



# Holy Souls' Catholic Church

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## Mass Timetable for week beginning "Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time"

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Saturday 3rd February 2018	St Blaise	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00-12.00 Confessions 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Deceased members of Clarke Family Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation Polish Priest's Intentions Stan Williams RIP
Sunday 4th February 2018	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Betty Midgely RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP
Monday 5th	St Agatha	9.00 am	Rosa Ribeiro RIP
Tuesday 6th	St Paul Miki & Compan- ions	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Clarke Family Deceased Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 7th	Feria	12.00 noon	Paul and Elaine Hemingway Intentions
Thursday 8th	Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Kath Finn RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 9th	Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 10th February 2018	St Scholastica	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00-12.00 Confessions <b>No 5.30 pm Winterton</b> 5.30 pm	Leopoldo Pinto Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation ~ Rosa Ribeiro RIP
Sunday 11th February 2018	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Patrick McEvoy Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Adoration	Wednesday: 11.00 am to 12.00 noon; Saturday 4.30 pm to 5.15 pm		

**Please pray for:** all those who have died recently, may they rest in peace; for all who are sick and housebound; all those whose anniversary of death occurs at this time; that those who have material, political or spiritual power may resist any lure of corruption.



**Please join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.00 am Sunday Mass**

### Scunthorpe General Hospital

For the ministrations of a Catholic priest please contact Fr Neil Peoples or Fr Emmanuel Abbem on (01724) 842197

### Pope Francis 'Tweet of the Week':

'Through prayer we can enter into a stable relationship with God, the source of true joy.'

## This Week

- ⇒ **First Holy Communion Course.** Please pick up your new sheet this weekend.
- ⇒ **RCIA.** Continues on Tuesday at 7.30 pm.
- ⇒ **Stitch & Chat.** Continues on Wednesday from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm. All welcome.
- ⇒ **'Come and Sing Gospel'.** Next Saturday (10th) at St Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham. A Diocesan Youth Singing Day for children and young people aged 8-18, from 10.30 am to 5.00 pm. To reserve a free place go to: www.nottinghamcathedralmusic.com
- ⇒ **Macmillan Valentine's Charity Dance.** Next Saturday (10th), 7.30 pm in St Bernadette's Club. Music by Tommy, Margo and Friends. Tickets £5.00 from the Club or Michael McInerney on 01724 271531/07867 981230. All proceeds to the local Macmillan nurses.

### Job Opportunity

Secondary school headteacher vacancies: The Becket School and The Trinity School. Following the appointment of the current headteachers to CEO positions within the Diocese of Nottingham, we are looking to appoint two new headteachers to these high performing schools in Nottingham. Applicants must be practicing Catholics and have a strong understanding of Catholic education, but may, currently, be employed outside the Catholic sector. If you are interested, please see the TES or the schools' websites. Closing date is midday Friday 9th February 2018.

### Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimage - Update

The Hotel we will be staying in is the 'Hotel Astoria'. Can I ask that those interested in joining a group from Scunthorpe please sign up by **18th February**. We will then register people and look at transport to East Midlands Airport. So far we have 8-10 people showing an interest, including people from St Bernadette's Parish.

### Baptism Course

Anyone wishing to have their child baptised at Holy Souls/St Norbert's, are required to attend on **Thursday 22nd February** at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall.

**Music at St Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham Saturday 10th March, 7.45 pm – JS Bach Mass in B Minor.** A performance by Nottingham Cathedral Choir and Helix Ensemble. Tickets £18, £15 or £10; available online or by calling 01159 539839.

### St Joseph and St Dymphna

As you will know the decision has been made to sell St Joseph and St Dymphna's in Luddington. This is of course a sad time for a lot of people who have many memories connected to the Church. We have now instructed the estate agents to start the process of advertising the site, so please be aware that 'For Sale' signs may appear soon and that adverts will be put on various sites on the internet. When I have any further information, I will of course let you know. *Fr Neil*

### HUMANAE VITAE

#### Interpreting the Moral Law

4. This kind of question requires from the teaching authority of the Church a new and deeper reflection on the principles of the moral teaching on marriage - a teaching which is based on the natural law as illuminated and enriched by divine Revelation. No member of the faithful could possibly deny that the Church is competent in her magisterium to interpret the natural moral law. It is in fact indisputable, as Our predecessors have many times declared, (1) that Jesus Christ, when He communicated His divine power to Peter and the other Apostles and sent them to teach all nations His commandments, (2) constituted them as the authentic guardians and interpreters of the whole moral law, not only, that is, of the law of the Gospel but also of the natural law. For the natural law, too, declares the will of God, and its faithful observance is necessary for men's eternal salvation. (3) In carrying out this mandate, the Church has always issued appropriate documents on the nature of marriage, the correct use of conjugal rights, and the duties of spouses. These documents have been more copious in recent times. (4) HV 4

### VERITATIS SPLENDOR

The Church knows that the issue of morality is one which deeply touches every person; it involves all people, even those who do not know Christ and his Gospel or God himself. She knows that it is precisely *on the path of the moral life that the way of salvation is open to all*. The Second Vatican Council clearly recalled this when it stated that "those who without any fault do not know anything about Christ or his Church, yet who search for God with a sincere heart and under the influence of grace, try to put into effect the will of God as known to them through the dictate of conscience . . . can obtain eternal salvation". The Council added: "Nor does divine Providence deny the helps that are necessary for salvation to those who, through no fault of their own, have not yet attained to the express recognition of God, yet who strive, not without divine grace, to lead an upright life. For whatever goodness and truth is found in them is considered by the Church as a preparation for the Gospel and bestowed by him who enlightens everyone that they may in the end have life". VS 3