024



15th Sunday of the Year *Sea Sunday*

Lectionary Cycle: Sundays Year B • Weekdays Cycle 2

Our Lady's Catholic Parish, Acomb, York

Worship & Sacraments

Mass dates / intentions and other Services this week

Sunday 14 th July <i>15th Sunday of the Year</i>	 9.30am 5.00pm	Mass: Jimmy Moore, RIP Mass: People of the Parish
Tuesday 16 th <i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>	9.30am	Mass: John Mockler, RIP Anniv
Wednesday 17 th	No Mass	
Thursday 18 th	9.30am	Mass: Margaret Fiorentini, RIP
Friday 19 th	9.20am	Mass: Barbara Stanwick, RIP (at OLQM)
Saturday 20 th	6.00pm	Mass: Holy souls (in Italian) <i>Mass of Sunday</i>
Sunday 22 nd July <i>16th Sunday of the Year</i>	 9.30am 5.00pm	Mass: Dr. Katie Wallace, RIP Mass: People of the Parish

 **Live-streamed** at www.facebook.com/ourladysacomb/live

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4.15 - 4.45pm Sunday (or any time by appointment)

Mass intentions received (envelopes available at back of church): Noleen McKenna, RIP; Gordon Scott, RIP; Frank Kilbride, RIP; Elish Nelson, RIP; Hugh O'Donnell, RIP

Baptisms, marriages, funerals: please contact the parish office

Finance stewardship

Plate collection: £509.50 Card reader: £93.00

Thanks to those who contribute via the plate, card reader, standing order, and in any other way. Gift Aid envelopes are available at the back of church.

Donate electronically at <https://donate.myдона.com/our-ladys-church-acomb>

Parish costs are a shared responsibility; your ongoing generosity is appreciated.



Scan QR code to donate

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NEWS THIS WEEK

IN YOUR PRAYERS please remember those members of our parish community who are sick, and those who care for them. We also remember in prayer those who have died, those who grieve, and those whose anniversaries occur.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN & YOUNG ADULTS Please see the posters in the church porch and in the parish hall for details and dates.

DIOCESAN LGBT+ OUTREACH MINISTRY Mass today at 3.00pm in the Chapel of the Bar Convent followed by refreshments. Doors open at 2.30pm. All welcome!

RETIRING COLLECTION Today Sunday, 14th July 2024, is "Sea Sunday". There will be a retiring collection to support the work of *Stella Maris*: <https://stellamaris.org.uk/> They help seafarers in 328 ports across 54 countries with 70,000 ship visits each year! Our Catholic Christian Faith in Action.

MASS IN ITALIAN Saturday 20th July 2024 at 6.00pm in the Fr. Kelly Room. All welcome

FORTHCOMING FUNERALS The funeral service for Olga Finnegan, RIP will take place at 3.00pm on Thursday 18th July at York Crematorium; the Requiem Mass for Elish Nelson, RIP will take place at Our Lady's at 10.00am on Thursday 25th July 2024.

ADDITIONAL ALTAR SERVERS Anyone (children *post First Communion*, young adults, adults) is welcome to become an altar server. We extend a special invitation to those children who have made their First Holy Communion this year. Whilst this requires a regular commitment it is not every week/every Sunday Mass. Hopefully we'll have enough to set up a rota. Formation will be provided. If you are interested please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/jrNVfEFm98arX5cMA> or contact Fr. Tony.

ADDITIONAL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS We need more ministers to meet the needs of the parish. This important ministry is exercised in two ways: Those who help to distribute the Body and Blood of the Lord at Sunday Mass; and those who take Holy Communion to people's homes. These are not mutually exclusive, it is possible to do either or both. Whilst this requires a regular commitment it is not every week/every Sunday Mass. Hopefully we will have enough to set up a rota. Formation will be provided. If you are over 16 and would like to help at Mass or if you are over 18 and would like to take Holy Communion to people at home (which will require a DBS check) please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/nHof5PS2UfhM3XGDA> or contact Fr. Tony.

FOOD/HOUSEHOLD ITEMS FOR FAMILIES IN NEED Can be brought to Church and left in the baskets near Our Lady's Shrine on Sunday. Alternatively items can be left in the porch of the Parish House. The school have asked, if possible, that this continue during the summer vacation when the need is greater for some families.

LIVE-STREAMING TEAM The live-stream of Sunday Mass has become a vital link for many of our parishioners who are unable to get to church to join us in person. We need extra volunteers to maintain the service. If you would like to join the team please contact Fr. Tony. Formation will be provided.

MONDAY MINDEFULNESS Next meets on Monday 29th July at 7.00pm in the Fr. Kelly Room.

BE OUR GUEST Each Thursday in Our Lady's Parish Hall from 11.00am - 1.00pm

YORK HOSPITAL If you or a loved one is going into hospital and would like a visit or Holy Communion please do let Fr. Tony know in advance or contact Sue Ellis the acting Catholic Lay Chaplain; either on her mobile 07748 108253 or via the Chaplains' office number 01904 725579. (Under GDPR we can no longer routinely access details of Catholic patients). In case of urgency, and if you cannot contact Fr. Tony, please ask the nursing staff or switchboard to page the on-call catholic chaplain. A Catholic priest is always on call 24/7 (for urgent & emergency calls - not general pastoral visits).

SUNDAY 28TH JULY there will be a retiring collection for flowers for the church.

Hello,

My name is Rae, I am at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School, in Year 2 St. Margaret's, and I am going to donate my hair to the Little Princess Trust on 14th May.

The Little Princess Trust provides free real hair wigs to children and young people, up to 24 years, who have lost their own hair through cancer treatment or other conditions. It costs on average £700 to provide one wig to a child or young person. This cost covers the making, fitting and styling of the wig.

This is the second time I have donated my hair, the first time was in May 2022 and I have been growing my hair ever since to do it again. If you would like to sponsor me please scan the QR code below.

Thank you

Me after my haircut last time

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