

Readings for the Third Sunday of the Year

First Reading

Isaiah 8:23 - 9:3

In days past the Lord humbled the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in days to come he will confer glory on the Way of the Sea on the far side of Jordan, province of the nations. The people that walked in darkness has seen a great light; on those who live in a land of deep shadow a light has shone. You have made their gladness greater, you have made their joy increase, they rejoice in your presence as men rejoice at harvest time, as men are happy when they are dividing the spoils. For the yoke that was weighing on him, the bar across his shoulders, the rod of his oppressor, these you break as on the day of Midian. **The Word of the Lord**

Ps: 26:1.4.13-14

[R]: *The Lord is my light and my help.*

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 1:10-13.17

I appeal to you, brothers, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, to make up the differences between you, and instead of disagreeing among yourselves, to be united again in your belief and practice. From what Chloe's people have been telling me, my dear brothers, it is clear that there are serious differences among you. What I mean are all these slogans that you have, like: 'I am for Paul', 'I am for Apollos', 'I am for Cephas', 'I am for Christ'. Has Christ been parcelled out? Was it Paul that was crucified for you? Were you baptised in the name of Paul? For Christ did not send me to baptise, but to preach the Good News, and not to preach that in the terms of philosophy in which the crucifixion of Christ cannot be expressed. **The Word of the Lord**

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus proclaimed the Good News of the Kingdom, and cured all kinds of sickness among the people. Alleluia!*

Gospel Reading

Matthew 4:12-23

Hearing that John had been arrested Jesus went back to Galilee, and leaving Nazareth he went and settled in Capernaum, a lakeside town on the borders of Zebulun and Naphtali. In this way the prophecy of Isaiah was to be fulfilled: Land of Zebulun! Land of Naphtali! Way of the sea on the far side of Jordan, Galilee of the nations! The people that lived in darkness has seen a great light; on those who dwell in the land and shadow of death a light has dawned. From that moment Jesus began his preaching with the message, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.' As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee he saw two brothers, Simon, who was called Peter, and his brother Andrew; they were making a cast in the lake with their net, for they were fishermen. And he said to them, 'Follow me and I will make you fishers of men.' And they left their nets at once and followed him. Going on from there he saw another pair of brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John; they were in their boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. At once, leaving the boat and their father, they followed him. He went round the whole of Galilee teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the Good News of the kingdom and curing all kinds of diseases and sickness among the people. **The Gospel of the Lord**

Mystery of Faith: *We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.*



Holy Souls' Catholic Church

The Reminder

Holy Souls' Presbytery, Frodingham Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 7TA

Sunday, 26th January 2013

Third Sunday - Year A

Timetable for the Week

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday 25th January 2014 <i>Conversion of St Paul</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Roxby 5.30 pm	Jean Sharp RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish Grazia Vitello RIP
Sunday 26th January 2014 <i>Third Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Henryk & Grzegorz Dulak RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Philip Kiernan RIP
Monday 27th <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am	Jack Egan RIP
Tuesday 28th <i>St Thomas Aquinas</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Bridie Johnstone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 29th <i>Feria</i>	12.00 noon	Albert & Nancy Perkins RIP
Thursday 30th <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	In Thanksgiving (NM) Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 31st <i>St John Bosco</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Frank & Vera Sarsfield RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 1st February 2014 <i>Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Roxby 5.30 pm	Pat Vickers RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish Michael McGuone RIP
Sunday, 2nd February 2014 - The Presentation <i>of the Lord</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Don Blanchard RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Mary McInerney RIP
Confessions	<i>Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm</i>	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	<i>Wednesday 12.30-1.30 pm concluding with Benediction Holy Hour Thursday 7.00 to 8.00 pm Saturday 4.30-5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i>	

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This Week

New Cardinal

Congratulations to Archbishop Vincent Nichols who has been named as one of a number of new Cardinals by Pope Francis.

Holocaust Memorial Day

Monday 27th January and is marked locally with a ceremony at the Civic Centre at 4.00 pm. Children from St Augustine Webster School will be taking part. If anyone would like to attend the ceremony they should contact the Civic Office on 296346.

The Forge

Thanks to Sainsbury's for allowing us to do a bag packing and tombola day on behalf of the Forge on Friday 31st January. If you can spare some time on that day to help please contact Elaine Hemingway on 842834. You can also support The Forge by using easyfundraising.org.uk when surfing the web or shopping online. Go to easyfundraising.org.uk, click on 'How it works'. Register by using your email address, submitting a simple password, and selecting The Forge Project, Scunthorpe

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Candlemass)

This falls next Sunday (2 February) and the readings and other texts for Mass will be of the Feast Day.

Please come and join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.30 am Mass

Scunthorpe General Hospital – For the ministrations of a Catholic priest contact Fr Eddy Jarosz or Fr Benedict Abuo on (01724) 842197

Parish Pastoral Council

A reminder to members that the next meeting is on Monday 3rd February at 7.30 pm.

Annual Valentine Marriage Mass

Bishop Malcolm will be celebrating the annual "Valentine Marriage Mass" on Sunday 9th February at 3.00 pm at St Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham. All married couples (and families) are welcome to attend this celebration. An integral part of the Mass includes a renewal of wedding vows before the Bishop. What a beautiful way to celebrate St Valentine's Day, with a renewal of the vows you made on your wedding day. Put this in your diary.

Churchmarketplace

was developed by the Catholic Dioceses of England and Wales to enable the Catholic community to save costs by purchasing together. They are seeking to employ an overall Coordinator for Churchmarketplace, salary £45k-£55k For additional information or to submit your CV, contact: Paolo Camoletto at paolocamoletto@RCDOW.ORG.UK or 020 7798 9036. Closing Date: February 7th, 2014.

Charity Dance

In support of 'Macmillan Cancer Support' and 'Marie Cure' at St Bernadette's Club on Saturday 15th February at 7.30 pm. Tickets available from Michael McInerney (271531) or St Bernadette's Club.

Education Sunday

Is a national event kept on the 9th Sunday before Easter which this year will be Sunday 16th February. Education Sunday is significant because it gives us a unique opportunity to give thanks specifically for the contributions that Catholic schools make to all aspects of the community, from community cohe-

sion to academic achievement. It also provides us with an opportunity to strengthen the links between Catholic schools and parishes; a relationship which is central to maintaining the Catholic ethos of schools.

It would be good to make more of this in our parish than we have done in the recent past, not least to recognise the contribution that many of our parishioners make to Catholic Education. Fr Eddy would like to invite all parishioners involved in Catholic Schools as teachers, support staff, or governors to reflect on how we could best do this. Any ideas will be gratefully received

Children's Pilgrimage to Walsingham

A pilgrimage is planned for Saturday 22nd February (end of half term week) particularly aimed for families with children. There will be an appropriate pilgrimage programme for the children and their families led by one of the religious sisters who serve at the shrine. A coach will leave Holy Souls at 8.00 am and will return back to Scunthorpe at 8.00 pm. The cost of the coach is £12 per person. To book please contact Grazyna Anelay on 07507 606105 or email grazyna.anelay@gmail.com

Repository Items

Thanks to Elaine and Paul Hemingway for looking after the repository stall during Deacon Bernard's absence. They have recently stocked up the stall with new items. Elaine and Paul are usually around after Sunday evening Mass and if you are looking to buy something from the stall on a Sunday morning then please ask Deacon Bernard if he is around or else whoever is serving tea and coffee in the Hall will be able to assist you.