

The Church of The Holy Souls'

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Mass Timetable for week beginning "Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time"

Date	Feast	Time	Church	Intention
Sunday 23rd February 2020	Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Holy Souls' St Norbert's St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Kath Finn RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Angiolina Terentiak RIP
Monday 24th	Feria	11.00 Requiem	St Bernadette's	~
Tuesday 25th	Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 10.00 am	Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Norbert's	Davide Madeo RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 26th	Ash Wednesday	9.45 am 10.00 am 10.00 am Polish 12.00 noon 2.00 pm 6.00 pm 6.00 pm	School School Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Norbert's St Thomas' St Bernadette's	St Bede's Academy St Augustine Webster Academy Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Thursday 27th	Lenten Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Gertie Coates Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday 28th	Lenten Feria	9.00 am 10.00 am 7.00 pm Polish	St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls'	- Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 29th February 2020	Lenten Feria	9.00-9.20 am 9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm (Vigil) 6.00 pm (Vigil)	Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Winterton St Bernadette's	Confessions Bernard and Maureen Croft RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 1st March 2020	First Sunday Of Lent	9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Holy Souls' St Norbert's St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Dawn Kehoe RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Thomas Burke

Pope Francis 'Tweet of the Week':

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'To follow Jesus we must take three steps: draw close to Him to know Him better, confess - with the strength of the Holy Spirit - that He is the Son of God, and accept the path of humility and humiliation that He chose for the redemption of humanity.'

Please pray for:

Canon Colin Taylor and all those who have died recently, may they rest in peace; for their families at this difficult time; for those whose anniversaries occur at this time; for all who are sick and housebound.

The Pope's Prayer Intention for February 2020.

Universal prayer intention - listen to the Migrants' Cries: we pray that the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters, victims of criminal trafficking, may be heard and considered.

The Canon Comments

Following on from the four adjustments of the Law in last Sunday's Gospel come two more, perhaps the most demanding. The Law of Moses had limited revenge: only a tooth might be taken for a tooth, only an eye for an eye, not life itself. Jesus, however, will not tolerate even this limited vengeance; he allows no revenge at all. Again and again in the course of the Gospel Jesus returns to this need for unconditional forgiveness. We daringly engage ourselves to it whenever we say the Lord's Prayer, "forgive us just as we forgive ..."

The final demand, however, is the most challenging of all. There is in fact no passage of the canonical scripture which encourages "hate your enemy". In any case, just as God lavishes his benefits of life, sun and rain on good and evil alike, so we must put no limits to our love. Only in this way can we attempt to honour and imitate the holiness of God. This is what it means to be a son of God; only by following in his way and by fulfilling his designs can we be integrated into his family. There can be no enmity in Christianity. (HW)

Canon Geoffrey

Please pray for

Canon Colin Taylor, former Parish Priest of Our Lady of The period for fulfilling Easter Duties is from Ash Lincoln, who died peacefully during the early hours of Wednesday until Trinity Sunday. Cycle of Prayer dur-19th February 2020. May he rest in peace!

This weekend a representative of the KSC will speaking at the 9.00 am Sunday Mass.

Parish Mission

I hope to finalise the details of the Mission for next weekend's newsletter; please continue to pray for a successful outcome! Canon Geoffrey

Parish Mission Prayer

Holy Father, great God of love and mercy,

You have surrendered everything for love of us.

May we learn to surrender everything for love of You. Fill us with Your Holy Spirit that we may do Your will and not our own.

Help us to love you above all things and to love Your people the way You have commanded us.

Quiet our minds and hearts that we may be open to the gift of your truth, and grant that our Parish Mission may be:

a time of Grace for all,

a time of growth for the young,

a time of refreshment for the old,

a time of renewal for families,

a time of healing for the broken,

a time of joy for the sorrowing.

a time of challenge for the complacent,

a time of forgiveness for the sinner,

a time of strength for the holy,

a time of homecoming for all who have been away.

We beg you these things, Holy Father, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Ash Wednesday Masses ~ 26th February 2020

St Bede's Academy, Scunthorpe 9.45 am

(open to parishioners)

10.00 am St Augustine Webster's School

(open to parishioners)

10.00 am Polish Holy Souls' 12.00 noon Holy Souls'

St Norbert's School, Crowle 2.00 pm

(open to parishioners)

6.00 pm St Bernadette's

6.00 pm St Thomas', Gainsborough

Stations of the Cross will be celebrated:

4.00 pm Sunday afternoons St Bernadette's 6.00 pm Friday evenings Holy Souls' St Norbert's 9.30 am Tuesday mornings As announced in the newsletter St Thomas'

The Season of Lent

ing Lent we pray for these intentions: Candidates for the Sacraments; Women; the Needy and the Hungry of the World; Penitents and Wanderers.

Deanery Station Masses and Reconciliation Services

Commencing with Stations of the Cross at 6.15 pm followed by Mass at 7.00 pm:

Tuesday 3rd March St Augustine Webster, Barton

upon Humber

Thursday 12th March St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe Tuesday 24th March Corpus Christi, Cleethorpes Monday 30th March

Deanery Penitential Service at Corpus Christi, Cleethorpes at

7.00 pm

St Thomas of Canterbury, Tuesday 31st March

Gainsborough

CINS Lent Lunches 2020

Devotion at 12 noon, followed by soup at 12.30 pm. Any voluntary donations to be given to the chosen Church charity. All welcome.

Tuesdav 3rd March Holy Souls' Church Tuesday 10th March St George's Church Tuesday 17th March St Lawrence's Church Tuesday 24th March All Saints Church Tuesday 31st March Church of Resurrection Tuesday 7th April Congregational Church

Weekday Masses

Please note the following alterations and additions from the First Week of Lent:

- Holy Souls' Mass on Tuesdays and Thursdays will be celebrated at 8.30 am
- Holy Souls' Polish Language Mass Friday evenings at 7.00 pm
- St Bernadette's Friday Mass will be celebrated at 7.00 pm and not 9.30 am.

CAFOD Family Fast Day

A second collection will be taken up at all Masses on Sunday, 8th March 2020.

Money Matters:

16th February

Loose plate £413.39 Envelopes £273.70

£687.09

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