



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

Mass Timetable for week beginning
All Saints - 31st October 2021



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Date	Feast	Time	Mass Time	Intention
Saturday 30th October 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	Jeena Sunny RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation Julia Neary & Teresa McGrory Charlie Pirrello RIP
Sunday 31st October 2021	Solemnity of All Saints	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'	Michael Padden RIP People of the Parish Susan Hoban RIP TBA Polish Priest's Intentions
Monday 1st November	Feria	9.30 am 6.00 pm	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	Brendan Ladden RIP Holy Souls'
Tuesday 2nd	Commemoration of All the Faithful De- parted - All Souls' Day	7.30 am 9.30 am Pre-book on Massbooking.uk 11.00 am Polish 7.00 pm	St Bernadette's Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's	November Dead List Scunthorpe Holy Souls'/Clarke Family Deceased Polish Priest's Intentions Holy Souls'
Wednesday 3rd	Feria	10.00 am	St Norbert's	Freya Hamilton RIP
Thursday 4th	St Charles Borromeo	No 9.30 am Mass 11.00 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	No Mass Polish Priest's Intentions
First Friday 5th	Feria	10.00 am 11.00 am Polish 6.00 pm 7.00 pm Polish	St Thomas' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	TBA Polish Priest's Intentions Ron & Kathleen Stapleton RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 6th November 2021	Our Lady	No 9.30 am Mass 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	No Mass Polish Priest's Intentions Sacrament of Reconciliation Kathleen & Alan McCauley RIP People of the Parish
Sunday 7th November 2021	Thirty-second 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 Hunt RIP Onelia Cicioni RIP November Dead List 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 November 2021

 **Universal Intention: People Who Suffer From Depression.**
 We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week

'We often do the bare minimum, whereas Jesus invites us to do the maximum possible. How many times are we satisfied with doing our duties — the precepts, a few prayers — whereas God, who gives us life, asks us for enthusiasm in life!'

Fr Matthew's Catechism Praying for the Dead

We are now entering the month of November, a month which is dedicated to praying for the departed. The Scriptures themselves tell us of the great importance of praying for those who have died. In the Second Book of Maccabees we read how Judas the Jewish leader at that time arranged for sacrifices to be offered in the temple for fallen soldiers because of his belief in the Resurrection of the dead. We are told that to pray for the dead in this way is "holy and devout." (2 Macc 12v. 44). The early Christians continued this tradition praying at the tombs of their ancestors, and even having Masses offered for them in the Roman cemeteries. The Catholic Church has always believed that God invests our prayers for our departed loved ones with great value. It is always God's way to involve us in his saving work, even for those who have died in an imperfect state and need purification before they enter heaven. We must assume, given human nature, that this is the case for the vast majority of people. We also have Masses offered for the faithful departed. The Mass is the most powerful prayer in the Church, and so it is of immense assistance to the faithful departed on their way to the heavenly kingdom.

November – The Month of the Holy Souls

November is traditionally the month when we remember deceased family and friends. If you wish your loved ones to be remembered at Mass, please put your offering in an envelope with a list of those you wish to be prayed for and mark the envelope 'November Dead List'. Place the envelope in the collection basket as you leave Church and these will be placed in front of the Altar at all November Masses.

In your charity please pray for

Beatrice Brown, Timothy (Tim) Galvin, Janet Killen and 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.

Synod 2021-2023

Meeting at Holy Souls' Parish Hall, Monday 1st November from 7.00 to 8.00 pm; this will be preceded by Mass at 6.00 pm. Bishop Patrick has asked all parishes and schools in the Diocese of Nottingham to contribute to the Diocesan phase of the forthcoming Synod of Bishops. There will be a series of three meetings to which all parishioners from our four parishes are invited to attend. The first meeting at Holy Souls' will consider:

- ♦ What is my dream for the Church and for my parish, so that it can become more outward-looking, more missionary?
- ♦ To achieve this dream, what do we need to stop doing? What are we doing that needs to be developed or done differently?

Hard copies of these questions are available at the back of our Churches for you to complete if you are unable to attend this meeting but would like to take part. There will be two further meetings to consider other questions which we are hoping to hold at St Norbert's and St Thomas' respectively. Please be bold and say what you think! For more information visit: [For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, Mission - Catholic Bishops' Conference \(cbcew.org.uk\)](http://For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, Mission - Catholic Bishops' Conference (cbcew.org.uk) or dioceseofnottingham.uk/synod2023) or dioceseofnottingham.uk/synod2023

Ecumenical Service of Remembrance

Sunday 14th November 2021, 10.45 am, at the War Memorial, St Paul's Church, Ashby High Street.

Interfaith Week

Exploring the 'Journey of Different Faiths' from Sunday 14th November to Sunday 21st November. Please see poster in porch for full details.

Blessing of Graves

- Woodlands, Sunday 14th November at 3.00 pm
- Brumby Cemetery, Sunday 21st November at 3.00 pm

St Bernadette's Parish Centre

The Parish Centre is now available for hire. For more information please leave a message on 01724 862804 or email: stbernadettesparishcentre@gmail.com

Galilea Polish Prayer Group

Every Wednesday from 6.00 to 8.00 pm in Holy Souls Parish Hall. All welcome.

Covid Guidelines

Everyone is welcome to come to Church and we encourage the following:

- If you have the NHS COVID-19 app installed on your smartphone, you can help prevent the spread of coronavirus by scanning the QR code in each Church; alternatively, there are signing-in slips which we will keep for three weeks if you do not have the app.
- That face coverings continue to be worn at Mass, unless you are exempt.
- That you sanitise your hands on entering and leaving the Church.
- That, where possible, you try to leave two seats between you and other people not in your group.
- Do not come into the Church if you have any symptoms of Covid-19 or have been asked to self-isolate having come into contact with someone with the virus.

The doors and windows of our Churches must be left open before, during and after Mass to help reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19; this is even more important as we move towards winter, so please wear warm clothing when coming into our Churches and bring a cushion and water with you if you need them for your comfort.

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Synod Prayer

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
As we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.

All this we ask of You,
who are work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever.

Amen.