



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

Mass Timetable for the week beginning 19th July 2026

Sixteenth Sunday of The Year

**Parish Clergy**

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

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| Date/Of the Day                                                                                                | Holy Souls                                                                                                                | St Bernadette's                                                                                                                                     | St Norbert's                      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Saturday, 18th Feria                                                                                           | -                                                                                                                         | 12 noon Baptism<br>5.00 pm Exposition and Confessions<br>6.00 pm Vigil Mass<br>John & Joan McCaffrey RIP                                            | -                                 |
| Sunday<br>19th July 2026<br>Sixteenth Sunday<br>of The Year                                                    | 10.00 am Mass<br>Dowry of Mary for the advancement<br>of the RC religion in England<br>1.30 pm Baptism<br>3.00 pm Baptism | 9.30 am Polish Mass<br>Polish Priest's Intention<br>11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i><br>Anthony Panting RIP<br>3.00 pm Mass<br>Syro Malabar Mass | 8.30 am Mass<br>Private Intention |
| Monday, 20th Feria                                                                                             |                                                                                                                           | 9.30 am Mass<br>Kathlee & Sonny Lombardi RIP<br>12.00 noon Funeral Mass<br>Nora Wood RIP                                                            | -                                 |
| Tuesday, 21st Feria                                                                                            | 9.30 am Mass<br>David Till RIP                                                                                            | -                                                                                                                                                   | -                                 |
| Wednesday, 22nd<br>St Mary Magdalene                                                                           | <i>Please note:</i> Holy Souls' Church is not<br>open for private prayer this week                                        | 7.00 am Mass<br>Pete Huckle, Joe Lombardi, Molly Crow-<br>ley, Margaret O'Connor, Jonathan Blake,<br>Siobhan Kearney RIP                            | 10.30 am Mass<br>TBA              |
| Thursday, 23rd<br>St Bridget of Sweden<br>Patron Saint of Europe                                               | -                                                                                                                         | -                                                                                                                                                   | -                                 |
| 7.00 pm - Closing Mass of The Parish Visitations at Our Lady of Lincoln Church, Laughton Way, Lincoln, LN2 2HE |                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                     |                                   |
| Friday, 24th Feria                                                                                             | 9.30 am Mass<br>Clarke Family Deceased                                                                                    | 11.00 am Funeral Mass<br>Nora Bond RIP                                                                                                              | -                                 |
| Saturday, 25th<br>St James, Apostle                                                                            | 2.00 pm Wedding                                                                                                           | 5.00 pm Exposition and Confessions<br>6.00 pm Vigil Mass<br>John & Michael Keane RIP                                                                | -                                 |
| Sunday<br>26th July 2026<br>Seventeenth Sunday<br>of The Year                                                  | 10.00 am Mass<br>Deacon Bernard & Maureen Croft RIP                                                                       | 9.30 am Polish Mass<br>Polish Priest's Intention<br>11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i><br>Eileen O'Donnell (nee Davis) RIP                         | 8.30 am Mass<br>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 - July 2026**

**For respect for human life.** Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognising it as a gift from God.

**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**

Nora Wood, Christine Fillingham, Nora Bond 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.

**Future Second Collections**

- 20th September Home Mission Sunday
- 4th October CAFOD Harvest Fast Day

**Holy Souls' Church Hall**

- Warm Welcome Space - Tuesday from 1.00 to 3.00 pm.

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

- Children's Liturgy Group - resumes 6th September 2026
- Bible Study - resumes September 2026
- Knit & Natter - Tuesdays 2.00 to 4.00 pm. All welcome.

**Calling Parish Musicians**

**and those who would like to be.**

The Diocese of Nottingham is partnering with One Hope Project to offer both spiritual and musical formation for parish musicians (or those who would like to be).

The course will begin in September but there is an information meeting on **Monday 20th July at 7.00 pm on Zoom** to explore what the programme is and how it can help you. To access the link please email [team@onehopeproject.co.uk](mailto:team@onehopeproject.co.uk) or visit:  
<https://bit.ly/OHPNotts26>

**'Go Make Disciples'**

The closing Mass of the Parish Visitations will take place on Thursday, 23rd July at the Parish of Our Lady of Lincoln. All welcome to attend.

**'Act Now'**

**Contact your MP**

A Private Members' Bill on assisted suicide – so-called assisted dying – has been reintroduced to the House of Commons. The Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill will have its Second Reading and vote on **Friday, 11th September 2026**. Our clear principled objection to this Bill remains and we renew our call for Catholics and people of goodwill to unite in prayer and compassionate action. Archbishop Richard Moth, President of the Bishops' Conference, explains our strong opposition to this legislation:

"The Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill which aims to legalise assisted suicide has returned to the House of Commons, and Members of Parliament will vote on its Second Reading on 11th September. This bill is wrong in principle. It is also deeply flawed and, if passed, could lead to vulnerable people feeling pressured into ending their lives.

"The Bill has a serious lack of protection for health and social care staff and risks putting many wonderful hospices and care homes in the position of no longer being able to operate.

"I urge you to write to your Members of Parliament to petition them to vote against the Bill at Second Reading."

For more information go to:

[Oppose Assisted Suicide - Catholic Bishops' Conference](#)

[Write to MP to vote NO on the new assisted suicide Bill on 11 Sept – Easy tool](#)

**Mission Together - 12th September 2026**

Join the 'Workshop for everyone' at Holy Cross Priory in Leicester. Pope Leo and Pope Francis ask all the baptised to build new relationships in the church through 'synodality' (walking together). Led by Dr Austen Ivereigh, Pope Francis' biographer and an invited expert at the synod on synodality, the workshop runs from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm and will explore practical ways to listen and connect for mission. Caritas Leicester & Leicestershire suggest a donation of £20 to cover costs, though if this amount means you can't come just give what you can. Find out more at [bit.ly/synodalityleics](http://bit.ly/synodalityleics)

**The Malvern Hills Challenge with Team Life**

On 10th October 2026, you could take on this beautiful guided trek which follows the full length of the Malvern Ridge, from North Hill to Chase End, with big climbs, sweeping views and plenty of history along the way. Every step you take, and every pound you raise, will help Life give life-changing sup-

port to thousands of women and families facing unexpected pregnancy, making parenthood feel possible. At some of the most difficult and critical times in a woman's life, we step in with practical, compassionate support. From a safe home and essential baby supplies to emotional and professional help. Life walks alongside women and families when they need it most. Ready to take on the ridge for Life? Find out more here:  
[Life - Get Involved - Malvern Hills 2026](#)

**\*\*We need your ideas and help\*\***

to plan a calendar of social activities and events at Holy Souls' and at St Bernadette's and would like to hear your ideas and suggestions. Please contact Janice Moran (Parish Office) on 07773 251444 with your suggestions. If you would like to be involved in helping to organise and promote these we would love to hear from you.

**Boilers at St Bernadette's Church**

We are very grateful to parishioners who have generously donated £10,700 towards the cost of the boilers at £49,188. If you wish to make a donation details of how to do so to the Lincolnshire Martyrs bank account are at the end of this newsletter.

**DONA Donation Terminals**

From next weekend Dona terminals will be ready to use in both Holy Souls' and St Norbert's Churches. These terminals are easy to use self-service digital donation terminals and parishioners can make donations with contactless or Chip and PIN payment cards, digital wallets, or via QR code and webpage. Parishioners can also choose to Gift Aid their donations.

**Food Bank Donations - Thank you**

The Scunthorpe Salvation Army has written to Canon Matthew to express their sincere thanks for the multiple generous food collections and monetary contributions our congregations have donated to their foodbank. These donations are also very much appreciated by the many clients the Salvation Army serve within the local community. It is only with regular donations such as these that the Salvation Army can continue their work and to make sure that those they support have access to a food parcel. The Salvation Army are most grateful for all your kindness and thoughtfulness.

**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).

**The Government's Great British  
Summer Savings Scheme**

takes place between 25th June and 1st September, with a temporary reduction on VAT from 20% to 5% on children's meals in restaurants, children and family tickets to cinemas, theatres, concerts, exhibitions and a wide range of other attractions. In addition, there is to be free bus travel during August for children aged 5 to 15 in England. Full details can be found at:  
<https://summersavings.gov.uk>

**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.

**Lincolnshire Martyrs Parish Bank Account**

Sort Code: 30-97-44

Account: 00801306

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Lincolnshire Martyrs RCP