

# Holy Souls' Catholic Church

The Presbytery, Frodingham Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 7TA [NRCDT Registered Charity No 1134449]

# Parish Clergy:

Fr Neil Peoples, Fr Emmanuel Abbem, Deacons Bernard Croft and Sebastian Grab

(01724) 842197 Telephone: E~mail: holysouls@btinternet.com Twitter: @church souls

Parish website: www.holysoulsscunthorpe.co.uk Polish Chaplain: Rev Wlodzimierz Pajak Tel: (01724) 601087 Deacons: Bernard: 07950 854414/Sebastian: 07706 622 888

Parish Hall Bookings/Enquiries: 07542 715929

St Augustine Webster Catholic Voluntary Academy Tel: 01724 843722/Email: admin.saw@northlincs.gov.uk

St Bede's Catholic Voluntary Academy Tel: 01724 861371/Email: admin@stbedesacademy.com

### Mass Timetable for week beginning "Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time"

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Saturday 15th September 2018	Our Lady of Sorrows	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00am to 12 noon 5.30 pm Winterton	Mgr Bell Polish Priest's Intentions Confessions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 16th September 2018	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Thomas Lydon RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Thomas Lydon RIP
Monday 17th	Feria	9.00 am	Clarke Family Deceased
Tuesday 18th	Feria	<b>8.30 am</b> 9.30 am Polish	Seamus Ignatius McGuone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 19th	Feria	12.00 noon	Mark Proudlove RIP
Thursday 20th	St Andrew Kim Tae-gon	No 9.00 am Mass 9.30 am Polish	Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 21st	St Matthew	<b>8.30 am</b> 9.30 am Polish	Peter Carton RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 22nd September 2018	Our Lady	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 11.00am to 12 noon 5.30 pm Winterton	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions Confessions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 23rd September 2018	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Peter Le Van Phuc RIP, Peter Le Van Phu RIP & Peter Le Van Nam RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Thomas Lydon RIP
Adoration	Wednesday: 11.00 am to 12.00 noon		

Please pray for: all who have died recently and whose anniversaries occur at this time, may they rest in peace; for their families at this difficult time; for Deacon Bernard and all who are sick and housebound. The Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for September - Universal: Young People of Africa - that they may have access to education and work in their own countries.



Please join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.00 am Sunday Mass

# Scunthorpe General Hospital

For the ministration of a Catholic priest please contact Fr Neil Peoples or Fr Emmanuel Abbem on (01724) 842197 or 07548 157566

# Pope Francis 'Tweet of the Week':

**\*** 

'Mary our Mother knows the joys and difficulties that we experience along our journey.'

#### **Peoples Ponderings**

Last weekend I had the joy of attending Adoremus – Eucharistic congress in Liverpool. It was a fantastic experience to gather with thousands of Catholics as we reminded ourselves of the centrality of the Eucharist in our Catholic Faith. In particular the talks by Bishop Robert Barron were superb. You can watch the talks on YouTube and I have posted links on the Parish Twitter account. I was particularly struck by his talk on the Mass. I hope to share some of his insights in future ponderings.

The weekend ended with solemn Mass at the Metropolitan Cathedral followed by a Blessed Sacrament procession around the streets of Liverpool. Archbishop McMahon, in his homily, called on the procession to be a penitential act, with the Church being shaken by the recent scandals. As the clergy headed out of the Cathedral, it started to rain. It is safe to say that the clergy were drenched through as we made our way around the streets. At one point I looked back on the procession and saw drenched Bishops and Priests and then the people of God with their umbrellas and jackets on. It seemed fitting to me that this procession was even more penitential for the clergy as it has been the clergy who have let the people down in recent years. As we approached the Cathedral for Benediction the Sun came out – in a way God was saying, come to me – there is light to be found at the end of this darkness and pain. I pray that the great energy that was felt from Adoremus can be the start of a new renewal of the Church in our Land, a renewal with the Eucharist/God at the centre.

#### Second Collection

This Sunday is Home Mission Sunday and we will be having a second collection at all Masses. The money collected will support the work of the Home Mission Office, whose vision is to help the local Church make the joy of the Gospel a reality in England and Wales. You can find out more about the work of the Home Mission Office at www.homemission.org.uk

#### Fr Emmanuel

This is Fr Emmanuel's last weekend in our parishes. I would like to take this opportunity to thank him for his warm welcome when I arrived last year. It was a big change for me to go from being a curate to parish priest and his help and advice has made that transition on Thursday 11th October and the course runs for 10 much easier. He now heads off to Sacred Heart Church in Leicester to assist Mgr John Lally. I am sure that he will have a great time in the City of Leicester (not that I am biased!).

#### Mass Count

The annual Mass count will take start next weekend and continue over the following three weekends.

#### **RCIA**

If anyone is interested in becoming a Catholic, please speak to or email Fr Neil asap. We are hoping to start the new course at the end of September/start of

#### MacMillan Charity ~ Coffee Evening

Takes place on Thursday 27th September at 7.00 pm, with raffle, bingo and cake stall. Suitable raffle prizes would be appreciated. Tickets cost £2 and all proceeds go to local MacMillan Nurses. For more information contact Michael on 01724 271531 or 07867 981230.

#### Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC)

There will be a special meeting to launch the new Lin coln branch of SPUC at 7.30 pm on Thursday 27th September at Our Lady of Lincoln Church, Laughton Way, Lincoln. SPUC's Parliamentary officer, Katherine Hampton, will be there to explain the urgent action required against the introduction of abortion on demand through 'decriminalisation'. For further information contact Julie Rogers on 07465 440171

# Diocesan Day of Renewal Saturday 6th October

This renewal Day will take place at St Mary's Primary Academy, Wellington Street, Grimsby, DN32 7JK from 10 am to 5.30 pm. The speakers will be Mgr John

Armitage, Rector of the National Shrine of our Lady of Walsingham and Fr Paul Keene, Vice-Rector of Oscott College. The day will include workshops and seminars, Holy Mass, praise and time for prayer. There will be activities for children of all ages. Entry is free and there will be a collection during the day to cover the costs of the day. Booking is essential so please contact the parish office on 01472 342301 or email holytrinitygci@gmail.com as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

#### Catholicism Course

Will take place in St Bernadette's Hall, on Thursday Evenings from 7.00 pm. The first session takes place weeks. Each session will look at an episode of Bishop Robert Barron's Catholicism Series, followed by Q & A. Each session stands alone, so don't worry if you can't make all the sessions.

### Vocations - Day of Discernment

Saturday 13th October. A day to 'Reflect and answer God's call in our lives' for older men and women aged 35+ (11.00 am to 3.00 pm), The Old Friary, Gordon Road, Nottingham, NG3 2LG. For further information please contact the Vocation Directors, Fr Paul Newman or Canon Jonathan Cotton, on 01159 501064 or email nottinghamvocations@hotmail.co.uk; website http://www.nottinghamvocations.co.uk

## Adoremus Legacy Day 'Seek the face of Christ'

As a follow up to the successful Eucharistic Congress, the Diocese is having a Legacy Day on Saturday 20th October from 10.00 am to 2.30 pm at St Benedict's School, Duffield Road, Derby, DE22 1JD. The day will include workshops on the Eucharist and families and children, Schools and Youth, Parish, Sick and Housebound. The key speaker will be Bishop Patrick McKinney. This event is also open to those who were unable to make it to Liverpool. For more information you can ask Fr Neil or contact Diane at formation@nrcdt.org.uk or call 01159 539841.

#### Children's Liturgy

Leaders and helpers are needed for the long term future of the children's liturgy held during the 9am Mass on Sunday. This would be on a rota basis eg. Once or twice a month. Please let Fr Neil know if you could help or would like to try it out to see if it is for you.