





The Catholic Parishes of Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe and St Norbert's, Crowle Mass Timetable for week beginning Eighteenth Sunday of the Year - 4th August 2024

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www.facebook.com/stbernadettesashby www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle a Date/Of the Day **Holy Souls** St Bernadette's St Norbert's 5.15 to 5.45 pm Saturday, 3rd Confessions and Exposition Our Lady 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Margaret Jackson RIP 10.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish Mass 8.30 am Mass Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP Polish Priest Intentions Barbara Kirkham RIP Sunday 11.30 am Mass 4th August 2024 Monier RIP Eighteenth Sunday of the Year 3.00 pm Mass Syro-Malabar Mass 9.30 am Mass Monday, 5th Mary & Thomas McDermott Intentions Feria Tuesday, 6th 10.30 am Mass Nwokolo & Family Intentions The Transfiguration of The Lord Wednesday, 7th 10.30 am Mass Glenvs Pender RIP Feria Thursday, 8th St Dominic 9.30 am Mass followed by Exposi-6.00 pm Mass Friday, 9th - St Teresa Benedicta tion and Confession until 10.30 am Paul Moran Intentions of The Cross Peter Le Van Phu RIP 11.00 am Funeral Mass 5.15 to 5.45 pm Saturday, 10th Franclim Cardoso RIP Confessions and Exposition 6.00 pm Vigil Mass St Lawrence Edward Jackson RIP 10.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish Mass 8.30 am Mass Roberto Barberini RIP **Polish Priest Intentions** Kathleen Hunt RIP 11th August 2024 11.30 am Mass Nineteenth Sunday of the Year Paddy & Mary Dempsey RIP

For Polish Mass Times at Holy Souls Church, please see the Polish bulletin at the back of Holy Souls Church, or visit www.facebook.com/parafia.polska.scun.link.grim

Pope Francis - Thought of the Week

'God hides in the dark corners of lives and cities. His presence is revealed precisely in faces marked by suffering. The Lord becomes a friendly presence in the wounded flesh of the least, the forgotten, and the discarded.'

The Pope's Prayer Intention for August 2024

For Political Leaders

Pope Francis invites prayers "so that political leaders may serve their people, work for comprehensive human development and the common good, attending to those who have lost their jobs and prioritizing the poorest."

Safeguarding Representatives

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A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer Eighteenth Sunday of the Year

Sometimes we are distracted as we try to pray: this calls for our cultivation of the virtue of vigilance, by which we focus our lives on doing the Lord's will daily in expectation of his return. A second difficulty is the experience of dryness when our hearts: the spiritual masters acknowledge that the life of faith involves times of consolation but also of desolation, when we share in the Lord's sufferings. A third difficulty is spiritual fatigue, the abandonment of prayer altogether: the saints faced these same difficulties and teach that true progress in the spiritual life comes about through daily perseverance, like that of Job who remained constant even amid his many afflictions.

To read the full reflection and find more resources at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

In your charity please pray for

Franclim Cardoso 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

The Diocesan Youth Service

Has job vacancies based at The Briars, Crich:

- Centre Manager. This critical new role will provide hands-on management of the day to day operations of The Briars Retreat Centre and commercial properties, supporting our well established team in the delivery of our service, facilities management and ambitious development goals. 37.5 hours per week; £35-45k.
- Programme Director. An exciting and challenging op portunity for an experienced leader to develop new and existing ways of enabling the young people of Nottingham Diocese to encounter God, grow in discipleship, and facilitate opportunities for mission in the context of the Briars Retreat Centre and outreach to schools and parishes. 40 hours per week (some evenings and weekends); £28-34k.

The closing date for is Friday 16th August; for an application form visit ndcys.com/job-vacancies/

Alpha is coming to Brigg - September 2024

What is Alpha? Alpha is a multi-week course exploring the basics of the Christian faith. Each session looks at a different question around faith and the talks are designed to create conversation in small groups afterwards. During the evening, a meal is shared, followed by a video we watch together, and then finally a discussion. Participants are free to join in, or just listen - it's entirely up to you! Please ring the parish office on 01652 652221or email

briggandbartonrc@dioceseofnottingham.uk to register. All welcome.

Family Pilgrimage

Mount Saint Bernard Abbey is hosting a Family Pilgrimage on **Sunday 1st September**. Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2.00 pm followed by a Marian Procession and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic and enjoy the Abbey grounds. All are welcome. Please contact James at INoakes@englishmartyrs.org for further details.

Dowry Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Take place on Sunday 1st September and will be led by Arch bishop Malcolm McMahon OP. More information is availa ble at www.walsingham.org.uk/event/dowry-of-marypilgrimage-3/

is a Eucharist centred event that was last held in Liverpool, in 2018. The focus of the day is on the Eucharist with Mass, Adoration and Benediction as well as keynote speakers; Bishop Alan McGuckian of Down and Connor; Sr Margaret Atkins OSA. It is being held at St Mary's, Oscott, on Saturday 14th September. Tickets are £10 and are limited, being held for young adults, so it is first come first served.

Invocation at Adoremus

is a day organised by the Bishops, Vocations Directors, and Catholic Youth Ministry Federation in England and Wales. on Sunday 15th September at Oscott College, Birmingham. As Jesus is at the heart of our Mass and Catholic Lives, Invocation invites us to reflect on how we follow Jesus and respond to the universal call to Holiness; to discern and embrace our vocation. This day will offer the time, resources, formation, and accompaniment to embrace what God is asking of you. Invocation is offered free of charge. Attendees must be aged 18 or over to attend. Please visit https://cymfed.org.uk/invocation~at~adoremus/

SPANNED Annual Mass

is being celebrated by Bishop Patrick at St Peter's Church, Leicester Road, Hinckley on Saturday 21st September with our five diocesan groups and many friends, at 2.30 pm. SPANNED has been working on climate change over the last two years and will present their findings to the Bishop at the Mass in the form of a Manifesto, called "If you want to change the world, then change your life". For more details contact Fr Frank Daly after 25th August on 01455 634443 or at hinckleypriory@gmail.com. Likewise, if you are coming we would like to know numbers so that you can stay with us for some refreshments afterwards. All are very wel-

St Bernadette's Diary Dates

- **Bible study** will resume in September.
- St Bernadette's Children's Liturgy Group will resume on Sunday 8th September. Rebecca and Jennie wish the children and their families a lovely summer break.
- SVP Lunch. The next SVP lunch will be on 15th October.

Safeguarding Training for Volunteers in DBS checked roles

'It is our shared responsibility to ensure that our parishes and chaplaincies are safe places for everyone, especially those who are most vulnerable in our society'.

Bishop Patrick McKinney

The Diocese of Nottingham and the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) have launched an online Learning portal at: training.catholicsafeguarding.org.uk There is mandatory training for volunteers in DBS checked roles to complete by 6th October 2024. Please see the poster at the back of church for more details and a QR code to access the learning portal. Information sheets are also available.

For volunteers who would prefer to attend a group training session this will be arranged in September (more details to follow). Please email Janice Moran:

janice.moranpsr@dioceseofnottingham or telephone the Safeguarding parish team on 07513 725545.