

# The Church of The Holy Souls'

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## Mass Timetable for week beginning "Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time"

Date	Feast	Time	Church	Intention
Sunday 16th February 2020	Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Holy Souls' St Norbert's St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Stan Williams RIP  Polish Priest's Intentions Keith McKee RIP
Monday 17th	Feria	9.30 am 4.00 pm Reception	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	Eileen Niland RIP
Tuesday 18th	Feria	9.30 am Polish 10.00 am 12.00 noon Requiem	Holy Souls' St Norbert's Holy Souls'	Polish Priest's Intentions - Eileen Niland RIP
Wednesday 19th	Feria	10.00 am 6.00 pm	St Thomas' St Bernadette's	~
Thursday 20th	Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Readhead Family RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 21st	Feria	9.30 am Polish 9.30 am 10.00 am	Holy Souls' St Bernadette's St Thomas'	Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 22nd February 2020	Chair of St Peter	9.00-9.20 am 9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 6.00 pm (Vigil)	Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's	Confessions David Lisle Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 23rd February 2020	Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Holy Souls' St Norbert's St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Kath Finn RIP  Polish Priest's Intentions Angiolina Terentiak RIP

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'Often we forget the Lord and deal with other gods: money, vanity, pride. Let us ask for the grace to understand when our heart begins to slide into worldliness. God's grace and love will stop us if we ask in prayer.'

## Please pray for:

Eileen Niland and all those who have died recently, may they rest in peace; for their families at this difficult time; for those whose anniversaries occur at this time; for all who are sick and housebound.

The Pope's Prayer Intention for February 2020.

Universal prayer intention - listen to the Migrants' Cries: we pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.

**Scunthorpe General Hospital** ~ please contact the Clergy (01724 844895) if you, or a loved one, is in Hospital and would like a visit.

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

## The Canon Comments

Jesus is the completion of the Law of God given to Israel through Moses. He has come not to sweep it away but to perfect it. In this part of the Sermon on the Mount Matthew has gathered six instances (four this week and two next Sunday) of the ways in which Jesus brings the Law to perfection. The first factor to notice however, is that Jesus does not hesitate to adjust the divine Law on his own authority, for he too has divine authority. Each correction begins with a statement of the old Law and boldly goes on, "But I say this to you..."

Each of the corrections has its own character. The first is about enmity, the sixth about love. About enmity, it is not enough merely to forego violent injury; we must expel enmity from our hearts, positively seeking reconciliation, whether the offence is our fault or not. About lust, it is similarly not enough to forego acts of lust; we must not harbour such thoughts in our hearts. About divorce, the easy toleration of divorce in the Jewish Law is swept away, and Jesus uncompromisingly calls it fornication. About truth, it is not enough to keep a legal oath; we must be people whose every word can be relied upon. These are Jesus' demanding standards. (HW). Canon Geoffrey

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#### Parish Mission Prayer

Holy Father, great God of love and mercy,

You have surrendered everything for love of us.

May we learn to surrender everything for love of You. Fill us with Your Holy Spirit that we may do Your will and not our

Help us to love you above all things and to love Your people the way You have commanded us.

Quiet our minds and hearts that we may be open to the gift of your truth, and grant that our Parish Mission may be:

a time of Grace for all,

a time of growth for the young,

a time of refreshment for the old,

a time of renewal for families,

a time of healing for the broken,

a time of joy for the sorrowing,

a time of challenge for the complacent,

a time of forgiveness for the sinner,

a time of strength for the holy,

a time of homecoming for all who have been away. We beg you these things, Holy Father, in Jesus' name.

Amen.

#### Advice re concerns about the Coronavirus

- ♦ Covering one's mouth and nose while sneezing or coughing, and regular washing of hands.
- If a parishioner feels uncomfortable, for the moment, about shaking hands at the Sign of Peace, then they could bow to the other person and say: 'Peace be with you'.
- If a parishioner feels uncomfortable, for the moment, about receiving from the chalice, then they could refrain from doing so.

#### <u>KSC</u>

Next weekend a representative of the KSC will speaking at the 9.00 am Sunday Mass.

## National Scripture Tour

The Scripture Tour will be in the Diocese of Nottingham next Saturday 22nd February at the Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Newark, NG24 4AU; visit anytime between 10 am and 4.30 pm. The artist - Pete Codling - will be explaining his artwork at 12.30 pm with other presentations before and after on Mary and The Word, Seeing The Word, Exploring The Word, Sharing The Word, Living The Word with food and refreshments available. Visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk There will also be a chance to win 'The God Who Roars' lion, see Cardinal Vincent Nichols trailer: https://www.cbcew.org.uk/home/events/the-god-who-speaks/

## Macmillan Valentine Charity Dance

At Butlers on Saturday, 22nd February from 7.30 pm til late. Music by 'Fiddlers Green'. Tickets £5.00 each available from Butlers or Michael McInerney on 01724 271531/07867 981230. There will be a raffle and donations of suitable prizes would be appreciated.

## Ash Wednesday Masses - 26th February 2020

9.45 am St Bede's Academy, Scunthorpe

(open to parishioners)

10.00 am St Augustine Webster's School

(open to parishioners)

10.00 am Polish Holy Souls'

12.00 noon
2.00 pm
Holy Souls'
St Norbert's School, Crowle

(open to parishioners)
pm St Bernadette's

6.00 pm St Bernadette's 6.00 pm St Thomas', Gainsborough

Walsingham Pilgrimage

There is a proposed Pilgrimage to Walsingham on 29th March 2020 - Dowry Dedication. For further details contact Grazyna, email: grazyna.anelay@gmail.com

## Easter Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

8th April 2020. £649.00 per person. Single supp £100.00. Flight with 10 kg bag, 5 nights Knock House Hotel with breakfast and dinner. All excursions included. Lunches on days out. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557;

email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com

### Marriage Encounter Weekend

On 4th to 5th July, 2020 there is an opportunity for all married couples to enrich their marriage and renew their commitment to one another. A non-residential Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held at Savio House, Bollington, near Macclesfield, SK10 5RW. Most couples and many priests find this a very rewarding experience. Book now at www.wwme.org.uk or for more information contact Charles and Krysia Golabek on 01625 263627 charles.golabek@ntlworld.com or Mark & Liz Dutton on 01625 428498 lizmark@lizmark1.co.uk There are Travel Lodges in Adlington and Macclesfield and a Premier Inn in Tytherington – all within 3 miles.

### **Hospital Visits**

Canon Geoffrey and Fr Liam would like to remind all parishioners to inform them when they, or a relative, has been admitted to hospital. This is most important as they no longer have access to any hospital list. There have been a couple of incidents recently when they have been unaware of people in hospital and were unable to administer the Sacraments. They need the patients and/or relatives permission to visit.

#### Money Matters:

9th February

Loose plate £293.31 Envelopes £136.50

£429.81

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