



The Parish of the Lincolnshire Martyrs
[Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe
and St Norbert's, Crowle]

Mass Timetable for the week beginning
Dedication of The Lateran Basilica - 9nd November 2025

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www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle

Date/Of the Day	Holy Souls	St Bernadette's	St Norbert's
Saturday, 8th Our Lady	-	6.00 pm Vigil Mass David Armour RIP	-
Sunday, 9th November 2025 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	10.00 am Mass Onelia Cicioni RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i> November Dead List 1.00 pm Baptism	8.30 am Mass Kathy Hunt RIP
Monday, 10th St Leo the Great	-	9.30 am Mass Nora & David Ibbotson RIP	-
Tuesday, 11th St Martin of Tours	9.30 am Dowry of Mary Magazine, Living & Deceased Members	-	-
Wednesday, 12th St Josaphat	<i>Please note</i> - the Church will NOT be open for private prayer today	-	10.30 am Mass TBA
Thursday, 13th Feria	-	-	-
Friday, 14th Feria	9.30 am Mass followed by Exposition and Confession until 10.30 am Davide Madeo RIP	6.00 pm Mass November Dead List	-
Saturday, 15th Our Lady	-	5.00 pm Exposition and Confession 6.00 pm Vigil Mass John & Tommy Walker RIP	-
Sunday, 16th November 2025 Thirty-third Sunday of the Year	10.00 am Mass Tomazia & Domingos RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i> McIntyre Family 3.00 pm Mass Syro-Malabar Mass	8.30 am Mass TBA

For Polish Mass Times at Holy Souls Church, please see the Polish bulletin at the back of Holy Souls Church, or visit
www.facebook.com/parafia.polska.scun.link.grim



Our Local Catholic Schools

Primary: St Augustine Webster Catholic Voluntary Academy, Baildon Rd, Scunthorpe, DN15 8BU 01724 843722
St Bernadette's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy, Anne's Cres, Scunthorpe, DN16 2LW 01724 842382
St Norbert's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy, Fieldside, Crowle, Scunthorpe, DN17 4HL 01724 710249
Secondary: St Bede's Catholic Voluntary Academy, Collum Avenue, Scunthorpe, DN16 2TF 01724 245151

The Pope's Prayer Intention - November 2025

For the prevention of suicide. Let us pray that those who are tempted to commit suicide might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Safeguarding Representatives

St Bernadette's: Janice Moran/Barbara Faulds 07513 725545
Holy Souls': Deacon Sebastian Grab/Lynda Theophile 07513 725489
Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator:
Rachael Campion: 01159 539849



St Bernadette's Church - Sunday 11.30 am
and Holy Days of Obligation
<http://www.youtube.com/@stbernadetteschurch>

Canon's Quote of the Week:

"There was no room for them in the inn". Prayerful reflection over these words has highlighted an inner parallel between this saying and the profoundly moving words from St John's Prologue: "He came to his own home, and his own people received him not" (1:11). For the Saviour of the world, for him in whom all things were created (Col.1.16) there was no room. "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has no where to lay his head." (Mt 8.20). He who was crucified outside the city (Heb 13:12) also came into the world outside the city. This should cause us to reflect - it points towards the reversal of values found in the figure of Jesus Christ and his message. From the moment of his birth, he belongs outside the realm of what is important and powerful in worldly terms. Yet it is this unimportant and powerless child who proves to be the truly powerful one, the one on whom ultimately everything depends."

Pope Benedict XVI

The Infancy Narratives. Jesus of Nazareth pp 66-67

In your charity, please pray for

all who have died recently, may they rest in peace.
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
Please pray for their families at this difficult time; for those whose anniversaries occur at this time; for all who are sick and housebound and those who have no family to support them.

Future Second Collections

- ⇒ 16th November SVP
- ⇒ 30th November Bishop Patrick's collection for Hospices within the Diocese
- ⇒ 7th December Poor and Needy Parishes
- ⇒ 11th January 2026 Sick and Retired Priests Fund
- * **St Bernadette's Church/Parish Centre**
- * **Children's Liturgy Group** - Sunday, 11.30 am Mass.
- * **Bible Study** - Monday, 7.30-9.00 pm.
- * **Knit & Natter** - Tuesdays from 2 to 4 pm. All welcome.
- * **Youth Group** - for ages 10 to 18 (Year 6 to Year 13), 7.00 to 8.30 pm on the last Friday of every month.
- * **Confirmation Preparation** - every Friday during term time from 7.00 to 8.00 pm.

Remembrance Service

This will take place at 10.50 am on Sunday 9th November 2025 at Ashby War Memorial.

Holy Souls' Church - 12th November 2025

Private Prayer cancelled

Holy Souls' will be re-open for Private Prayer on 19th November 2025.

November for Requiem Masses

All **Young Adults** are warmly invited to a **November Requiem Mass** to be celebrated in remembrance of those who have died. Please bring with you the names of anyone you wish to pray for this month which will be added to our Mass intentions. Arrivals from 6 pm, Mass and social time finishing for 8 pm.

- ♦ Thursday 13th - St Hugh of Lincoln Church; Mass at 6.30 pm.

Job Vacancy

The Parish of All Saints, Nottingham (NG8 3EP), is seeking to appoint a part-time, permanent **Parish Administrator** working 10 hours per week (Mondays and Fridays), £14.17 per hour (Band 4). The parish is looking for someone with proven experience in administration and finance, ideally within parish, school, or charity settings. For an informal conversation about the role contact Canon Stanley Ofoegbu stanley.ofoegbu@dioceseofnottingham.uk or for an application form email office@dioceseofnottingham.uk
Closing date: **Monday 17th November 2025**

Parish Finance and Council Meetings

We will hold the new parish finance meeting on **Tuesday 18th November** at St Bernadette's Parish Centre at **7.00 pm**. The new parish council first meeting will be on **Tuesday 25th November** at Holy Souls Sacristy at **7.00 pm**.

SVP Lunch Group - Tuesday 18th November 2025

Eucharistic service in St Bernadette's Church at 12 noon followed by lunch in the parish centre of fish and chips, ice cream, tea/coffee. Fish and chips will be pre-ordered and

delivered by Carvers. Cost is £10 per person. Please contact Patricia (07813 075935) or Lee (07419 337664) to confirm menu choice if you have not already done so. If you have to cancel at late notice please let us know so that we can cancel your order. There will be the usual quiz, raffle and bingo.

Figures of Advent

As Advent approaches you are warmly invited to take some quiet time for reflection, prayer, and renewal with **Fr Chris Thomas**, a priest of the Archdiocese of Liverpool, reflecting on the **Figures of Advent**: the prophets, Mary, Joseph, and John the Baptist, whose faith, courage, and hope prepared the way for Christ's coming. The Retreat is being held at the Presentation Sisters Convent, Chesterfield Road, Matlock, DE4 3FT, on **Saturday 29th November** between 10.00 am and 4.00 pm. A suggested donation is £10! please bring a packed lunch. For more details email associates@pbvmengland.co.uk

Advent Online Retreat

The Jesuit Institute is offering an **Advent Online Retreat** between **Sunday 7th and Thursday 11th December**, giving participants an opportunity to spend more time with God and listen to how God is at work in their lives in the lead up to Christmas. Details, and booking information, can be found at: www.jesuitinstitute.org/events/online-individually-guided-retreat---advent

School admissions to Catholic Primary Academies

(Reception Year)

Children born between 01/09/2021 and 31/08/2022. The deadline for submitting an application for a school place is 15th January 2026. Application forms are available on your 'home' Local Authority website. For every Catholic school you apply for if you wish your child to be considered and ranked under a faith criterion you ***should also complete a supplementary information form***, and return this form to the school by the deadline, (forms are available from the LA and the school). You must also include the supporting *evidence** as required with this form, ie a baptism certificate (photocopies are acceptable; contact the parish of baptism if you don't have a copy but please note there may be a charge for this); failure to supply the required supporting evidence will mean your child is ranked in a lower criterion which may affect your chance of a place.

St Vincent de Paul

The local branch are a small group of seven men and women who are keen to recruit new members. The focus of their work is to help those in need in a practical way if possible and offer friendship and support to those socially isolated. As part of their fundraising efforts there will be Christmas raffle at the lunch group in December and they would be grateful for donations of any raffle prizes (i.e. chocolates, biscuits, seasonal goods, etc). The proceeds from fundraising activities helps support individuals in need, the local food bank, women's refuge and SVP Appeals abroad. Please contact Patricia (07813 075935), Jim (01724 639370) or Lee (07419 337664) for further information or to donate raffle prizes. Thank you.

Please note: a second collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend for the SVP.

Fire Drill and Evacuation

Under Health and Safety Regulations we are required to hold a fire drill and evacuation of our Churches and Halls in the near future. On hearing the emergency alarm please make your way out of the building using the nearest exit point, following any instructions given by the fire wardens (identifiable by a hi-vis vest). The Fire assembly point for each Church is the car park.

Thank You

Bishop Patrick has received a letter from Mgr Ante Vidovic, Charge d'Affaires at the Apostolic Nunciature, thanking our Diocese for the contributions to the 2025 **Peter's Pence collection**, which amounted to £9,705.47. The Holy Father very much appreciates the generosity of parishioners throughout the Diocese of Nottingham, whose donations will help to fund and support the charitable activities of the Holy See.

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First Holy Communion Applications

Application forms for children who are in Year 4 and above and are baptised Catholic are available at the back of each Church. Please hand in a completed application form by **30th November 2025**.