



NINETEENTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

9th August 2026 · Year A · Weekday II · Psalter III

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Cathedral Collection

£5,303.54

Loose Plate = £1,699.14

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*remains the same each week

Window Appeal = £124.90

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Confessions

Tuesday 6pm

Saturday: 10.30am

Saturday: 5.15pm

Sunday: 4.45pm

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

Divine Office

Morning Prayer of the Church in the Precious Blood Chapel Monday to Friday at 9:40am

Sat 8th Aug 6pm Mass (Anticipatory) *José Canlas Jnr +*

Sun 9th NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

9am Mass *Maxine Ianello +*

11am Solemn Mass (cantor) *Loriana Gorelli +*

4.30pm Evening Prayer & Benediction (said)

5.30pm Mass (said) *Thomas Plane +*

Mon 10th St Lawrence

10am Mass *Anna Conti +*

Tues 11th St Clare

10am Mass *Josto Cara +*

5pm Vespers (said)

5.30pm Mass (said) *Thomas Plane +*

Wed 12th Feria

7.30am Mass *Dino Aresu +*

10am Mass *Nuccia Cipro +*

Thurs 13th Feria

10am Mass *Michael Hugh Kelly +*

Fri 14th St Maximillian Kolbe

7.30am Mass *Holy Souls*

10am Mass *Deceased members of Cara & Gorelli family +*

Sat 15th Blessed Virgin Mary on a Saturday

10am Mass *Doreen & Francis Mason (F) +*

6pm Mass (Anticipatory) *Michael Hugh Kelly +*

Sun 16th ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9am Mass *Thanksgiving Ric Caasi & family*

11am Solemn Mass (cantor) *For the People*

3pm Mass [1962 Rite Latin] *Private Intention*

4.30pm Evening Prayer & Benediction (said)

5.30pm Mass (said) *Holy Souls*

The Cathedral 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, Frank Keating, Joel McDonough, Patricia McKenna, Anne O'Leary, 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, Shane Wissner & Karen Yallop. [GDPR compliant] **Going into hospital?** Please inform the hospital ward itself that the Catholic Chaplain is needed.

The Cathedral Choir are on holiday until Tuesday 8th September. **The Music Group** are on holiday until 6th September. The 5.30pm Mass will be said from 26th July until 30th August.

Hospital Mass - Mass is celebrated at 12 noon on the 1st and 3rd Monday of every month Our next Mass will be on **Monday 17th August** and then **Monday 7th September**.

The Duckett Library is closed for the summer holidays and will reopen on Sunday 13 September after the 9am Mass. During closure, please continue to return books via the box outside the library, and email with any queries - emails are monitored regularly and books can be borrowed and collected from the Cathedral shop.

50th Jubilee Walk – thank you for the generous support for the walk. £603.00 was raised and it was a fun time for all involved.

March for Life UK on Saturday 5th September - book your place on the Norwich coach leaving from Catholic Cathedral of St John Baptist at 6.30am. Adults £25 return, £10 for under 18s, Under 5s Free, (but all seats need booking). To book a place on the coach visit:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/norwich-ipswich-coach-trip-to-march-for-life-uk-2026-tickets-1991053694197?aff=oddttdtcreator> OR scan the QR.
For more info re coach; contact Helen on 07905 713407. Find out more about the day at marchforlife.co.uk.

First Holy Communion (FHC) and Confirmation Programmes 2026-27

are now open for registration.

Registration forms are available on the Cathedral website. Please register early as this helps the catechists to plan over the summer holidays. Registration closes on 31 August.

The Flower Group will be having a break for the month of August, except for flowers for weddings and the feast of the Assumption.

St Joseph's Chapel Please take look at the newly restored windows – thank you to all those who have generously contributed to their restoration.



Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of John Desira whose Requiem Mass will be at 1pm on Friday 14th August and of Angela Sheppard who has recently died and for their families.

HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

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

Celebrating 50 Years of Our Parish - Where were you born? Thank you to everyone who updated our scratch maps to show where they were born. The countries and flags celebrating the diversity of our parish family are now displayed on a poster at the back of the Cathedral (left-hand side). If you missed the maps, you still have **until 31st August** to check the poster to see if your country of origin is shown. Please take a look and let Pam know if your country or flag is missing or incorrect. Thank you. (pam.smith@rcdea.org.uk)

Parish Displays - over the coming weeks and months, a variety of displays celebrating our parish community will be featured in the Cathedral. We invite you to take a few moments to view and enjoy what fellow parishioners have shared. Our current theme is **“Our Parish – Love in Action”**, highlighting the charities and good causes supported by our parish, alongside personal reflections from parishioners. Displays will be refreshed every two to three weeks. If you would like to contribute to a future display, please email pam.smith@rcdea.org.uk.

Our Justice and Peace Group are showing the film “The Peoples’ Emergency Briefing” on September 17th in The Narthex at 19.00. Admission is free and the film last 50 minutes. There will be discussion after the film. The film provides a clear, factual view of the risks associated with the climate and environmental crises and promotes that there is clear evidence that urgent action will strengthen our economy, resilience and quality of life.

The Secular Franciscans invite you to a celebration of the 800th anniversary of the death St Francis on 3rd October 2026 at St. John's Cathedral at 2.30pm. The celebration will begin in St. Joseph's chapel (the Sunken Chapel) where you will find several companions of St Francis, including his mother Pica and St Clare, reminiscing about his life. This will be followed by light refreshments in the hall where you can get to know more about Francis by talking with these companions. The afternoon will close with a Franciscan liturgical celebration of the Transitus, the passing from life to death of St Francis.