

THE PARISH OF GREAT YARMOUTH
GREAT YARMOUTH MINSTER, ST PAUL'S, ST MARY'S
Sunday 24th October 2021 Bible Sunday

Services Today:

St. Mary's at 9.30am this service will be live streamed to Facebook, The Minster at 11am, Baptisms 12.30pm and Evening Prayer at 6.30pm.

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Reflection

Do you remember the account of Jesus healing the man at the pool by the Sheep gate in Jerusalem? Jesus was passing by on this festival day on his way to the Temple. As he passed this pool the man called out to him and Jesus healed him, but this was the Sabbath and it provoked a great deal of resentment from the Jews, resulting in them wanting to kill him. In the dialog that follows, Jesus refers to them accepting the testimony of John the Baptist, he says 'I have a testimony greater than John'. I testify on behalf of the Father who sent me, you have never heard his voice or seen his form, and you do not have his word in you because you do not believe him who he sent. You search the scripture, because you think it will lead you to eternal life, but it is these scriptures that provide you the evidence of me, yet you refuse to come to me to find life. Jesus goes on to say that he is not interested in human glory, and that they do not have the love of God in their lives, "I have come to you in the Father's name and you do not accept me". Your ancestors believed Moses, if you believed Moses you would believe me because he wrote about me. If you do not believe what he wrote, there is no possibility in you believing what I say.

Fr John

This Week's Diary

Morning Prayer is said daily in the Minster at 9am: All welcome.

Minster open daily 10am – noon (except Wed)

Day	Time	Event	
Mon 25th			
Tues 26th	9:30	Footprints	Vestry
Wed 27th	09:00 10:15	Morning Prayer Eucharist	Online St. Mary's
Thurs 28th	17:00 19:00	Choristers Evening Prayer	Minster Online
Fri 29th	19:00	Hand Bell Ringers	Minster
Sat 30th	10:00	Vestry Hour	Minster
Sun 31st	10:30 11:00 12:30 18:30	All Saints Day Eucharist Eucharist Baptism All Souls Service	St. Paul's Minster Minster Minster

NOTICES

All Souls Service – Sunday 31st October at 6.30pm, at the Minster. If you have any names of departed loved ones you would like read out at the service, please write them on the lists in church or telephone/email the office.

Midweek Recital – Wednesday 3rd November at 12.30pm, at the Minster. Michael Nicholas – Organ Recital.

Volunteering at the Minster we are hoping to recruit some more volunteers to ensure we can keep the Minster open every day. There are also many other volunteering options, so if you are interested, or if you have family and/or friends who would be interested in volunteering, please do get in touch with Tracy in the Parish office.

Vestry Hour is now open again, Saturday mornings 10am-11am by appointment. If you or anyone you know wishes to book a baptism or wedding, please call the office on 01493 858410.

Parish Magazine: The October magazine is out now, if you have any articles for the magazine please contact Pat Stringer, email: pat.stringer1@sky.com

PARISH PRAYER LIST If anyone wants someone prayed for please ask. Pray for those who are sick or in need, all who are suffering in body, mind, or spirit or in need of God's loving care: Brenda, Wally, Nancy, Susan, Barry, Christian, Martyn, Ray, Margaret. Pray for Edward Cullinane and Shayne Carter being Baptised today.