



St. Mary's, Carlton & Selby

"One Parish, Two Churches"

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### **FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

**(22<sup>nd</sup>, February, 2026)**

Prayers & Readings: pp. 151-54; Preface: Temptation p.71

Vigil: 6.00pm (Selby) Maurice & Christina Dockrell

Sunday: 9.30am. (Selby) Harold, James, John & Jimmy Hennigan

11.15am. (Carlton) People of the Parish

Tuesday: 9.30am (Carlton) Private Intention (MW)

Wednesday: 10.00am. (Selby) Joseph O'Brien

Thursday: 10.00am (Selby) Birthday Intentions (Marzena)

Friday: 10.00am. (Selby) Barry Holmes

**PRIVATE PRAYER** - The church remains open after 9.30am Mass on Sunday until 12 noon and on Wednesday and Thursday from 8.00am until 1.00pm.

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** - before morning Masses in Selby.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** - Friday after Mass

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** - Confessions are heard in Selby on Saturday between 9.30am & 10.30am and by request in Carlton.

#### **Next Weekend**

Vigil: 6.00pm (Selby) Anne-Marie Harran

Sunday: 9.30am. (Selby) Patrick O'Kane

11.15am (Carlton) People of the Parish

**LENTEN DEVOTIONS** - Throughout Lent there will be Stations of the Cross after Mass on Friday morning.

**THIS FRIDAY is CAFOD's LENT FAST DAY** - please collect an envelope from the back of church.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially: Fr. Michael O'Donnell (Selby, 1935-36), Patrick O'Kane, Jack Bywater, Catherine Young, Dennis Bulmer, Harold Hennigan, Barry Holmes, Joseph O'Brien, Brian & Mary Wooler, Sheila Agnes Cotton, Mary Gallagher, Peter Bott, Caroline Howley, Leo Hennigan, Ordinary Seaman David MacGill (1941) May they rest in peace.

WELCOME to Torrin John Bailey who was baptised at St. Mary's, Carlton last Sunday. With the support of his parents, Alexander and Emmanuelle, his older brothers and our Parish community may he grow in faith.

**STOP ASSISTED SUICIDE - TAKE ACTION NOW!**

Please take 30 seconds to stop assisted suicide from being forced into law. "Right to Life UK" has made an EasyAction tool to email your MP asking them to oppose attempts to force assisted suicide into law by bypassing the House of Lords. Please visit [www.righttolife.org.uk/ASCommons2026](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/ASCommons2026)

**World Day of Prayer** - This annual event takes place this year on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> March. The theme, prepared by Christian women in Nigeria, is "I will give you rest" Services for our area are held in Portholme Church & in St. Mary's RC, Carlton. Both services begin at 2.00pm and will be followed by refreshments

**Fund Raising - Easter Raffle** - Tickets on sale in both churches from this weekend until Sunday 22nd March.

Prizes include, Hamper, Champagne, Whisky, Wine, Easter Eggs plus others. The draw will take place after Mass on Palm Sunday in Carlton. For any additional information, please contact Margaret 01405 862986 or 07851 313334.

**CAFOD'S LENT APPEAL** - Donations made to this year's Lent Appeal by Sunday, 1st March will be doubled up to the value of £378.00.

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2026**: will take place from Friday 3rd to Thursday 9th July 2026. Bookings can be made online at [www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-pilgrimages/dioceseleeds](http://www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-pilgrimages/dioceseleeds) or by phone direct with Tangney (01732 886666).

A limited number of booking forms are also available in the Parish Office.

**NEXT SUNDAY**- There will be a Children's Liturgy during 9.30am Mass and a Coffee Morning in the Parish Centre afterwards.