

- **Welcome if you are a visitor or a guest of a family, we are pleased to have you join us today. Also, if you are new in the area, please let us know and welcome, join us for refreshments after our Mass!**
- **Non-Perishable donations of food and toiletries.** Thank you for supporting local families in our area, we have delivered fruit vegetables and non perishable food and Easter Eggs which have been much appreciated. Many Thanks for the donations. Our next delivery will be the 19th May for the Whit weekend
- **Missio .box collection time again!** Please leave your red boxes in the porch of any of our Churches during April. Last year, once again, your generous contributions amounted to almost £1000. Your kindness is greatly appreciated.
- **Smartie tube returns** – Please return smartie tubes over this coming week
- **Lamb Bingo** - has started, so far the numbers are 21, 6. Good Luck!
- **Mass Intentions** – I have at this moment no Mass intentions, please send your Mass intentions in to me. Thank you.
- **Holy Island – 31st May 2025-** St Clare's is once again hoping to visit Holy Island on Saturday 31st May to support Stella Maris. The visit will include a coffee break at Alnwick, Mass at 2.30pm on Holy Island, departure by 5pm to beat the tide, with a stop at Seahouses on the way home for anyone who wants to treat themselves to fish and chips. Coach tickets are £20 per person (to include a packed lunch) with a £10 non returnable cash deposit (payable before the end of April). If you would like to join us express your interest ASAP by texting or calling Jackie 07970520960. Many Thanks
- **Easter Cards** – With all Mass times during Holy Week are available this weekend.
- **ACAT** -Easter Campaign. A big thanks to all across our three churches who wrote a greeting card to those suffering torture and mistreatment in prisons across the world. You have sent 54 cards and that is increasing. Also thank you do your donations.
- **Good Friday** – collection will be for the Holy Land, which is a heritage for all Christians and we need to support our sisters and brothers.
- **Washing of feet** – on Holy Thursday, I need volunteers please, put your name of the list in the porch if you would like to be one of the 12 people to have their foot washed. Many Thanks
- **Good Friday Walk of Witness** – at Stokesley and also Great Ayton both starting at 11am.

*Finally, I hope you will be generous in your time this coming week. There are some of the most beautiful liturgies during the Triduum. Come and be part of this most Holy Week.
God Bless you all Monsignor Gerard.*