



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

Mass Timetable for week beginning

Twenty-third Sunday of the Year – 5th September 2021



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| Date | Feast | Time | Mass Time | Intention |
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| Saturday 4th September 2021 | Feria | 9.30 am 11.00 am Polish 4.00 pm 4.30 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Vigil | Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's | Dowry of Mary for advancement of the RC religion in England Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation People of the Parish Theresa McFadden RIP |
| Sunday 5th September 2021 | Twenty-third Sunday of The Year | 9.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish | St Norbert's Holy Souls' St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' | Roseanne Rodgers RIP Josephine Till RIP Sean Moore RIP TBA Polish Priest's Intentions |
| Monday 6th | Feria | 9.30 am | St Bernadette's | For the Holy Souls |
| Tuesday 7th | Feria | 9.30 am <i>Pre-book on Massbooking.uk</i> 11.00 am Polish | Holy Souls' Holy Souls' | Veronica McCabe RIP Polish Priest's Intentions |
| Wednesday 8th | The Nativity of The Blessed Virgin Mary | 10.00 am | St Norbert's | Josie Till RIP |
| Thursday 9th | Feria | 9.30 am 11.00 am Polish | Holy Souls' Holy Souls' | Keith McKee RIP Polish Priest's Intentions |
| Friday 10th | Feria | 10.00 am 11.00 am Polish 6.00 pm | St Thomas' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's | TBA Polish Priest's Intentions Peter Middleton RIP |
| Saturday 11th September 2021 | Feria | 9.30 am 11.00 am Polish 4.00 pm 4.30 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Vigil | Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's | Kieran Gillen RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation McInerney Family Deceased People of the Parish |
| Sunday 12th September 2021 | Twenty-fourth Sunday of The Year | 9.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish | St Norbert's Holy Souls' St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' | Kathleen Tonge RIP Winnie & Frank Mongan RIP In Thanksgiving (Jefin) TBA Polish Priest's Intentions |

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

The Pope's Prayer Intention for September 2021

Universal Intention: An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle
 We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week

'St Paul invites us too to reflect on how we live faith. Does the love of Christ, crucified and risen, remain at the centre of our life as the wellspring of salvation, or are we content with a few religious formalities to salve our consciences?'

Message from Fr Matthew

Covid Update

Pope Francis and Pope Benedict have both received their vaccinations and Pope Francis is encouraging people, who have not already done so, to get vaccinated with authorised Covid-19 vaccines. As the virus is still prevalent I encourage you to sign in for Test and Trace purposes; to sanitise your hands as you enter and leave Church and wear a face mask at Mass, unless you are exempt. As more parishioners are returning to Church please take care to maintain space between you and others not in your 'bubble' as you take your seat and when moving to receive Holy Communion. As and when we are able, we will gradually re-introduce the normal practices of public worship, however it may mean that some mitigation measures will need to be re-established if transmission rates increase. I am grateful for your continued support.

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; 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.

Talk on Assisted Suicide by Baroness Grey-Thompson

On Thursday 9th September at 7.30 pm Baroness Grey-Thompson will deliver a talk entitled, 'Assisted Dying: A Win for Autonomy or a Loss for Civil Society?' Baroness Grey-Thompson, is a former Paralympian, disability rights campaigner, member of the House of Lords and opponent of legalised physician assisted-suicide who will address the Diocese on this vital moral issue, via Zoom. If you would like to attend this exclusive talk, please visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk in order to register.

Thank You

to all who helped with the arrangements and preparation of food for Fr Liam's Presentation last Sunday. It was a lovely occasion and was greatly appreciated by Fr Liam.

Eucharistic Adoration at St Bernadette's Church

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.00 am to 5.00 pm. There are a number of sessions still available on Fridays: 11.00 am to 12 noon; 12 noon to 1.00 pm and 1.00 to 2.00 pm. If you are interested please email: stbernadettesashby@gmail.com or telephone 01724 844895

Used Postage Stamps

Can you please save all your used postage stamps and, when able, leave these at Church. When we have sufficient they will be sent to Lindsey Lodge Hospice. *If you can cut a one centimetre border (approx) around the stamp* that would be very much appreciated. Thank you.

Celebrating Mass at Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's

We ask that parishioners:

- Support NHS Test, Track and Trace by signing in with the QR code if you have a smartphone or sign and post the contact slips of paper in the post box provided.
- Sanitise your hands when entering and leaving church.
- Wear a face covering unless you are exempt from doing so for medical reasons.
- Try to leave two seats space between you and other people not in your family/social bubble
- Avoid getting too close to the person in front of you when moving to receive Holy Communion during Mass.
- Place your offertory collection in the basket as you arrive for or leave after Mass

HANDS - SPACE - VENTILATE

Freeman Hospital

Some parishioners may be aware that Isaac Sidaway became very ill with heart failure last November. Isaac, who has just turned 13, was given life saving treatment at Freeman Hospital, Newcastle. He has made wonderful progress and continues to amaze everyone but is still awaiting a new heart. His family and friends are organising fundraising for the Children's Heart Unit at Freeman. If you would like to buy raffle tickets or make a donation, please speak to one of the family. There is also a Facebook page where you can read Isaac's story and/or make a donation. <https://Facebook.com/events/s/charity-evening-in-aid-of-chuf/148111286572266/>

Second Collection

On Sunday 19th September there will be a second collection for Home Mission Sunday.

Prayer for Vocations

God Our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom, as Priests, Deacons, and as Religious men and women. Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May we continue to support and encourage vocations in our families and in our Parish Community.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever. Amen.

Mary Immaculate: Pray for us.
 St Hugh of Lincoln: Pray for us.
 All the Saints of our Diocese: Pray for us.

'When a person is conquered by the Fire of His gaze, no sacrifice seems to great to follow Him'

Discernment evening for those who feel called to the Priesthood at the Vocation Centre, 247 Gordon Road, Nottingham, NG3 2LG. If you are interested in exploring a vocation to the Priesthood, you'll be very welcome to join the newly appointed Vocations Directors on Friday 24th September at 7.00 pm for a time of prayer, informal discussion and social time. For more information email: vocations@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Christus Vivit - 'Christ is alive, and He wants you to be alive'

A new group for young adults. A monthly meeting for fellowship and Formation for young adults aged 18-35 in the Diocese of Nottingham. The first meeting will take place on Thursday 7th October at St Barnabas Cathedral, starting at 6.30 pm with Adoration and ending at 8.00 pm with an optional visit to a local pub to continue conversations and grow in community.