



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

31st August 2025 · Year C · Weekday I · Psalter II

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£4,108.65

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Confessions

Tuesday 6pm

Saturday: 10.30am

Saturday: 5.15pm

Sunday: 4.45pm

Rosary

The Rosary is prayed in the Lady Chapel. Monday to Friday after the 10am Mass.

Divine Office

Lauds is prayed in the Precious Blood Chapel.

Monday to Friday at 9:40am

TIMES OF CEREMONIES

Sun 31 st	TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
	9am	Mass	<i>Minoo Darabi</i>
	11am	Solemn Mass	<i>Martina & Stephen</i>
	4.30pm	Vespers (said)	
	5.30pm	Mass	<i>Bippin +</i>
Mon 1 st	<i>Feria</i>		
Sept	10am	Mass	<i>Anthony George Edmunds (F) +</i>
Tues 2 nd	<i>Feria</i>		
	10am	Mass	<i>Kevin Patrick McDonald +</i>
	5pm	Vespers	
	5.30pm	Mass	<i>Henry, Duke of Norfolk (F) +</i>
Wed 3 rd	S Gregory the Great		
	7.30am	Mass	<i>Phillips (F)</i>
	10am	Mass	<i>The Allen Family</i>
Thurs 4 th	<i>S Cuthbert</i>		
	10am	Mass	<i>Frank D’Souza +</i>
Fri 5 th	<i>Feria</i>		
	7.30am	Mass	<i>Chris Chew</i>
	10am	Mass & Adoration	<i>Abraham Devasia +</i>
Sat 6 th	<i>Blessed Virgin Mary on a Saturday</i>		
	10am	Mass & Adoration	<i>Celina (private intention)</i>
	6pm	Mass (Anticipatory) ‘Ana’ Gregoria Calvo Serrano	
Sun 7 th	TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
	9am	Mass	<i>Alfreda McHale</i>
	11am	Solemn Mass (cantor)	<i>Clive & Emilia White</i>
	3pm	Mass [1962 Rite Latin]	<i>Holy Souls</i>
	4.30pm	Vespers (cantor)	
	5.30pm	Mass (cantor)	<i>Pro Populo</i>

**The Cathedral Church is open daily this
week from 7.30am - 6pm**

Prayers for the sick: Cathy Adams, Dr Michael Anibueze, Philippa Barnes, Ian Beyts, Jennifer Boland, Eleanor Bray, Amanda Caistor, Brenda Devany, Jonathon Fitzimmons, Mary Gledhill, Sophia Gough-Solar, Mary Hatcher, Joe Heaney, Gill Horan, Paul Horan, Nancy Horner, Joel McDonough, Anne O'Leary, Maria Osorio, Mary Newby, Gary Newton, Isobel O'Connor, Christopher Parish, Canon David Paul, Anthony Preston, Nicholle Sales, Reece Sales, Linda Sheppard, Christine Taylor, Peter Thorn, Lord Adrian Tremayne, Mary Ward, Fr John Warrington, Peter Willets, Adrian Woods, the Wood Family, Patricia Woolley, Isobel Woolner, the Watson Family, Charmanee Wissner and Shane Wissner. [GDPR compliant] **Going into hospital?** Please inform the hospital ward itself that the Catholic Chaplain is needed.

Monday of this week is the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation.

The next adoration for the First Fridays will take place on **Friday 5th September**. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after 10am Mass and continue until 4pm when there will be Benediction. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy is prayed together at 3pm. Please do come and spend time before Our Blessed Lord in intercession for Bishop Peter, all our Diocesan priests and vocations to the priesthood. There is a rota at the back of the church to write your name if you can commit to stay for half an hour or more. Thank you.

Catechist Formation Day – 6th September 2025
9.30pm-3pm in the Narthex. Everyone involved in passing on the faith is very welcome to attend – from seasoned catechists to youth leaders, parents and grandparents. Please email Jo on stjohnfhc@gmail.com to book a place. Further information will be available on the Cathedral website.

The Prodigal Daughter – the story of a woman's healing journey back to God and the work of Rachel's Vineyard in supporting those impacted by abortion. Join us on Tuesday 16th September from 4.30pm in the Narthex Bar with Rachel Mackenzie. All are welcome. For more information, please email Jo Graham stjohnfhc@gmail.com

In Laudato Si, Pope Francis writes of ..'the harm we have inflicted on her (earth) by our irresponsible use and abuse of the goods with which God has endowed her'. Join the Secular Franciscans on Saturday 20 September at St George's RC church for a day of prayer, talks, music and reflection on **Earth, Our Common Home - Cared for or violated?** The day will start at 11am, after 10am Mass until 4pm. Please bring food for a shared lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided.

Pilgrimage to Poland; 20-26th April 2026 (organised by Tangney Tours); Spaces are still available; deposit of £300 payable by 30th September. Details from John McLean at jjmclean44@gmail.com or 07977470491

HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

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Saturday	5pm	Holy Qurbana (Anticipatory)
Sunday	8am	Holy Qurbana
	10am	Mass & Confessions
	4pm	Holy Qurbana

Would you like to learn more about the Catholic faith? Are you looking to join (or return to) the Church? Perhaps you'd just like to understand more about what we believe and why. If so, we invite you to **Understanding Catholicism**, a weekly evening course where we unpack Catholic belief and practice. This year's course starts on **Friday 26th September at 7pm**. To find out more or register for the course, please email parish@sjbcathedral.org.uk

The Duckett Library 'Big Book Sale' starts next Sunday 7 September, when the library reopens, and continues throughout the month. As well as the usual library opening times, we will be open on Friday 12th (10.30-12); Saturday 13th (10.30 -4); Monday 15th (10.30-12) and Friday 19th (10.30-12) for Heritage Open Days. Proceeds in aid of the Cathedral building fund - come and browse a wide variety of books in good condition.

For your Diary - the Justice & Peace Group are proud to announce a public talk by UEA academic and activist Professor Lee Marsden entitled "Justice and Peace in a World at War" 7:15 pm Thursday 4th September in the Narthex Hall (online details to be arranged).

The D'Septra Band's annual charity concert is back. Join us for "Reminisce" in the Narthex on Saturday 13th September. Doors open at 7pm. The concert is fundraising to support the Education Fund Youth in need in the Philippines. Tickets cost £5 and can be booked online via the Cathedral website or purchased from Couples for Christ (CFC) members.

Next Sunday 7th September – please be aware that the Run Norwich 10K is taking place in the city centre so there will be some road closures in place.