



The Catholic Parishes of Holy Souls' & St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe

Mass Timetable for week beginning
Second Sunday of Lent - 28th February 2021



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Date	Feast	Time	Mass Time	Intention
Saturday 27th	Lenten Feria	6.00 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Polish	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	Pamela Picksley Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 28th February 2021	Second Sunday Of Lent	9.00 am 11.00 am 4.30 pm Polish	St Norbert's Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Kevin & Barbara Proctor RIP Michael McGrory RIP/Maura Maguire & Family Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions
Monday 1st March	St David	9.30 am	St Bernadette's	Tommy & Tess McCarthy RIP
Tuesday 2nd	Lenten Feria	9.30 am 11.00 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	John Keane RIP/Maureen Rubano RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 3rd	Lenten Feria	7.00 pm	St Norbert's	Intentions of Fr John Cahill
Thursday 4th	Lenten Feria	No English Mass 11.00 am Polish	~ Holy Souls'	~ Polish Priest's Intentions
First Friday 5th	Lenten Feria	10.00 am 6.00 pm 6.00 pm Polish	St Thomas' St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	TBA Anne & John Lyons RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 6th	Lenten Feria	6.00 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Polish	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	Stephen Thornton RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 7th March 2021	Third Sunday Of Lent	9.00 am 11.00 am 4.30 pm Polish	St Norbert's Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Private Intention Joseph Le Van Vay RIP/Nguyen Ngoc Hoi RIP Polish Priest's Intentions

Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week

'Lent is precisely the season of hope when we turn our gaze back to the God who is patient. Saint Paul passionately urges us to place our hope in reconciliation: "Be reconciled to God" (2 Cor 5:20).'

The Pope's Prayer Intention for March 2021.



Intention for Evangelization – Sacrament Of Reconciliation. Let us pray that we may experience the Sacrament of Reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

Saturday and Sunday Masses – seats must be booked in advance online: <https://massbooking.uk>

To avoid disappointment please do not turn up to a weekend Mass if you have not booked a seat in advance.

Please stay at home if you or someone in your household displays symptoms of Covid-19

WASH HANDS - COVER FACE - MAKE SPACE

Message from Fr. Matthew

I am very pleased to be your new parish priest in Scunthorpe, Gainsborough and Crowle. Thank you for your warm welcome. It is a strange time to move parishes because the social dimension of parish life is rather lacking at the moment, so I thought I would write a little bit about myself so that you can get to know me.

I entered the priesthood in my late twenties. Before this I studied history and law at University and worked as a solicitor for several years. I was trained for the priesthood at Oscott College in the West Midlands between 1997-2003. I have worked in a variety of parishes since ordination, in Nottingham, Mansfield, Burton-on-Trent and finally coming here from St Hugh's Lincoln. I also served as Vocations Director between 2009-2015. I originally come from near Worksop, Nottinghamshire, where my family still live. My interests include history, hiking, dogs, tropical fish and films.

I look forward to what will hopefully be many happy and fruitful years working with you in these four parishes. Please pray for me as I begin this challenging role and you can be assured that I am praying for you.

Fr Matthew

In your charity please pray for

all who have died recently, may they rest in peace.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Please pray for their families at this difficult time; for those whose anniversaries occur at this time and for all who are sick and housebound and those who have no family to support them. We remember all those who are in hospital or are having treatment, those whose treatment has been cancelled or postponed, and those who are in nursing homes or being cared for at home.

Society of St Justin Martyr

As most of you will know, Fr Liam was appointed Chaplain General of the Society on Ash Wednesday and we offer him our sincere congratulations.

The Society of St Justin Martyr was founded in 2005 by a group of Catholic friends in England. It originally functioned in the UK only as a confraternity for those who wished to honour the memory of those who had worshipped in the Cathedrals, Churches and Monasteries of the UK prior to, and during the protestant reformation. Now membership has spread to other countries across the world.

Making pilgrimage to ruined or former places of Catholic worship and praying for the living and the dead (a spiritual work of mercy) is at the heart of what members do, privately or in groups. The duty of members is simply to offer one Pater Noster, Ave Maria and Gloria Patri during those visits on behalf of past and present worshippers, as an act of reparation for past wrongs and for the Unity of Christ's Church.

Members have a share in the fruits of monthly Masses offered by the Chaplains of the Society.

New members are always welcome and more information can be found at www.justinmartyr.org.uk

Vocations

You are called! Are you listening? Are you looking for a challenge? Are you searching for God? 18 and over? Why not join the Vocations Team at their Zoom Café next Monday 1st March from 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm, where you will have an opportunity to ask questions and chat with Religious Sisters and Priests about vocation. A warm welcome awaits you. Please email Diane at

vocationsadmin@dioceseofnottingham.uk to register your place or for any further information.

Prayer to St Joseph

O St Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all my interests and desires.

O St Joseph, do assist me by your powerful intercession and obtain for me from your divine son all spiritual blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord; so that having engaged here below your heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers.

O St Joseph, I never weary contemplating you and Jesus asleep in your arms. I dare not approach while he reposes near your heart. Press him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath.

St Joseph, patron of departing souls. Pray for us.

Amen.

Additional Masses

Fr Matthew is hoping to put on some additional Masses but in order to do so we desperately need more volunteer Stewards. If you are over the age of 18 and under 70, not shielding or clinically vulnerable please ring St Bernadette's on 01724 844895 or email stbernadettesashby@gmail.com

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Blessed Sacrament,

I love You above all things and I desire You in my soul,

Since I now cannot receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart,

I embrace you and unite myself to you;

Permit not that I should ever be separated from You.

Amen.



"GOD has not called me to be SUCCESSFUL. He called me to be FAITHFUL."