



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

Mass Timetable for the week beginning 26th July 2026

Seventeenth Sunday of The Year

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, 25th St James, Apostle	2.00 pm Wedding	5.00 pm Exposition and Confessions 6.00 pm Vigil Mass John & Michael Keane RIP	-
Sunday 26th July 2026 17th Sunday of The Year	10.00 am Mass Deacon Bernard & Maureen Croft RIP	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i> Eileen O'Donnell nee Davis RIP	8.30 am Mass McHale Family
Monday, 27th Feria	-	9.30 am Mass Athena's Intention	-
Tuesday, 28th Feria	9.30 am Mass Roger Fisher RIP	-	-
Wednesday, 29th Sts Martha, Mary & Lazarus	From 9.00 am to 1.00 pm the Church is open for private prayer	7.00 am Mass Stuart Horsley RIP 6.00 pm Reception Patricia Sharp RIP	10.30 am Mass TBA
Thursday, 30th Feria	-	11.00 am Funeral Mass Patricia Sharp RIP	-
Friday, 31st St Ignatius of Loyola	9.30 am Mass followed by Exposition & Confession until 10.30 am Gerard Cadwallader RIP	6.00 pm Mass Margaret Martin RIP	-
Saturday, 1st August 2026 St Alphonsus Mary de'Liguori	2.00 pm Baptisms	5.00 pm Exposition and Confessions 6.00 pm Vigil Mass Joanne Gardner Intention	-
Sunday 2nd August 2026 18th Sunday of The Year	10.00 am Mass Ojidu Family Deceased	9.30 am Polish Mass Polish Priest's Intention 11.30 am Mass - <i>Livestreamed</i> Bernadette Walker RIP 3.00 pm 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

Lincolnshire Martyrs Parish Bank Account

Sort Code: 30-97-44

Account: 00801306

Please make cheque payments payable to: Lincolnshire Martyrs RCP

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>

Vocations to the Priesthood

On Friday we said goodbye to Lukas Mickevicius, after his one month placement here in this parish. After a good rest he will return to his studies at Oscott College in his third year. Please keep him in your prayers. Also pray for more vocations to the priesthood, especially for secular vocations (ie for priests not of religious orders, who specialize in parish ministry). This is because we have a great shortage of priests now in the Diocese. We only have four seminarians for Nottingham Diocese, and we won't have another ordination for three years at least. In the meantime many older priests will justly retire after a lifetime in the Lord's service. Please remember there are vocations to the priesthood wherever the priesthood is valued in that culture or society. A good way, therefore, to promote vocations to the priesthood is to value the priests we already have.

In your charity, please pray for

Patricia Sharp 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.

**Sunday, 26th July - World Day of Prayer for
Grandparents and the Elderly**

Copies of the Message of The Holy Father Leo XIV are at the back of our Churches.

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 14th September 2026
- ♦ Knit & Natter - Tuesdays from 2.00 to 4.00 pm. All welcome.

Come to the CELEBRATE festival

a faith-filled event for all the family, being held between **Saturday 15th and Wednesday 19th August**, at Worth School, West Sussex. Hear inspiring speakers such as Father Roberto Pasolini (Preacher to the Pope), David Wells and Johannes Hartl, experience daily Mass, pray in Worth Abbey: fun and formation for children and young people aged 3-24 each day of the festival, and relax in the beautiful Sussex countryside. For more information, visit www.celebratefestival.org CELEBRATE has produced some resources for families to use over the summer. **The Summer family activity pack** where families can choose from faith filled activities, support for family prayer, books for different ages and film suggestions. Also the Summer Psalm Walk designed to help families explore Psalm 139 whilst they walk in their local park or on holiday.

Holy Souls' Summer Fayre

Please note: sadly the Summer Fayre scheduled for Saturday 29th August at Holy Souls' has had to be cancelled.

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

Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life Bill)

Ahead of the Second Reading and vote in the House of Commons on Friday 11th September, the Bishops' Conference has produced resources encouraging parishioners to write to their MPs. Visit www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/ Please consider writing to your MP, showing the support of the Catholic Community in opposition to this proposed change to the law.

Mission Together - 12th September 2026

Join the 'Workshop for everyone' at Holy Cross Priory in Leicester. 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 and 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

Future Second Collections

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

The Malvern Hills Challenge with Team Life

On 10th October 2026, this beautiful guided trek 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 pound you raise, will help Life give life-changing support 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](#)

Social Activities and Events at Scunthorpe Churches

Thank you to the parishioners who have already volunteered. Meetings will be arranged at St Bernadette's and at Holy Souls' to discuss ideas and plans for each Church. It would be wonderful if parishioners from Holy Souls' are able to attend their meeting. Please contact Janice Moran (Parish Office) on 07773 251444 if you are interested in helping or have ideas for social events and activities. Meeting dates are to be confirmed.

DONA Terminals now available in our Churches

These 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.

Reply to Press Enquiries concerning the Amnesty International Report "A growing threat: the anti-rights movement in the UK"

The Catholic Church works to uphold the God-given rights of all humanity, without exception. This includes the rights of those unjustly imprisoned, of refugees and migrants, of those who have been trafficked, and the right to life of all people from conception to natural death. Furthermore, we uphold the right to freedom of religion, conscience and expression as explained in the document of the Second Vatican Council, Dignitatis Humanae. Our belief in the dignity of every person, from which a proper understanding of human rights comes, animates all our work in the field of social justice in England and Wales.

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.

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).