

## Saint Bernadette's Church

# 7<sup>th</sup> June - 13<sup>th</sup> June

## **Trinity Sunday (A)**

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If you would like to book the Parish Centre hall or one of the

three meeting rooms

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#### **From Canon Geoffrey**

To all Parishioners. I do hope you are all keeping well and safe. Please continue to remember in your daily prayers those who are working hard to keep us all safe and I think you would all agree with me that this is a lot of people to pray for and give thanks to God for! We continue to experience and hope that you have been able to take advantage of it.

Fr Liam and I continue to celebrate mass each day, and I endeavour to "broadcast" via St Bernadette's Facebook page! Usually Mass on weekdays and Saturdays is at 9.00am and Sundays at 11.00am. Please join us if you can.

As we are all aware we are now several weeks into the lockdown and from indications given by the Government there could be some loosening of the regulations during June. We have been asked several times about the possibility of our churches opening again. At the time of writing we have not received any news regarding the re-opening of the churches. Both myself and Fr Liam are more than aware of the frustration and anxieties this is causing in our communities; the desire to receive the Sacraments once again and the opportunity to contact each other. I understand that our Church Leaders and Leaders of other Faith Communities are in negotiation with the Government regarding this situation. As soon as we become aware of any information we will let you know.

Please do remember in your prayers Sr Breege Leddy CSJP, who died on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020 – may she rest in peace.

In the meantime, please keep safe and well and do continue to support each other through prayers and acts of love and concern.

With every blessing to you all

Canon Geoffrey & Fr Liam

Thank you to all parishioners who have donated to their respective parish by standing order, cash, or BACS, this is very much appreciated! Please note all our accounts are held with Lloyds Bank Limited.

#### Bank account details for the parishes

St Bernadette's Scunthorpe RCP		Holy Souls' Scunthorpe RCP	
Account Number	00801306	Account Number	00207099
Sort Code	30-97-44	Sort Code	30-97-44
St Thomas' Gainsb	orough RCP	St Norbert's Crowle RCP	
Account Number	36893460	Account Number	00481239
Sort Code	30-97-44	Sort Code:	30-97-44

#### **Trinity Sunday**

Reflection: John 3:16-18

At first sight this part of the dialogue with Nicodemus seems to mention only the Father and the Son. A chief concern of the Gospel of John is to show the relationship of loving obedience between Father and The love and equality in a perfect relationship between a human father and a son is the nearest reflection of such love which we can envisage. complete trust and confidence, the father gives to a son. Son's only care is to please his father and to be as close to his father as he can be, in word, action and relationships. Each has a vibrant and continuous bond of love for the other. Such a relationship may be rare in human family life, but it can model for us a pale reflection of the loving relationship between Father and the Son. And the Spirit is in fact mentioned because the love itself is the living bond which unites the two. We must, however, appreciate that any such language limps and belittles the divine relationship, which is of a different order of perfection and intensity. Human language can never begin to render the divine reality which is utterly beyond our comprehension.



In these strange times, it's more important than ever to stay in touch. That's why we're joining forces to bring you a regular newsletter which combines the best of the news from the Adult Formation Department and Justice & Peace Commission. It's the essential bulletin for missionary disciples in Nottingham Diocese.

Copies of the three e-bulletins published to date can be found at:

https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/whatson/grapevine-e-bulletin

Please pray for the sick and housebound in our parish.

Please pray for our deceased family and friends, particularly those who have died recently and those whose anniversary occurs at this time.

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.

# Live Steaming of Masses and Devotions in the Nottingham Diocese

For details visit the St Bernadette's website at:
<a href="https://www.stbernadettesashby.org/livestreamingofm">https://www.stbernadettesashby.org/livestreamingofm</a>
<a href="mailto:asses">asses</a>

For details of daily live streaming of masses by Canon Geoffrey and Fr Liam visit:

https://www.facebook.com/stbernadettesashby/
Monday – Saturday 9:00am
Sunday 11:00am

#### **ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the
Blessed Sacrament,
I love You above all things and I desire You in my soul,
Since I now cannot receive You sacramentally, come at
least spiritually into my heart,
I embrace you and unite myself to you;
Permit not that I should ever be separated from You.

**Amen** 



### Pope Francis Prayer Intention: June 2020

#### The Way of the Heart

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.



#### 'Outside the City' - Documentary

Due to popular demand, this very moving and inspirational film, which was shown in cinemas around the country, about the lives of the Trappist monks at Mount St Bernard Abbey, will be released on 8th June on iTunes, Amazon, Google Play, and DVD.

To read the press release visit:

https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/application/files/ 4915/9066/2414/Outside the city press release newsletter.pdf

To view the trailer or pre-order your DVD (£12) visit: <u>www.vivaverve.com/film/outside-the-city</u>