





# The Catholic Parishes of Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe and St Norbert's, Crowle Mass Timetable for week beginning Twenty-first Sunday of the Year - 25th August 2024

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#### www.facebook.com/stbernadettesashby www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle Date/Of the Day **Holy Souls** St Bernadette's St Norbert's 5.15 to 5.45 pm Saturday, 24th Confessions and Exposition St Bartholomew 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Charlie McGinlay RIP 10.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish Mass 8.30 am Mass Sunday Maria Indafa Cubala & Family RIP **Polish Priest Intentions** David & Josie Till RIP 25th August 2024 11.30 am Mass Twenty-first Sunday of the Year Phelim Henry RIP 9.30 am Mass Monday, 26th Patrick Langdon RIP Feria Tuesday, 27th 9.30 am Mass David & Josie Till RIP St Monica 10.30 am Mass Wednesday, 28th St Augustine Thursday, 29th - The Passion of St John The Baptism Friday, 30th - The Dedication of Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP our Cathedral 5.15 to 5.45 pm Saturday, 31st Confessions and Exposition Our Lady 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Paul & Jeanette Special Intention 10.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish Mass 8.30 am Mass Santa Cifala Polish Priest Intentions Sunday, 1st September 2024 11.30 am Mass Twenty-second Sunday of the Ellen & Thomas Sheehy RIP Year 2.15 pm Syro-Malabar Mass Feast of St Ephraim

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

'The Lord made us for the joy of Heaven. Our life is not a meaningless journey, but a project of love. Life is a pilgrimage that leads us, day by day, to the encounter with Him and to the endless joy that He has prepared for us.'

#### 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**

St Bernadette's: Janice Moran/Barbara Faulds 07513 725545

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# A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer

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# Twenty-first Sunday of the Year

Our parents, who first taught us to pray, planted within us a seed that matures through our experience of the Christian life. Particularly at difficult moments in life, we come to realize the importance of prayer in strengthening our faith and hope. Jesus insists on the need of his disciples to pray tirelessly and without ceasing: to pray and to teach others to pray is essential for the Church's mission of proclaiming the Gospel, serving Christ in our brothers and sisters, and drawing all people into the unity of His Kingdom.

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

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# 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.

# Canon Matthew's Catechism How can we hear God when He speaks to us?

As it says in the First Book of Kings, anyone who wants to believe must have a heart that is ready to listen (1 Kings 3:9). God approaches us in many different ways: in every encoun ter with another person; in the beauty of nature; in the events of our daily lives. Even in the sufferings of life and the dark times God is speaking to us. He speaks to us even more clearly through the Holy Scriptures and the Catholic Church. The voice of a well-formed conscience is also always the voice of God. He approaches us not as servants but as his friends. Jesus told his disciples in the Gospels that they were not his servants they were his friends. Therefore we should also respond to him as his friends by learning to understand him more deeply, and by talking to him as one friend talks to another.

#### **Enabling Our Mission Campaign**

Thank you to everyone who has completed a pledge form in each of our parishes and supported this extremely important endeavour. An update newsletter for your parish and pledge forms are available:

#### Holy Souls' - at the back of the Church St Bernadette's - in the Church porch

We kindly ask you to consider making a contribution at a level that is right for you. This can help ensure your parish can become more missionary while providing our clergy with adequate support for years to come.

## 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 <u>JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org</u> 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/

#### **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 welcome.

## St Bernadette's Diary Dates

- ⇒ **Bible study** will resume in September.
- St Bernadette's Children's Liturgy Group will resume on Sunday 8th September.
- SVP Lunch. The next SVP lunch will be on 15th Octo-

# 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.uk or telephone the Safeguarding parish team on 07513 725545.

# Our local Catholic Schools

### Primary:

- St Augustine Webster Catholic Voluntary Academy, Baildon Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 8BU. 01724 843722
- St Bernadette's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy, Anne's Crescent, Scunthorpe, DN16 2LW.
- St Norbert's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy, Fieldside, Crowle, Scunthorpe, DN17 4HL. 01724 710249

# Secondary:

St Bede's Catholic Voluntary Academy, Collum Avenue, Scunthorpe, DN16 2TF. 01724 245151