



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

CATHOLIC PARISHES OF BRIDLINGTON – EASTFIELD – FILEY

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MASS TIMES & SERVICES

Exaltation of the Holy Cross- 14th September 2025 (week 4)

Masses and Devotions are livestreamed on our YOUTUBE Channel: [Our Lady&StPeter, Bridlington](#)
or click livestream button on our Website page: <http://catholicstarofthesea.co.uk>

Saturday	13th	Eastfield	4pm	Vigil of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Colin Brewster
		Bridlington	6pm		The Parishes
Sunday	14th	Bridlington	9am	Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Dennis Parker
		Filey	11am		Sarah Hawkins (H)
Monday	15th	Eastfield	10am	Our Lady of Sorrows	Private intention (B.Chambers)
		Bridlington	10am		Angelo Schembri
Tuesday	16th	Filey	10am	Ss.Cornelius & Cyprian	Diane Mac Dermott (H)
Wed'day	17th	Bridlington	10am	St Robert Bellarmine	Godwin Escobar
Thursday	18th	Filey	10am	Feria	Holy Souls
			3-4pm	Holy Hour and Confessions	
Friday	19th	Bridlington	10am	Feria	Patrick Lenehan
			3-4pm	Divine Mercy, Holy Hour and Confessions	
Saturday	20th	Eastfield	4pm	Vigil of the 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	James Wilson
		Bridlington	6pm		Nicomedes Pinca
Sunday	21st	Bridlington	9am	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Kathleen Rooney
		Filey	11am		The Parishes

PARISH NOTICES

- ♦ **Parish Office Contact Hours for this week are Wednesday, 17th September, 2pm-4pm.**
- ♦ **Justice & Peace Group:** During September till the feast of St Francis on 4 October, is the official Season of Creation. During this season we are encouraged to pray and engage in community events in order to deepen our relationship with God, our neighbour and the earth we share.
- ♦ **Bridlington Heritage Opendays:** Our Lady and St Peter's Church will participate on the 13th and the 20th September (main event on the 20th). The Church will be open for visitors from 11am till 3pm. Volunteers to greet people in Church are needed. Please contact Fr Albert. <https://www.heritageopendays.org.uk>
- ♦ **St John of Bridlington Assist Group Quiz Night:** Saturday, 27th September, St Peter's Hall, at 7pm.
- ♦ **St Carlo Acutis relics tour:** The 1st class Relic of soon-to-be Saint Carlo Acutis will be at St Peter's, Scarborough, from Saturday 20 to Tuesday 23 September 2025. The programme will include Mass, Adoration, veneration of the relic, talk Q&A session. All welcome to take part in this special occasion. St Carlo Acutis will be canonised in Rome on 7 September.

Church Collections during weekend 6-7th September

OLSP, Bridlington: attendance - 208; plate collection - £369.67

St George, Eastfield: attendance - 60; plate collection - £187.60

St Mary, Filey: attendance - ; plate collection - £402.94

Fundraising

- ♦ **Bridlington:** During the Filipino Night Extravaganza we raised **£1,223**. Thank you to all who organized and participated in the evening.
- ♦ **Filey:** Bingo with Refreshments at St Mary's Church Hall, on Wednesday, 24th September, from 2.00p.m. Entry £5 to include 3 bingo cards and refreshments. Additional bingo cards available.
- ♦ **St George's** - Cake Stall at St George's on Saturday 27th September after the 4pm Mass, in aid of the building fund.
- ♦ The winning number of the **Bonus Ball** Eastfield & Filey on Saturday, 6th September was **24**. The **Club 150** Bridlington drawn on Sunday, 7th September **128**. Congratulations for the winners and thank you all for participating.

2nd Collections in September

20-21st September: Evangelii Gaudium (Home Mission Sunday)

30-31st August: Building Fund

SEASON OF CREATION 2025

PEACE WITH CREATION

"Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience." (Laudato Si, 217)

It is ten years since the publication of Pope Francis' encyclical, *Laudato Si*, urging everyone to protect the Earth, our common home, and calling us all to ecological conversion, a change of heart, changes to our lifestyles and advocacy and action for institutional change.

In his letter for the Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, starting the Season of Creation, Pope Leo continues the message of *Laudato Si*: *"Environmental justice ...can no longer be regarded as an abstract concept or a distant goal. It is an urgent need that involves much more than simply protecting the environment. For it is a matter of justice - social, economic and human. For believers it is also a duty born of faith, since the universe reflects the face of Christ, in whom all things were created and redeemed. In a world where the most vulnerable of our brothers and sisters are the first to suffer the devastating effects of climate change, deforestation and pollution, care becomes an expression of our faith and humanity. Now is the time to follow words with deeds... By working with love and perseverance, we can sow many seeds of justice and thus contribute to the growth of peace and the renewal of hope."* Pope Leo mentions the Borgo Laudato Si Project that Pope Francis set up at Castel Gandolfo, which Pope Leo recently inaugurated - an educational project in integral human ecology that can serve as an example in how people can live, work and build community by applying the principles of the Encyclical, *Laudato Si*. At the conclusion of his letter, Pope Leo observes that the Encyclical, *Laudato Si*, has now guided the Catholic Church and many people of goodwill for ten years and says, "May it continue to inspire us and may integral ecology be increasingly accepted as the right path to follow."

Some suggested actions for week 3 of the Season of Creation:

1. Join Pope Leo in his prayer intention for this month in which he asks the Lord: "Help us to discover Your presence in all creation, so that ... we may feel and know ourselves to be responsible for this common home where You invite us to care for, respect and protect life."

2. Find out more about Pope Francis' Encyclical, *Laudato Si*. There are several short YouTube videos, including a recent one, entitled 'An interview with Jane Mallet on *Laudato Si*' and a longer one, called 'The Letter', a YouTube documentary film about *Laudato Si* and Pope Francis. Also see the 'Laudato Si animation for children' on the CAFOD website. The full Encyclical document is also on the Vatican website: <https://www.vatican.va>.

3. So much of our food is high in air miles. This is having a detrimental effect on our world and climate. Yet we have a huge wealth of local produce on our doorstep. Over the next week share a meal with family or friends with only locally sourced and seasonal foods.



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Job Opportunity: Head of Our Lady & St Peter RC Primary School-Bridlington

Are you a passionate and visionary leader ready to shape the future of a vibrant Catholic primary school? Do you believe in nurturing every child's potential through faith, love, and learning? St Cuthbert's RC Academy Trust welcomes applications from practising and committed Catholics for the post of Headteacher at Our Lady & St Peter RC Primary School in Bridlington. This post may be suitable for serving Heads or from a senior leader looking at Headship for the first time. We are seeking a dedicated Headteacher who will lead our school community with integrity, compassion, and a deep commitment to the teachings of Christ. This is a unique opportunity to build upon our strong foundations and guide us into an exciting new chapter. For the full advert, job description and application pack go to: <https://tinyurl.com/OLSPHead>

CLOSING DATE: MONDAY 15th SEPTEMBER

PIUS's reflection on Education Sunday:

The first step in education is learning to recognize the Creator's image in every being, and consequently learning to have a profound respect for every human being and helping others to live a life consonant with this supreme dignity.

(Adopted from Pope Benedict XVI)

