



**The Parish of the Lincolnshire Martyrs
[Holy Souls' and St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe
and St Norbert's, Crowle]
Mass Timetable for the week beginning
Seventh Sunday of Easter - 17th May 2026**

Parish Clergy

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

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www.facebook.com/stnorbertscrowle

Date/Of the Day	Holy Souls	St Bernadette's	St Norbert's
Saturday, 16th Easter Feria	-	5.00 pm Exposition and Confessions 6.00 pm Vigil Gerard Cadwallader RIP	-
Sunday 17th May 2026 Seventh Sunday of Easter	10.00 am Mass Dominic Hopkins RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - Livestreamed Derek Haith RIP 3.00 pm Syro-Malabar Mass	8.30 am Mass TBA
Monday, 18th Easter Feria	-	9.30 am Service of Word and Communion	-
Tuesday, 19th Easter Feria	-	-	-
Wednesday, 20th Easter Feria	From 9.00 am to 1.00 pm the Church will be open for private prayer	11.00 am Funeral Service Maureen Martin RIP	-
Thursday, 21st Easter Feria	-	-	-
Friday, 22nd Easter Feria	9.30 am Service of Word and Communion	-	-
Saturday, 23rd Easter Feria	-	PLEASE NOTE: No Exposition/Confession 6.00 pm Vigil Susan Hoban RIP	-
Sunday 24th May 2026 Pentecost Sunday	10.00 am Mass Maureen Rubano RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - Livestreamed Patrick Griffin RIP	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

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).

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 - May 2026

That everyone might have food. Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

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

Maureen Martin 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.

**World Communications Day - this Sunday
Preserving Human Voices and Faces**

This Sunday is World Communications Day. Copies of the Message of the Holy Father Leo XIV for the 60th World Day of Social Communications are available at the back of Church or can be downloaded from the website. A second collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend for World Communications Day.

Boilers at St Bernadette's Church

Total cost £49,188.00 (including VAT). Thank you to the parishioners who have donated towards the cost of the new boilers at St Bernadette's. *If you would like to make a donation* towards the cost please contact Canon Matthew, as this will be gratefully received. Work on replacing the Church boilers began on 11th May and is due to finish this coming week. Work on replacing the parish centre boilers will begin on 25th May 2026 and last for two weeks.

St Bernadette's Church/Parish Centre

- Children's Liturgy Group - Sundays at 11.30 am Mass. **NB: There will be none on Sunday, 24th May.**
- Bible Study - Mondays from 7.30 to 9.00 pm.
- Knit & Natter - Tuesdays 2.00 to 4.00 pm. All welcome.
- First Holy Communion Sessions - Wednesday from 4.00 to 5.00 pm (during term-time).

Holy Souls' Warm Welcome Space

Continues every Tuesday, from 1.00 to 3.00 pm. A safe, warm and welcoming space offering a hot drink, simple snack, and friendly chat.

SVP lunch - Tuesday 19th May 2026

at 12.30 in St Bernadette's parish centre preceded by Eucharistic service in Church at 12 noon. Lunch is sausage and mash followed by a pudding and tea/coffee. Gluten free and vegetarian options available. Bingo, raffle and quiz. Cost is £5. Please contact Lee 07419 337664 or Patricia 07813 075935 to book a place if you have not already done so.

BBC Radio 4 Any Questions?

is being broadcast live from St Norbert's Community Hall, Spalding, on Friday 29th May at 8.00 pm. Everyone is invited to join live and put questions to the panellists from politics, media and beyond. For a free ticket contact Julian Humphrey on 07704 590843 or email: jjh281@gmail.com

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham:
Mary, Cause of Our Joy**

on Saturday 20th June 2026, gathering at the Anglican Shrine with procession to the Catholic Shrine starting at 12:45 pm. Divine Mercy begins at 3.00 pm followed by a Mass at the Catholic Shrine at 3.45 pm. The provisional departure times for the coach are:
 7.00 am Holy Souls Church
 7.15 am St Bernadette's Church
 Ticket costs: Adult £15, child £10.
 For full details please see the poster on Church noticeboards. To book please contact Chris on 07816 789808 or sign the sheet at the back of each church.

Young Adults - Pilgrimage to Walsingham

Young adults aged 18-35 are invited to join a special overnight Pilgrimage to Walsingham, Saturday 20th to Sunday 21st June, taking place alongside the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage, with dedicated time, space and community for young adults. Staying at Elmham House (half board) pilgrims will

share in the wider celebrations while also enjoying moments specifically for the young adult community and encounter. For any questions, contact Charles Archer, Young Adult Ministry Lead, charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk Bookings at: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/walsingham-2026

The White Fathers Mission Appeal - Next weekend

An appeal will take place next weekend, 23rd/24th May, by Fr Hugh Seenan. The Missionaries of Africa, also known as The White Fathers, are an international team of priests, brothers and lay associates from Africa, Britain and many countries around the world. Any ministry which has a real relationship with Africa, no matter in what part of the world it may be, is considered by the Missionaries of Africa to be within the scope of the apostolate. Through parish work, building up small Christian communities, working with the media, involvement in justice and peace, agriculture, seminary training, education and social welfare the Missionaries of Africa aim to work in partnership with the Church in Africa . . . and above all else to help build up the leadership of the Churches. You can also donate online by visiting www.missionariesofafrica.org.uk/donations

Refreshments - St Bernadette's Church

Please note that next weekend (24th) no refreshments will be served after Sunday Mass at St Bernadette's Church.

Future Second Collections

- 21st June 2026 Day for Life
- 28th June 2026 Peter's Pence
- 12th July 2026 Stella Maris (Sea Sunday)

Join the 100 Club

This monthly draw has prizes each month of £135 and £60 with a Bonus draw of £1000 in December. To join please complete the application form available at the back of each church. The subscription is £5 per month or a one-off payment of £45 for the May 2026 to January 2027 draws. Subscriptions renew in February each year.

Would you like to help out in your parish?

- We are seeking volunteer Fire Marshalls and First Aiders to help at events in our Churches. Training will be provided.
- Holy Souls' Summer Fair Saturday 29th August 2026** - if you are able to help for a couple of hours it will be greatly appreciated.

Please contact Filomina 07732 310007 or Mark 07985 653292 if you are interested or would like more information. Alternatively you can email: stbernadettesashby@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Have you thought about becoming a School Foundation Governor?

All our local Catholic schools have a number of vacancies that they need to fill. Bishop Patrick is inviting practising Catholics who are willing to become foundation governors to come forward. You don't need to have an educational background, training is provided. If you have the commitment and desire to become a foundation governor now or in the near future, we would be delighted to hear from you. If you would like to know more please contact one of our Schools. More information is also available from Samantha Buller (Governance Manager) samantha.buller@nottingham-des.org.uk, telephone 01332 293833, or the Nottingham Diocesan Education Service website where you can find a 'Self-Nomination' form which we would encourage you to complete.

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.