



# THE YORK ORATORY

## *Saint Wilfrid's & Saint Joseph's*

SUNDAY, 24<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2025

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR  
*Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost*

### LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sunday Readings: Year C

#### MONDAY, 25<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

*St Louis, King & Confessor*

#### TUESDAY, 26<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

English *Blessed Dominic of the  
Mother of God, Confessor*

Latin *Feria, Commemoration of  
St Zephyrinus, Pope & Martyr*

#### WEDNESDAY, 27<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

English *St Monica, Widow*

Latin *Blessed Dominic of the  
Mother of God, Confessor*

#### THURSDAY, 28<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

*St Augustine of Hippo,  
Bishop, Confessor, & Doctor*

#### FRIDAY, 29<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

*The Beheading of  
St John the Baptist*

#### SATURDAY, 30<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

*ST MARGARET CLITHEROW,  
MARTYR*

### ORATORY CLERGY

Fr Richard Duffield | Provost  
Fr Daniel Seward | Parish Priest  
Fr Stephen Brown No cash  
Fr David Chadwick for the  
Br Paul Murray collection?  
Br Alexander Bailey Use this  
Br Thomas Kirk QR Code:



### ORATORY CHURCH OF ST WILFRID, DUNCOMBE PLACE, YO1 7EF

#### SUNDAYS

- 5pm Saturday Vigil (English Low Mass)
- 8.30am (English Low Mass)
- 10.30am (English Sung Mass), *followed by refreshments*
- 12 noon (Latin Sung Mass), *followed by refreshments*
- 4pm Vespers & Benediction

#### WEEKDAYS

Monday to Friday

- 8.15am (Latin Low Mass) • 12.10pm (English Low Mass)
- Saturday
- 9.15am (Latin Low Mass) • 12.10pm (English Low Mass)

#### CONFESSIONS

Monday to Saturday

- 11.30am – 12 noon
- Confessions are also heard before every Mass, every day

#### OTHER SERVICES, PRAYERS, AND DEVOTIONS

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

- Monday – Saturday from 11.30am – 12 noon
- Veneration of the Relic of Saint Philip: • Monday after the 12.10pm Mass
- Devotions to Our Lady of York: • Saturday after the 12.10pm Mass

### CHURCH OF SAINT JOSEPH, KINGSWAY NORTH, YO30 6JX

#### SUNDAYS

- 9.30am (English Sung Mass), *followed by refreshments*

#### WEDNESDAYS

- 9.15am (English Low Mass), *followed by refreshments*

#### CONFESSIONS

- Before Mass

### SHRINE OF ST MARGARET CLITHEROW, SHAMBLES, YO1 7LX

#### SATURDAYS

- 10am (English Low Mass) with Rosary before Mass
- Litany and Petitions to the Martyrs of York after Mass*

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The Oratory Church of St Wilfrid is a Jubilee Pilgrimage Church for the Holy Year 2025.  
A Plenary Indulgence, applicable to the faithful departed, may be gained each day  
by a devout visit to the church, together with prayers for the Holy Father's intentions,  
Holy Communion and sacramental Confession within a few days, and detachment from sin.



### TODAY

#### AUGUST AT THE ORATORY

No Sunday Vespers during August, but we do have  
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament as usual at 4.30pm.

#### REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS

In the Upper Room after the 10.30am & 12 noon Masses, and  
at St Joseph's after the 9.30am Mass.

#### CATECHISM CLASSES

To arrange First Holy Communion or Confirmation classes for  
your child, please speak to Fr David: [david@yorkoratory.com](mailto:david@yorkoratory.com)

### MONDAY

Bank Holiday – Latin Low Mass at 9.15am

## MONDAY: SAINT MARGARET CLITHEROW & MARTYRS OF YORK PILGRIMAGE



Bar Convent, Blossom Street, open from 9am  
Visit the chapel & garden, buy tea & coffee;  
Venerate the relic of St Margaret's hand.

PROCESSION at 10.45 from Micklegate Bar  
passing the sites of St Margaret's life & death

HIGH MASS at the Oratory, 12 noon  
BENEDICTION, 3pm

### WEDNESDAY

#### MOTHER & BABIES' PICNIC

Museum Gardens from 11am–2pm. All mothers and children  
welcome. We will be sharing ideas for our new Mother & Baby  
group. Contact [mrsroseheslop@gmail.com](mailto:mrsroseheslop@gmail.com).

#### WEDNESDAY, 3 SEPTEMBER

#### CATHOLIC PHILOSOPHY GROUP

Meets at 7.30pm in the Upper Room – to study Salvation.

### THURSDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER

#### WOMEN'S ORATORY

Meets at 7.30pm in our church.

### SATURDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER

#### ORATORIAN WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE

Provisional plan: Mass: 7.15am. Departure: 8am. Bring a picnic  
lunch. ETA in York 10pm. Cost £35. Email  
[parish@yorkoratory.com](mailto:parish@yorkoratory.com), with "Walsingham" in the header.

### SUNDAY, 7 SEPTEMBER

#### SUNG COMPLINE AT ST JOSEPH'S

6.15pm, sung by *Cælestis* – A beautiful way to end Sunday.

### MONDAY, 8 SEPTEMBER

#### TALKING HEADS

7.30pm in the Oratory House: Our Bible study group is back.  
We will be reading Judith – full of excitement!

### TUESDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER

#### MOTHER & BABIES GROUP

A new group for mothers and under 3s. Join us for a coffee and  
a slice of cake between 9.30 & 11am in the Upper Room. We  
plan to meet fortnightly. Contact [mrsroseheslop@gmail.com](mailto:mrsroseheslop@gmail.com)

#### TALKING HEADS

*Talking Heads* repeats on Tuesday at 1pm in the Upper Room.

### THURSDAY, 18 SEPTEMBER

#### PILGRIMAGE TO LADYEWELL

Ladyewell Shrine, Fernyhalgh, and Stonyhurst. Please contact  
Theresa Caddy 07835 358462 to reserve your seat and for full  
information. £25 per person. Children go free.

### FRIDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER

#### FAITH ON FRIDAYS

A new series of talks for Michaelmas: 7.30pm in the Oratory  
House. The first talk, by Br Alexander, is entitled,  
*Ressourcement before Ressourcement? John Henry Newman and the  
Early Church*. If you want to know what that means, you'll have  
to come to the talk – clever trick!

### SATURDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER

#### ST CLARE'S SEWING GUILD

Meets in the Upper Room from 10.30am. Come along with  
your own work, or join in with existing projects. Note that this  
is a different Saturday from usual!

### SUNDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER

#### CHANT GROUP

Br Paul's Gregorian Chant Group is back: 2.30pm in the Upper  
Room. Come along and try, whatever your past experience.

### SATURDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER

#### YORK UNLOCKED

Our church is part of this weekend when buildings of interest  
open their doors, and the Oratory garden will be open from 2–  
4pm. People needed to welcome visitors: speak to Fr Daniel.