



**The Catholic Parishes of Holy Souls' and  
St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe and St Norbert's, Crowle  
Mass Timetable for week beginning  
Pentecost Sunday - 28th May 2023**

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| Date/Of the Day  | Holy Souls   | St Bernadette's  | St Norbert's                               |
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| <b>Saturday, 27th</b><br><i>St Augustine of Canterbury</i>             | -  | <b>5.15 to 5.45 pm</b><br>Confessions with Exposition<br><b>6.00 pm (Vigil)</b><br>Josette Kralski RIP | -  |
| <b>Sunday, 28th May 2023</b><br><i>Pentecost Sunday</i>                | <b>10.00 am</b><br>Bridget & Sylvester Murray RIP<br><b>4.30 pm Polish</b><br>Polish Priest Intentions | <b>11.15 am</b><br>Dominic's Special Intentions<br><b>3.00 pm</b><br>May Devotions                     | <b>8.30 am</b><br>Kathleen Hunt RIP        |
| <b>Monday, 29th - Mary,</b><br><i>Mother of the Church</i>             | -  | <b>9.30 am</b><br>Anne Watkins RIP   | -  |
| <b>Tuesday, 30th</b><br><i>Feria</i>                                   | <b>9.30 am</b><br>A M Grasar RIP & William Matthew Grasar RIP  | -  | -  |
| <b>Wednesday, 31st - The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>     | <b>9.30 am</b><br>Peter Tran Van Phu RIP   | -  | <b>10.30 am</b><br>November Dead List      |
| <b>Thursday, 1st June - Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest</b> | -  | -  | -  |
| <b>First Friday, 2nd</b><br><i>Feria</i>                               | -  | -  | -  |
| <b>Saturday, 3rd</b><br><i>Sts Charles Lwanga &amp; Comps</i>          | -  | <b>6.00 pm (Vigil)</b><br>Mary Pound RIP   | -  |
| <b>Sunday, 4th</b><br><i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>                     | <b>10.00 am</b><br>Ojidu Family Deceased<br><b>4.30 pm Polish</b><br>Polish Priest Intentions          | <b>11.15 am</b><br>In Thanksgiving for People of the Parish<br><b>3.00 pm</b><br>Syro-Malabar Mass     | <b>8.30 am</b><br>Mrs Tina Cook intentions |

For Polish Mass Times at Holy Souls Church, please see the Polish bulletin at the back of Holy Souls Church, the notice on the window as you enter from the car park at Holy Souls Church, or visit [www.facebook.com/parafia.polska.scun.link.grim](http://www.facebook.com/parafia.polska.scun.link.grim)

**Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week**

'Christians do not diminish the seriousness of suffering, they raise their eyes to the Lord and under the blows of adversity, trust in him and pray for those who suffer. They keep their eyes on Heaven, but their hands are extended to earth, to serve their neighbour concretely.'

**The Pope's Prayer Intention for June 2023**

**For the abolition of torture.** We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

**Safeguarding Representatives**

**St Bernadette's:** Janice Moran/Barbara Faulds 07513 725545  
**Holy Souls':** Deacon Sebastian 07706 622888  
**Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator:**  
 Rachael Campion 01159 539849

**The Feast of the Visitation 31st May**

This Feast was established by Pope Urban VI in 1389. It is located between the Feast of the Annunciation and the that of the Birth of St John the Baptist because this harmonises with the chronology we find in the Gospels. It commemorates Our Lady's visit to her cousin Elizabeth, who was already advanced in years, to help her in her confinement. Mary also shared with her cousin the joy of motherhood and the wonders God wrought in both of them through their children. This Feast is an appropriate way to close the month of May dedicated to Mary. It shows her mediation, her spirit of service, and her profound humility. It teaches us to carry the joy of the Gospel with us wherever we go, just as Mary did.

**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.

**Pastoral Letter**

Bishop Patrick's Pastoral Letter for Pentecost is available to read, watch, or listen to via the diocesan website. This use of digital media allows us to perhaps share the letter with a loved one, family member, or parishioner who, for whatever reason, could not hear it in the usual way this weekend. To access the Pastoral Letter visit:

[www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/pentecost-letter](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/pentecost-letter)

For those not online copies are available at the back of Church.

**Mandatory Second Collections**

**18 June 2023** - Day for Life.  
**2nd July 2023** - Peter's Pence.  
**16th July 2023** - Stella Maris (Sea Sunday).

The collections for last week's World Communications Day amounted to:

Holy Souls £106.42  
 St Bernadette's £263.72

Thank you for your generosity.

**Plant Sale**

Will continue this week at St Bernadette's Church to raise funds for St Bernadette's Church.

**Diary Dates**

⇒ **Tuesday, 30th May 2023** - PPC Meeting in St Bernadette's Parish Centre at 7.00 pm  
 ⇒ **Wednesday, 7th June 2023** - Ladies Guild meeting in St Bernadette's Parish Centre from 2.00 to 4.00 pm. All welcome.  
 ⇒ **Tuesday, 27th June 2023** - SVP Lunch. Details to follow.

**Faith and Footprint**

**Monday 5th June from 7.00 to 8.30 pm.** Caritas invite you to their next online workshop with CAFOD on caring for Creation in our parishes and homes. The session is a chance to meet others who are praying and working for a greener Church, or interested in the parish earning the Livesimply Award. There will be a focus on planning for activities for the Season of Creation, which starts on 1st September and designing a 'campaign journey' and assembling resources to engage parishioners. To receive the Zoom link book your place at [bit.ly/FaithandFootprint](http://bit.ly/FaithandFootprint)

**Pro-Life Retreat Day**

You are all invited to a **Pro-Life Retreat Day** focussing on the cause of defending life from conception to natural death. The Retreat, to be held on **Saturday 10th June**, will be led by James Leatherland, founder of Catholic Man UK. Starting with coffee at 10.00 am, the Retreat will focus entirely on the pro-life cause. Refreshments (lunch, tea and coffee) will be provided. The Retreat will finish at about 3.00 pm. There is

no charge for taking part but donations will be gratefully accepted.

Places are limited so to participate please book on Eventbrite: [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/636445003137](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/636445003137) or email John: [pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Training Session**

Canon Matthew invites all extraordinary ministers and prospective extraordinary ministers to a training session to be held at Holy Souls Church from 7.00 to 8.00 pm on Tuesday, 27th June.

This will help to equip ministers to lead Services of Word and Communion.

**Volunteer Cleaners Required - St Bernadette's**

We wish to recruit a large group of voluntary cleaners for the Parish Centre. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each month and can help out please contact the Presbytery on 01724 844895 or speak to Janice Moran. Alternatively you can sign the list at the back of St Bernadette's Church.

**Appeal**

The Lincolnshire Centre of Marriage Care is looking for an enthusiastic volunteer to join and coordinate their team of Relationship Counsellors and Marriage Preparation Course Facilitators. The volunteer would initially work for as long as they wish with the person currently covering the role. For more information ring 01652 652817 or email [raes\\_westrum@hotmail.com](mailto:raes_westrum@hotmail.com)

**Electronic Copy of Reminder**

To receive an electronic copy of the Reminder and Sunday Message, please email Janice at: [stbernadettesashby@gmail.com](mailto:stbernadettesashby@gmail.com)

**Being a Foundation Governor is immensely rewarding**

It is a joy and a gift to contribute to the ministry of the Church by making our schools successful and ensuring that children are provided with a supportive environment within which they can learn and grow in their relationship with Jesus. If you are a practising Catholic and would like to know more please see the information leaflet in the Church porch or visit [bit.ly/nottmfg](http://bit.ly/nottmfg)

**First Confession/First Holy Communion**

Please remember all our candidates who have made their First Confession and are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion in the coming weeks. Please keep them in your prayers.

**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.