

## Readings for Second Sunday of Easter

### First Reading

Acts 4:32-35

The whole group of believers was united, heart and soul; no one claimed for his own use anything that he had, as everything they owned was held in common. The apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus with great power, and they were all given great respect. None of their members was ever in want, as all those who owned land or houses would sell them, and bring the money from them, to present it to the apostles; it was then distributed to any members who might be in need. **The Word of the Lord.**

**Ps:** 117:2-4.15-18.22-24

**[R]:** Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.

### Second Reading

1 John 5:1-6

Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ has been begotten by God; and whoever loves the Father that begot him loves the child whom he begets. We can be sure that we love God's children if we love God himself and do what he has commanded us; this is what loving God is – keeping his commandments; and his commandments are not difficult, because anyone who has been begotten by God has already overcome the world; this is the victory over the world – our faith. Who can overcome the world? Only the man who believes that Jesus is the Son of God; Jesus Christ who came by water and blood, not with water only, but with water and blood; with the Spirit as another witness – since the Spirit is the truth. **The Word of the Lord.**

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! *Jesus said: "You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe."* Alleluia!

### Gospel Reading

John 20:19-31

In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.' After saying this he breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.' Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have seen the Lord', he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in his hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into his side, I refuse to believe.' Eight days later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. The doors were closed, but Jesus came in and stood among them. 'Peace be with you' he said. Then he spoke to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look, here are my hands. Give me your hand; put it into my side. Doubt no longer but believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him: 'You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' There were many other signs that Jesus worked and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book. These are recorded so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing this you may have life through his name. **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.*



Holy Souls' Catholic Church

# The Reminder

(NRCDT Registered Charity No 1134449)

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

**Sunday, 12th April 2015**

**Second Sunday of Easter - Year B**

## Timetable for the Week

| <i>Day</i>  | <i>Time</i>  | <i>Intention</i>   |
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| <b>Saturday within the Octave of Easter</b><br>11th April 2015  | 9.30 am<br>10.30 am Polish<br>5.30 pm Roxby<br>5.30 pm   | Antonio & Alzira Soares RIP<br>Polish Priest's Intentions<br>Deceased Reynolds Family<br>John McNerney RIP |
| <b>Second Sunday of Easter</b><br>12th April 2015               | 9.30 am<br>4.30 pm Polish<br>6.30 pm   | Peter Carton RIP<br>Polish Priest's Intentions<br>John & Annie Jackson RIP                                 |
| <b>Monday</b><br><i>Easter Feria</i>                            | 9.00 am  | Bill Heatley RIP   |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br><i>Easter Feria</i>                           | 9.00 am<br>9.30 am Polish  | Mavis Spring RIP<br>Polish Priest's Intentions   |
| <b>Wednesday</b><br><i>Easter Feria</i>                         | 12.00 noon   | Rita Farrell RIP   |
| <b>Thursday</b><br><i>Easter Feria</i>                          | 9.00 am<br>9.30 am Polish<br>7.00-8.00 pm  | In Thanksgiving (KK)<br>Polish Priest's Intentions<br>Holy Hour  |
| <b>Friday</b><br><i>Easter Feria</i>                            | 9.00 am<br>9.30 am Polish  | Elena Ripley RIP<br>Polish Priest's Intentions   |
| <b>Saturday</b><br>18th April 2015<br><i>Easter Feria</i>       | 9.30 am<br>10.30 am Polish<br>5.30 pm Roxby<br>5.30 pm   | Intentions of Pat & Sadie Kelly<br>Polish Priest's Intentions<br>Anne Metcalf RIP<br>Elena Ripley RIP      |
| <b>Sunday</b><br>19th April 2015<br><i>3rd Sunday of Easter</i> | 9.30 am<br>4.30 pm Polish<br>6.30 pm   | Peter Carton RIP<br>Polish Priest's Intentions<br>John & Annie Jackson RIP                                 |
| <b>Confessions</b>  | <i>Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm</i>  |  |
| <b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>                      | <i>Wednesday - 11.00 am to 12 noon<br/>Thursday - 7.00 to 8.00 pm<br/>Saturday - 4.30 to 5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i> |  |

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

### Parish Clergy:

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## This Week

### Divine Mercy Sunday

This Sunday there will be a programme of Divine Mercy devotions at St Bernadette's from 2.00 pm.

### First Communion Programme

Please hand in all sheets up to and including Sheet 14 before the end of the school holidays. The school based afternoon sessions resume this Wednesday 15th April and the next worksheet will be given out on the weekend of 18th/19th April.

### Welcome back

to Fr Eddy after his well deserved break. We hope he has had a lovely time and returns refreshed and ready to take up the baton again.

### Hospital

If you wish to receive a visit from a priest while in hospital, or know someone who wishes to receive a visit, you **must explicitly request this**. The clergy do not have access to patient lists produced by the hospital.



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

### Bag Pack - postponed

The bag pack at Sainsbury's organised by Elaine Hemingway, in aid of The Forge, has been postponed due to Bill Heatley's funeral.

### Post Easter Deanery Events

- Mass to celebrate the Year of Consecrated Life at St Bernadette's on Tuesday 21st April at 7.30 pm. An opportunity to reacquaint ourselves with Sr Susan and Sr Bernadette of the Presentation Sisters who served in Scunthorpe for many years.
- Melwood Pilgrimage on Saturday 2nd May.

### Supper Night

Friday 24th April - details to follow.

### Baptism Course

The next Baptism preparation evening is on Thursday 30th April at 7.00 pm. Anyone wishing to have a child (0-4 years) baptised during the summer months is required to attend this event. In the case of older children please speak with one of the priests.

### Scunthorpe Half Marathon

On Sunday 3rd May 2015 at 9.00 am both Michael McNerney Senior and Junior will be running again in aid of Macmillan Nurses Cancer Support Fund. Sponsorship would be greatly appreciated. Please telephone Michael on 01724 271531 or 07867 981230.

### March for Life

Will take place in Birmingham on Saturday 16th May. There will hopefully be a bus going from the Scunthorpe area, if you would like to go please ring Father Dominic in Brigg on 01652 652221. Further details about the march can be found at [www.marchforlife.co.uk](http://www.marchforlife.co.uk)

### Daniel Palmer Diaconate

Daniel will be ordained Deacon at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 13th June. If you would be interested in attending the Ordination and travelling by coach from St Bernadette's please contact Marie Gray on 01724 330438.

### 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](mailto:info@joewalshstours.co.uk) or ask in the sacristy for a booking form.

### Parish Hall

The hall is available to hire and we would like to compile a list of suggested services for hirers to use. If you are registered and insured to provide services that may be useful (disco, musical entertainment, children's entertainment, catering etc) please speak to Marie Dowse. You will need to provide details of any registrations and insurance relevant to your service.