

PARISH OF GREAT YARMOUTH

GREAT YARMOUTH MINSTER, ST PAUL'S, ST MARY'S

Sunday 21st July 2024 Eighth Sunday of Trinity

Services Today:

9.30am Eucharist at St. Paul's

10.30am Eucharist at The Minster

11.00am Eucharist at St. Mary's

6.00pm Evensong at The Minster

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Reflection

The school summer term comes to an end and it feels like a gearshift in our town. Numbers of people coming here to enjoy Great Yarmouth will increase in the coming weeks a wonderful sense of fun and vibrancy. We all need to find a time and a place where we can reset and recharge ourselves. We all need to find a time and place to get away from the busyness of life.

In marks Gospel Jesus and his friends try to retreat but they can't escape as the crowds choose to follow them wherever they go, even as they withdraw to a lonely, quiet place. I am convinced most of us would find it quite irritating to have work with pursuing us when we have tried to step away but Jesus responds to the needs of the crowd. Jesus looks upon them as being like sheep without a shepherd and in love and compassion cannot turn them away. Whatever and wherever people are located, God loves them all! Maybe this is a reminder to us that those who we welcome to our churches throughout these summer months are welcomed in the name of Christ.

Father Simon

This Week's Diary

Minster open daily 10am-12pm

Morning Prayer is said daily in the Minster at 9am (except Friday): All welcome

Anthem: Pans Angelicus – Cesar Franck

Date			
Mon 22nd	10.00	Souls of our Shoes Exhibition by the Mothers Union	The Minster
	10.00	Garden Maintenance	St. Paul's
	10.00	Craft Group	St. Mary's
	14.00	Place of Welcome	St. Paul's
Tues 23rd	12.00	Lunchtime Eucharist	Minster
Wed 24th	10.00	Midweek Eucharist	St. Paul's
	12.30	Midweek Recital Timothy Patient organ – Eye Parish Church, Suffolk	Minster
	12.30	Wednesday Club	St. Mary's
	19.00	Bible Study Group	Revd Liz House
Thurs 25th	10.00	BCP Service	St. Mary's
	14.00	Mothers' Union	Vestry
	16.45	Choristers	Minster
	19.00	Bell Ringers Practice	Bell Tower
Friday 26th	19.30	Hand Bell Ringers	Vestry
Sat 27th	10.00	Vestry Hour	Minster
Sun 28th	10.30	9th Sunday of Trinity Parish Eucharist	Minster

NOTICES

Garden Party – St. Paul's gardens, Monday 22nd July 10am – 4pm, The parish gardeners will be on site, if anyone can spare an hour to come and help this would be most appreciated.

Souls of our Shoes Exhibition at The Minster, Monday 22nd – Sunday 28th July, organised by the Mothers' Union to highlight domestic abuse.

Jazz Night with Dixiemix. Join us for a fantastic night of Dixieland jazz with local band, Dixiemix. Tickets are on sale now. £14 in advance - online or from Revd Liz, or £15 on the door. Proceeds go to our Organ Restoration Project.

We are pleased to announce the appointment of **Reverend Richard Washington** as team vicar in the Great Yarmouth Team. The date of his licensing is Thursday 26th September, 7pm in the Minster.

We are currently advertising for a **Director of Music, Arts & Culture.** Do hold this in your prayers as we look to recruit.

Parish Magazine: The July magazine is out now, if you have any articles for the magazine please contact Pat Stringer, email: patstringer1840@gmail.com

PARISH PRAYER LIST. 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: Pam, Kevin, Sue, Colin, Richard. We remember before God the recently departed: John Roper