



**The Parish of the Lincolnshire Martyrs  
[Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe  
and St Norbert's, Crowle]  
Mass Timetable for the week beginning  
The Resurrection of The Lord - 5th April 2026**

**Parish Clergy**

**Canon Matthew Jakes, Deacons Sebastian Grab and Samuel Sheridan-Garrity**

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[www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle](http://www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle)

Date/Of the Day	Holy Souls	St Bernadette's	St Norbert's
Saturday, 4th Holy Saturday	-	9.00 am Syro-Malabar Liturgy 8.00 pm Easter Vigil People of the Parish 10.30 pm Easter Vigil Syro-Malabar Easter Vigil	-
Sunday - 5th April 2026 Easter Day of The Resurrection of The Lord	10.00 am Mass People of the Parish	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - Livestreamed In Thanksgiving	8.30 am Mass People of the Parish
Monday, 6th - Monday within the Octave of Easter	-	9.30 am Mass Joseph Collins RIP	-
Tuesday, 7th - Tuesday within the Octave of Easter	9.30 am Mass Hilda Riley RIP	6.00 pm Reception Mary Fitzpatrick RIP	-
Wednesday, 8th - Wednesday within the Octave of Easter	The Church will not be open for private prayer this week.	11.00 am Funeral Mass Mary Fitzpatrick RIP	-
Thursday, 9th - Thursday within the Octave of Easter	-	-	-
Friday, 10th - Friday within the Octave of Easter	-	-	-
Saturday, 11th - Saturday within the Octave of Easter	-	6.00 pm Vigil Paul Harrison RIP	-
Sunday 12th April 2026 Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday	10.00 am Mass Brian & Catherine Barnaby RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - Livestreamed Helen & Harry Robertson RIP 1.00 pm Baptism 3.00 pm Devotions Divine Mercy Devotions	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](http://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 - April 2026**

**For priests in crisis.** Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

**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 - Sundays 11.30 am and Holy Days of Obligation  
<http://www.youtube.com/@stbernadetteschurch>

**In your charity, please pray for**

Mary Fitzpatrick and all those 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.

**Parish Merger - Bank Accounts  
Holy Souls and St Norbert's Parishioners**

We are working to complete the merger of the individual bank accounts held by Holy Souls', St Norbert's and St Bernadette's into one account for the Parish the Lincolnshire Martyrs RCP. This account will then take on all financial transactions for the three churches. *To assist in this transition we would be grateful if parishioners at Holy Souls' and St Norbert's - who currently pay direct to Holy Souls' Scunthorpe RCP or St Norbert's Crowle RCP - could amend their payments to:*  
**Sort Code: 30-97-44**  
**Account: 00801306**  
**Lincolnshire Martyrs RCP**

*Please note: Parishioners at St Bernadette's who pay directly to the bank account do not need to take any action as these payments were automatically transferred when the St Bernadette's account was renamed the Lincolnshire Martyrs account. If you have any queries please email:*  
[stbernadettesashby@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:stbernadettesashby@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

**Message from Canon Matthew**

"Dear Parishioners, Thank you to all who have prepared our churches and played a role in our Holy Week and Easter liturgies. May I take this opportunity to wish a very happy and holy Easter to you and your loved ones."

*Canon Matthew*

**St Bernadette's Church/Parish Centre**

- \* **Children's Liturgy Group** - resumes Sunday 26th April at 11.30 am Mass.
- \* **Bible Study** - resumes Monday 21st April 7.30-9.00 pm.
- \* **Knit & Natter** - Tuesday 2.00 to 4.00 pm. All welcome.
- \* **First Holy Communion Sessions** - resumes Wednesday 22nd April from 4.00 to 5.00 pm
- \* **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.

**Divine Mercy Sunday**

is being celebrated next **Sunday 12th April** at Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Church, Brooklyn Road, Bulwell, NG6 9ES. The celebration begins at 2.30 pm and ends with Benediction at 3.45 pm. Talks will be given by Fr Evarist Kaniki and Confessions will be available for one hour after. All are invited to attend. For more information ring Madeleine 01159 277893 or Teresa 07733 224700.

*Please note:* there will be Divine Mercy Devotions at St Bernadette's Church at 3.00 pm on the same Sunday (12th).

**St Bernadette's Adoration Chapel**

Re-opens on Monday 13th April 2026.

**Encountering Jesus in the Gospels:**

**how to lead groups in reflective prayer**

On Tuesday evenings between and April and June join the Jesuit Institute online for a short online formation course building the skills and confidence needed to hold and guide groups of those who wish to deepen their relationship with Jesus, in conversation with others, through reflectively praying with gospel texts.  
[www.jesuitinstitute.org/events/encountering-jesus-in-the-gospels](http://www.jesuitinstitute.org/events/encountering-jesus-in-the-gospels)

**Holy Souls' Warm Welcome Space**

Every Tuesday, from 21st April 2026, 1.00 to 3.00 pm. A safe, warm and welcoming space offering a hot drink, simple snack, and friendly chat.  
 If you would like more information or to help out, please contact Mark Barnaby on 07985 653292

**Gender and Faith**

The Diocesan Education Service is hosting a Day looking at Gender and Faith: Accompanying Young People Well on **Thursday 23rd April** at the Diocesan Centre, Mackworth, DE22 4BD. Dr Julia Sadusky will lead the Day, between 11.30 am and 2.00 pm, which is open to all, especially those accom-

panying young people at the intersection of questions of embodiment and spirituality. The cost of the Day is £25, and bookings can be made by contacting [gill.burns@nottingham-des.org.uk](mailto:gill.burns@nottingham-des.org.uk)

**Peaceful Public Act of Witness**

Once a year, Nottingham SPUC holds a **peaceful public act of witness** in memory of the 10 million lives lost to abortion since the passage of the 1967 Abortion Act. This involves standing silently holding a poster up to passing traffic. The date for this year's witness is **Saturday 25th April from 10.00 am until mid-day**. The venue is Trent Bridge, Nottingham. If you would like to take part, please meet at 9.55 am on the north side of the bridge, next to the Brewhouse and Kitchen. Posters will be provided.

For more information contact [pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

**Job Vacancies**

- ♦ The Most Holy and Undivided Trinity Parish, Grimsby, Cleethorpes, Immingham is seeking to appoint a part-time **Parish Administrator** for 9 hours per week. To request an application form please email: [office@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:office@dioceseofnottingham.uk) closing date **23rd April**.
- ♦ Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service (NDCYS) is looking for a new **Programme Leader** to be based at The Briars Retreat Centre, Crich, Derbyshire. For more information visit [ndcys.com/job-vacancies](http://ndcys.com/job-vacancies); closing date is **30th April**.
- ♦ Stella Maris is seeking a **Regional Community Engagement Officer** for the North of England to strengthen connections with parishes, schools, and local communities, raising awareness of the charity's work, building relationships with clergy and lay leaders, and growing support through fundraising, prayer, and volunteering. For an application pack contact [recruitment@stellamaris.org](mailto:recruitment@stellamaris.org); the **deadline for applications is Sunday 19th April**.

**Visit to Ely Cathedral - Saturday 16th May 2026**

8.00 am Bus pick up Holy Souls  
 8.10 am Bus pick up St Bernadette's  
 11.30 am Arrival at Ely and free time  
 2 to 3.00 pm Tour of Ely Cathedral  
 3.15 pm Catholic Mass  
 4.00 pm Free time  
 4.45 pm Departure  
 The cost is £35 for adults, children £10, which includes Cathedral tour. To book please contact Grazyna on 07936 474181 (Black & White Coaches) by 20th April 2026.

**Future Second Collection**

⇒ 26th April 2026 Clergy Formation Fund

**Weekly Collection Envelopes**

Boxes are now available at the back of each Church. We have some spare boxes so if you would like one please contact Canon Matthew.

**March 100 Club Draw**

1st prize £135 Ticket no: 80  
 2nd prize £60 Ticket no: 07

**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 by ringing **01724 844895** (please leave a message if there is no answer).

**Easter Offering Collection**

The Easter Offering collections this weekend are your gift to our Parish Priest. Please remember that the collection goes to the priest as he does not receive a salary from the Church.

**Prayer for Vocations**

God Our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom, as Priests, Deacons, and as Religious men and women.

Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May we continue to support and encourage vocations in our families and in our Parish Community.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever.

Amen.

Mary Immaculate: Pray for us.

St Hugh of Lincoln: Pray for us.

All the Saints of our Diocese: Pray for us.