



The Church of The Holy Souls'

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Mass Timetable for week beginning "Fifth Sunday of Lent"

Date	Feast	Time	Church	Intention
Sunday 28th March 2020	Fifth Sunday Lent	All Masses Suspended		
Monday 29th	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Tuesday 30th	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Wednesday 1st April	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Thursday 2nd	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Friday 3rd	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Saturday 4th April	Lenten Feria	All Masses Suspended		
Sunday 5th April 2020	Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord	All Masses Suspended		

Please see below **web address** which contains posters in 34 different languages containing relevant information regarding Coronavirus aka COVID-19.

<https://www.doctorsoftheworld.org.uk/coronavirus-information/#>

Pope Francis 'Tweet of the Week':

'If you find it hard to pray, don't give up. Be still; make space for God to come in; let Him look at you, and He will fill you with His peace.'

Please pray for: Canon John Berry (PP of Eastwood, Nottingham), Osvaldo Tirelli of Gainsborough, and for 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 April 2020.
Universal prayer intention - Freedom from Addiction.
We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.

A Message from Canon Geoffrey

As you will be aware there have been several directives and instructions issued over the past few days from HM Government and The Bishops' Conference. As of 24th March 2020, for a period of three weeks, all Churches will be closed to parishioners and the general public.

These are difficult times and we must follow the advice that has been given to help control the spread of this virus. Please be scrupulous in following Government guidance concerning hygiene, social distancing and self-isolation, so that we can all keep safe & keep calm. Let us pray harder than ever before for an end to this crisis

Please **stay at home** and only leave your home, until further notice, for one of these four reasons:

- ◆ Shopping for basic necessities, as infrequently as possible
- ◆ One form of exercise a day - for example a run, walk, or cycle - alone or with members of your household;
- ◆ Any medical need, to provide care or to help a vulnerable person; and
- ◆ Travelling to and from work, but only where this is absolutely necessary and cannot be done from home.

Whilst we cannot gather for Sunday Mass, Bishop's House are confident that they will be able to live stream the following liturgies from the private chapel at Bishop's House, on the Bishop's YouTube account.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCaf7upUMsn3Kl8GD79FotjQ>

- ◆ Wednesday 25th - Simple Mass for the Annunciation (Solemnity) - 7.30 pm
- ◆ Thursday 26th - Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament - 10 am
- ◆ Friday 27th - Stations of the Cross - 3 pm
- ◆ Sunday 29th (clocks go forward) - The Bishop hopes that he may still be able to offer Mass in the Cathedral on this the 5th Sunday of Lent, if not, this will be streamed live from his private chapel at Bishop's House. At this Mass we shall pray for the Rededication of England as Our Lady's Dowry and the Mass will end with the Angelus Promise - Mass begins at 11.15 am

Mass may also be viewed from The Cathedral, Nottingham and the National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham.

Fr Liam and I continue to celebrate Mass each day and we are holding you all very much in our thoughts and prayers. Please continue to support and care for each other.

Canon Geoffrey

A DAILY PRAYER

Please say this prayer every together with the Lord's Prayer, Hail Mary & Glory be. It has been adapted by Rev Andrew Cole from a prayer written by the Most Rev Mark Coleridge, Archbishop of Brisbane

Almighty and all-merciful God,
lover of the human race,
healer of all our wounds,
in whom there is no shadow of death,
save us in this time of crisis,
save us in this time of crisis,
comfort the sick and the dying,
the isolated and the afraid;
be with us in our need.

Grant wisdom and courage to our leaders
And all who are responsible for the common good.

Watch over everyone who is working
in our National Health Service as they tend the sick,
all who are supporting the vulnerable,
and those who are working for a cure.

Stir in us a sense of solidarity beyond all isolation;
if our doors are closed, let our hearts be open.

By the power of your love
destroy the virus of fear,
that hope may never die
and grant that the light of Easter, the triumph of life,
may shine upon us and the whole world.
may we, like the Paschal Candle
marked with the sign of the Cross
give of ourselves and burn yet more brightly,
for love conquers everything, light transforms darkness.

By welcoming Christ into our hearts each and every day,
may we always spread your love far and wide
by valuing in all in the name of Jesus the Christ
and being the people you have made us to be.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit
one God, for ever and. Amen.

Our Lady Immaculate, Our Lady of Walsingham, Our Lady
Health of the Sick,
pray for us.
St Joseph, guardian of Jesus, guardian of us all,
pray for us.
St Hugh of Lincoln, Patron of the Diocese of Nottingham,
pray for us.

Rededication of England as Our Lady's Dowry

The Rosary, 7.00 pm, Saturday 28th March 2020. In preparation for the Rededication on 29th March you are invited to pray the Joyful Mysteries of The Rosary:

<https://www.walsingham.org.uk/rededication>