

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year B

First Reading

Wisdom 2:12.17-20

The godless say to themselves, Let us lie in wait for the virtuous man, since he annoys us and opposes our way of life, reproaches us for our breaches of the law and accuses us of playing false to our upbringing. Let us see if what he says is true, let us observe what kind of end he himself will have. If the virtuous man is God's son, God will take his part and rescue him from the clutches of his enemies. Let us test him with cruelty and with torture, and thus explore this gentleness of his and put his endurance to the proof. Let us condemn him to a shameful death since he will be looked after - we have his word for it. **The Word of the Lord.**

Ps: 53:3-6.8

[R]: *The Lord upholds my life.*

Second Reading

James 3:16-4:3

Wherever you find jealousy and ambition, you find disharmony, and wicked things of every kind being done; whereas the wisdom that comes down from above is essentially something pure; it also makes for peace, and is kindly and considerate; it is full of compassion and shows itself by doing good; nor is there any trace of partiality or hypocrisy in it. Peacemakers, when they work for peace, sow the seeds which will bear fruit in holiness. Where do these wars and battles between yourselves first start? Isn't it precisely in the desires fighting inside your own selves? You want something and you haven't got it; so you are prepared to kill. You have an ambition that you cannot satisfy; so you fight to get your way by force. Why you don't have what you want is because you don't pray for it; when you do pray and don't get it, it is because you have not prayed properly, you have prayed for something to indulge your own desires. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!*

Gospel Reading

Mark 9:30-37

After leaving the mountain Jesus and his disciples made their way through Galilee; and he did not want anyone to know, because he was instructing his disciples; he was telling them, 'The Son of Man will be delivered into the hands of men; they will put him to death; and three days after he has been put to death he will rise again.' But they did not understand what he said and were afraid to ask him. They came to Capernaum, and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the road?' They said nothing because they had been arguing which of them was the greatest. So he sat down, called the Twelve to him and said, 'If anyone wants to be first, he must make himself last of all and servant of all.' He then took a little child, set him in front of them, put his arms round him, and said to them, 'Anyone who welcomes one of these little children in my name, welcomes me; and anyone who welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

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, 20th September 2015

Twenty-fifth Sunday - Year B

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

Timetable for the Week

<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Intention</i>
Saturday 19th September 2015 <i>Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Peter Le Van Phuc RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Christine Lisle RIP Mary Hoban RIP
Sunday 20th September 2015 <i>25th Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions Intentions of Fr Benedict
Monday <i>St Matthew</i>	9.00 am	Seamus McGuone RIP
Tuesday <i>Feria</i>	No 9.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish	- Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina</i>	12.00 noon	Mary Niland RIP
Thursday - Our Lady <i>of Walsingham</i>	9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm	Polish Priest's Intentions Alice Robinson RIP
Friday <i>Feria</i>	8.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Marie Prior RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 26th September 2015 <i>Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Tereza Duarte & Family RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Susannah McHugh RIP Holy Souls
Sunday 27th September 2015 <i>26th Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	John & Anne McArthur 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 to 12 noon</i> <i>Saturday - 4.30 pm to 5.15 pm</i>	

Scunthorpe General Hospital - For the ministration of a Catholic priest contact Fr Eddy Jarosz on (01724) 842197



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

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This Week

Home Mission Sunday

This weekend is an opportunity to pray for, celebrate, and support the work of evangelisation in England and Wales. There will be a second collection to support the work of the Bishops' Department for Evangelisation and Catechesis.

Parish Pastoral Council - Nominations now open

Nominations for membership of the Parish Pastoral Council close this weekend.

International Peace Day

Falls on Monday 21st September and is locally marked by the North Lincolnshire Multifaith Partnership with a ceremony which this year will take place by the Peace Stone on Cole Street beginning at 3.45 pm. All welcome.

Scripture Group

Why did certain books and letters make it into the Bible and why were others rejected? Come and find out at St Bernadette's on Monday evenings beginning this Monday between 7.00 and 8.30 pm.

Why? Course

This three session DVD based course provides an introduction to the Catholic faith. It is suitable for those who wish to refresh or update their knowledge of the faith and also for those who wish to consider the possibility of being members of the Church. Sessions will take place on **Wednesdays 23rd September, 7th October and 14th October** and will run from 7.30 pm to 8.30 pm. Please encourage someone to come along or why not come along yourself.

News from our Schools

Bishop Patrick made his first visit to Scunthorpe and his first visit to a school in our Diocese last week when he blessed the new buildings at St Bede's. Later on he also visited St Bernadette's School to celebrate Mass for the 60th anniversary of the school. Our own parish primary school, St Augustine Webster, will be 50 years old next year and hopefully we will celebrate that anniversary in a fitting manner.

All Saints Church, Winterton

The work at the Church is now complete and the regular Saturday evening Mass can resume. Our thanks to the Church Wardens at Roxby for allowing us to use the Church at Roxby whilst the work was being carried out.

Equip Expo

A Christian resources fayre organised by Churches Together in All Lincolnshire (CTAL), takes place on **Saturday 3rd October** at the Lincolnshire Showground from 9.30 am to 4.00 pm. Adult entry £3. For further information please visit www.ctal.org.uk

Churches United Fellowship Rally

We are once again invited to join the Fellowship Rally at 2.00 pm on Wednesday 7th October at All Saints Church, East Common Lane, when we shall enjoy an afternoon of celebration and praise. This year the theme is THE VINE AND THE BRANCHES and the Speaker will be Revd David Swannack.

First Communion Enrolment

Forms now available from sacristy to be returned by Sunday 11th October

Proclaim '15

A Diocesan day focusing on evangelisation (following on from the national initiative Proclaim '15) on **Saturday 17th October** at Christ the King School in Nottingham. Our new Bishop will be giving an address. If you are interested in attending please see Fr Eddy this weekend.

Blessing of Centenary Window

Bishop Patrick will be coming to Holy Souls on Saturday 31st October to celebrate the 5.30 pm Mass and to bless

our Centenary window. After Mass we will have a shared table supper in the Hall and we would particularly welcome traditional food (savoury or sweet) from the many different countries that are represented in our parish. There will be a list going up soon so that people can indicate what they are bringing. **NB:** No Halloween themed food or other items!

Lourdes Water

is available from the sacristy.

DVD

A DVD of Bishop Patrick's Ordination is available from Fr Neil Peoples at St Barnabas' Cathedral before the end of October. Each DVD will cost £10 plus postage and packing. Please contact Fr Neil at neilapeoples@hotmail.co.uk

Diocese of Nottingham

Justice and Peace Fieldworker. 24 hours per week [including some evening and weekend working]. Salary: £14,500 per annum. The Justice and Peace Commission works to promote Catholic Social Teaching and action for social and economic justice, and peace, throughout the Diocese. The Fieldworker is employed by the Diocese of Nottingham to support and develop the work of the Justice and Peace Commission in parishes, schools, & universities and ecumenically. The Fieldworker is based at Willson House, Derby Road, Nottingham NG1 5AW but may also work from home by agreement. If you would like an informal discussion about the post please contact Liz Doona on 01773 785 196 or email: liz.doona@ntlworld.com