

Readings for Fourth Sunday of Year B

First Reading

Deuteronomy 18:15-20
Moses said to the people: Your God will raise up for you a prophet like myself, from among yourselves, from your own brothers; to him you must listen. This is what you yourselves asked of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the Assembly. Do not let me hear again you said the voice of the Lord my God, nor look any longer on this great fire, or I shall die; and the Lord said to me, All they have spoken is well said. I will raise up a prophet like yourself for them from their own brothers; I will put my words into his mouth and he shall tell them all I command him. The man who does not listen to my words that he speaks in my name, shall be held answerable to me for it. But the prophet who presumes to say in my name a thing I have not commanded him to say, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die. **The Word of the Lord.**

Ps: 94:1-2.6-9

[R]: *O that today you would listen to his voice! Harden not your hearts.*

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 7:32-35
I would like to see you free from all worry. An unmarried man can devote himself to the Lord's affairs, all he need worry about is pleasing the Lord; but a married man has to bother about the world's affairs and devote himself to pleasing his wife: he is torn two ways. In the same way an unmarried woman, like a young girl, can devote herself to the Lord's affairs; all she need worry about is being holy in body and spirit. The married woman, on the other hand, has to worry about the world's affairs and devote herself to pleasing her husband. I say this only to help you, not to put a halter round your necks, but simply to make sure that everything is as it should be, and that you give your undivided attention to the Lord. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the Kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!*

Gospel Reading

Mark 1:21-28
Jesus and his followers went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the Sabbath came Jesus went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority. In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit, and it shouted, 'What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.' But Jesus said sharply, 'Be quiet! Come out of him!' And the unclean spirit threw the man into convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him. The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. 'Here is a teaching that is new' they said 'and with authority behind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.' And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside. **The Gospel of the Lord.**

Mystery of Faith: *When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.*



The Reminder

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

Sunday, 1st February 2015

Fourth Sunday - Year B

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

Timetable for the Week

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday, 31st January 2015 <i>St John Bosco</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30pm Roxby 5.30 pm	Margaret & Michael Hallahan RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish Pat Chafer RIP
Sunday 1st February 2015 <i>Fourth Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Michael McGuone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Mary McInerney RIP
Monday - The Presenta- tion of The Lord	9.00 am	Intentions of Edi Evans
Tuesday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Anne Guilfoyle RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday <i>St Gilbert</i>	12.00 noon	Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP
Thursday <i>St Agatha</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Peter Le Van Phuc RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
First Friday <i>Sts Paul Miki & Comps</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm Luddington 7.00 pm Polish	Peter Le Van Phu RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Priest's Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday, 7th February 2015 <i>Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30pm Roxby 5.30 pm	Margaret & Michael Hallahan RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Paddy Dempsey RIP Marie & Peter Kitchen RIP
Sunday 8th February 2015 <i>Fifth Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Peter Carton RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Confessions	<i>Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm</i>	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	<i>Wednesday - 11.00 am to 12 noon Thursday - 7.00 to 8.00 pm Saturday - 4.30 to 5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i>	

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

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This Week

Education Sunday

This Sunday is Education Sunday and an occasion to pray for our Catholic schools. Your prayers are especially asked for St Augustine Webster and St Bernadette Voluntary Academies who are currently seeking to appoint new head teachers as in both cases; the current heads are due to retire at the end of the academic year.

KSC Grand National Draw

Tickets are on sale at the back of the church.

Year of Consecrated Life

The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (2nd February) is always a day of prayer for those living the consecrated life in the Church (religious priests, sisters, and brothers, and other recognised forms of this life). This year in particular Pope Francis has asked us to observe a Year of Consecrated Life giving thanks for the work of religious in the past and praying for new vocations for the future. Many people in Scunthorpe fondly remember the Presentation Sisters and we are pleased to announce that there will be a special Mass at 7.30 pm on Tuesday 21st April at St Bernadette's which will be attended by two of the sisters who used to live and work in Scunthorpe.

Work on roof and Hall

Some people noticed the scaffolding around the presbytery last week and asked if we had problems with our roof. You will be pleased to know that on this occasion it was routine maintenance (replacing broken tiles, clearing gutters, capping chimneys), however we have been advised that we might need more serious work doing on one of the faces of the roof in a few years' time, so be prepared! We have also had the doors to the Hall repaired so you should notice them opening and closing more easily.

LIFE AGM

Monday, 9th February, 7.30 pm at 2 Belvedere Drive, Scunthorpe (off West Common Lane near John Leggott College). All welcome.

Valentine's Dance

on Saturday 14th February, St Bernadette's Club at 7.30 pm. Music by Jon J Paul. Tickets are £5.00 each available from the Club or Michael McNerney 01724 271531 or 07867 981230. Donations of raffle prizes would be much appreciated. All proceeds to the local Macmillan and Marie Curie fund.

Fish'n'Chip Supper and Quiz

The next one of these popular evenings will take place on Friday 20th February. Tickets priced £6 for adults and £4 for children and are on sale after Masses this weekend.

Walsingham Pilgrimage

We are organising a pilgrimage for families on Saturday 21st February, the final Saturday of the half term break. A coach will depart from Holy Souls at 8.00 am and there will be activities for children on arrival at Walsingham. The cost is £12 for adults and £8 for children. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Please let one of the clergy know if you would like to go.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

This year the Pilgrimage will be from 13th to 18th July departing

from East Midlands Airport. Costs from £599 including full board. All enquiries to Joe Walsh Tours on 0161 820 8790, email info@joewalshstours.co.uk or ask in the sacristy for a booking form.

SPANNED

Our Diocesan organisation for those with special and additional needs and their families and friends. Our local Scunthorpe group will next meet on Sunday 1st March, 3.00 pm, St Bernadette's Parish Centre. All are welcome.

Fr Michael Winstanley

Hopefully many of you will remember Fr Michael who led our parish mission in the summer of 2103. He will be coming back to us at Holy Souls on 2nd and 3rd March to give us some guidance for our Lenten journey. Full details of a programme will follow but please keep these free if possible.

Deanery Lenten Retreat

Will take place from Thursday 19th to Saturday 21st March with events at all six parishes in the Deanery. The theme will be 'Consoling the Heart of Jesus' and it will be led by Derek Williams a lay evangelist who lives in our Diocese. Further details of the programme will follow but please keep these dates free if possible.

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