



The Parish of the Lincolnshire Martyrs  
 [Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe  
 and St Norbert's, Crowle]  
**Mass Timetable for the week beginning  
 Fourth Sunday of Lent - 30th March 2025**

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Date/Of the Day	Holy Souls	St Bernadette's	St Norbert's
Saturday, 29th Lenten Feria	-	5.00 pm to 5.45 pm Exposition and Confession 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Stillborn, miscarried & unborn children	-
Sunday, 30th March 2025 Fourth Sunday of Lent - Laetare Sunday	10.00 am Mass Patrick & Mary Mahoney RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest Intentions 11.30 am Mass William Heatley RIP 3.00 pm Stations of The Cross	8.30 am Mass Robert G Platts & Martin Burke RIP.
Monday, 31st Lenten Feria	-	9.30 am Mass Special Intentions Linda & Nick Mabb	-
Tuesday, 1st April 2025 Lenten Feria	9.30 am Mass Karin Elizabeth Fleming RIP	-	-
Wednesday, 2nd Lenten Feria	9.00 am to 1.00 pm - the Church will be open for private prayer	-	10.30 am Mass TBA
Thursday, 3rd Lenten Feria	-	9.30 am Mass Pam Readhead RIP	-
First Friday, 4th Lenten Feria	5.45 pm Stations of The Cross	6.00 pm Mass Maureen Heanue RIP	-
Saturday, 5th Lenten Feria	-	5.00 pm to 5.45 pm Exposition and Confession 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Thanksgiving - James Family	-
Sunday, 6th April 2025 Fifth Sunday of Lent (Passion Sunday)	10.00 am Mass Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP 1.30 pm Baptism	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest Intentions 11.30 am Mass Mary Mahon RIP 3.00 pm Stations of The Cross 3.45 pm Mass Syro-Malabar Mass	8.30 am Mass TBA

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](http://www.facebook.com/parafia.polska.scun.link.grim)

**Safeguarding Representatives**

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**The Pope's Prayer Intention - April 2025**

For the use of the new technologies. Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person and will help us face the crises of our times.



**Canon Matthew's Catechism on Prayer  
 God calls and we respond**

Man is in search for God. In the act of creation, God calls us out of nothingness and into existence. After the angels, man is the one most able to praise God. Although through the Fall we have lost our likeness to God, we still are made in his image, and retain our desire for him. All religions bear witness to man's search for God. Man may forget his creator, or feel far from him, and yet the living and true God still calls each and every person to that mysterious encounter known as prayer. God always takes the initiative in this encounter, and it is for us to respond. We see this pattern emerging through the history of salvation.

(CCC 2566-67)

**Quote of the Week - St Ambrose**

"Death was not part of nature; it became part of nature. God did not decree death from the beginning; he prescribed it as a remedy. Human life, because of sin . . . began to experience the burden of wretchedness in unremitting labour and unbearable sorrow. There had to be a limit to its evils; death had to restore what life had forfeited. Without the assistance of grace, immortality is more of a burden than a blessing."  
 (De excessu fratris sui Satyri)

**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.

**St Bernadette's Church/Parish Centre**

- \* The Children's Liturgy Group - Sunday Mass.
- \* Bible Study - Monday 7th April at 7.30 pm in the Parish Centre.
- \* First Holy Communion - every Wednesday (during term time) from 4.00 pm to 5.00 pm.
- \* "We dare to Hope" a Lenten course of prayer and reflection, led by Canon Matthew. Friday 4th April from 6.45 pm to 8.00 pm.

**Catholic Union Webinar**

The Catholic Union is holding a webinar on the **Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill** on **Thursday 3rd April** at 6.30 pm. To sign up for the webinar register at [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/hard-cases-dont-make-good-law-assisted-suicide-webinar-tickets-1233106176769?aff=oddtcreator](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/hard-cases-dont-make-good-law-assisted-suicide-webinar-tickets-1233106176769?aff=oddtcreator)

**Turning the Church inside out**

Join the diocesan Justice and Peace Commission to receive the fruits gathered by the Synod from around the world and bring its hopes to life here in our parishes, on Thursday 3rd April from 7.00 to 8.30 pm online. The Synod on Synodality began with parish conversations in 2021. It continued in Rome last Autumn. And now it's back with us in Nottingham Diocese to plant it locally and bring it to life. The Synod's final report offers an inspiring vision of a Church rich in the relationships, gifts and vocations of all its people. Find out more and book at [bit.ly/insideoutchurch](http://bit.ly/insideoutchurch)

**Coach to Jubilee Station Mass  
 Our Lady of Lincoln Church, Lincoln**

Tuesday, 8th April 2025  
 6.00 pm Confessions and Adoration  
 7.00 pm Station Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick  
**Departure times from pick up points:**  
 4.15 pm St Norbert's Church, Crowle  
 4.45 pm Holy Souls' Church, Scunthorpe  
 5.00 pm St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe

Can parishioners who have signed up for the coaches please check the list at the back of the church to confirm their pick up point by 6th April 2025

**Search for the Light**

The Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service (NDCYS) is running an open retreat, **Search for the Light**, during Easter weekend, Maundy Thursday 17th to Easter Sunday 20th April, at The Briars Catholic Youth Retreat Centre. Join the

mission team as they walk with young people in Years 10 to Year 13 through the Easter Triduum. To book visit: [ndcys.com/events-and-opportunities/search/](http://ndcys.com/events-and-opportunities/search/)

**Holy Week Mass Times (17th-20th April 2025)**

Maundy Thursday	St Norbert's	7.00 pm
Good Friday	Holy Souls	3.00 pm
Easter Vigil	St Bernadette's	8.00 pm
<i>Please note the revised Mass times for Easter Sunday only</i>		
Easter Sunday	St Bernadette's	8.00 am
	St Norbert's	9.30 am
	Holy Souls'	11.00 am

**Melwood Pilgrimage in the Jubilee Year**

As most of us are not able to go to Rome for the Jubilee year, parishioners could go on Pilgrimage in England to pray for peace. The St Augustine Webster Melwood Pilgrimage is being held on 3rd May at Low Melwood Farm (on the road between Epworth/Owston Ferry, DN9 1AD). Details to follow.

**Jubilee Pilgrimage to Walsingham**

with Bishop Patrick on **Saturday 14th June**, gathering at the Anglican Shrine with procession to Catholic Shrine starting at 1.00 pm. Mass will be celebrated at 4.00 pm.

**Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service**

- ◆ NDCYS invites young people aged 16-18 in full time education, who are unable to join the **Diocesan Jubilee Lourdes Pilgrimage** as part of a school or parish group, to join them in taking part in the Pilgrimage. Meet like-minded young people from across the diocese, be encouraged in your faith and serve others. You will be accompanied by our experienced staff and join with the youth contingent of the Lourdes pilgrimage with young people from across the diocese. For more information contact [events@ndcys.com](mailto:events@ndcys.com) Bookings close on 1st May.
- ◆ The NDCYS is organising a **Lourdes Reunion** on **Saturday 26th July** at St Mary's Church, Derby, DE1 3AU. Young people are invited from 1.00 pm, with Mass at 3.00 pm, followed by refreshments for all pilgrims. For more information and to register visit [ndcys.com/events-and-opportunities](http://ndcys.com/events-and-opportunities).

**Jubilee2025 Youth Week**

Take part in the **Jubilee 2025 Youth Week** in Rome and Assisi, with the Kenelm Youth Trust, led by Bishop Timothy Menezes between **Thursday 31st July and Wednesday 6th August**. For more information visit: [www.allsaintstravel.co.uk/RM0973/](http://www.allsaintstravel.co.uk/RM0973/)

**Ink cartridges recycling scheme**

Lee Wade wishes to thank all parishioners who have donated their used ink cartridges. Another £113 has been raised for SVP. Please continue to donate at the yellow box in the porch at St Bernadette's Church.

**Cardinal da Silva**

Please see the notice board at the back of Holy Souls' Church regarding Cardinal da Silva's gift to the parish.