



The Catholic Parishes of Holy Souls' & St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe

Mass Timetable for week beginning
Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time - 31st January 2021



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*These public Masses are also being live streamed and recorded via the

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Date	Feast	Time	Mass Time	Intention
Saturday 30th	Vigil of Fourth Sunday of the Year	6.00 pm* Vigil 6.00 pm Polish	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	Sean Kilmartin RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 31st January 2021	Fourth Sunday of the Year	9.00 am*	St Norbert's Holy Souls'	TBA
		11.00 am* 4.30 pm Polish	Holy Souls'	Josie & David Till RIP/Brigid Stanford RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Monday 1st February	Feria	9.30 am*	St Bernadette's	Bill Grimes RIP
Tuesday 2nd	The Presentation of The Lord	9.30 am	Holy Souls'	Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP/ Brosnan Family RIP
		11.00 am Polish	Holy Souls'	Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 3rd	Feria	10.00 am*	St Norbert's	TBA
Thursday 4th	St Gilbert of Sempringham	No Mass	-	-
First Friday 5th	St Agatha	10.00 am* 6.30 pm	St Thomas' St Bernadette's	TBA Betty Mulhern RIP
Saturday 6th	St Paul Miki & Companions	6.00 pm* Vigil 6.00 pm Polish	St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	McGinlay Family Deceased Polish Priest's Intentions
Sunday 7th February 2021	Fifth Sunday of the Year	9.00 am*	St Norbert's Holy Souls'	TBA
		11.00 am* 4.30 pm Polish	Holy Souls'	Joan & Edward Riby/Luis Da Costa Belo Polish Priest's Intentions

Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week

'The word of God is the antidote to our fear of having to face life. In speaking to us, the Lord reminds us that we are in his heart, that we are precious in his eyes, and that he holds us in the palm of his hand.'

The Pope's Prayer Intention for February 2021.



Universal Intention: Violence Against Women.
We pray for women who are victims of violence, that they may be protected by society and have their sufferings considered and heeded.

Saturday and Sunday Masses – seats must be booked in advance online: <https://massbooking.uk>

To avoid disappointment please do not turn up to a weekend Mass if you have not booked a seat in advance.

Please stay at home if you or someone in your household displays symptoms of Covid-19

WASH HANDS - COVER FACE - MAKE SPACE

Message from Fr Andrew - 27 January 2021

Dear Sisters and Brothers

I hope that you and all whom you love are keeping safe and well. As we passed the shocking milestone of 100,000 of our fellow citizens having died following a positive test result for COVID-19 this week, we must redouble our efforts to look after ourselves and one another as best we can. Our Churches are as safe as they can be, and I would like to thank the stewards for their hard work in ensuring that as many parishioners as possible are able to celebrate Mass in person in all four parish Churches.

I was very pleased to learn of Fr Matthew Jakes' appointment as Parish Priest, and I know that you will all make him very welcome, and his lovely dog Myrddin, as he begins to make his home among you. I am also delighted that Fr Liam is staying in your parishes, and many of you have spoken to me about how much you appreciate his ministry in your parishes. I know that you will support both Fr Matthew and Fr Liam as they proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ, celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with you and for you, administer the Sacraments to strengthen you, and serve you after the example of the Good Shepherd who laid down his life for his sheep. I would also like to thank Canon Geoffrey for his ministry as your Parish Priest, and I know that you will pray for him as he continues to make steady progress and begins a new ministry assisting Canon Eddy Jarosz in the Parish of Ss Peter & Paul in Lincoln.

The circumstances in which we find ourselves mean that we must seek Christ in one another, see him in one another and serving him in one another, and I hope and pray that everyone from all four parishes will welcome one another and work with one another 'one body, one spirit in Christ'.

With my prayers and best wishes for you all,

Fr Andrew

In your charity please pray for

all who have died recently: Sean Moore (younger brother of Canon Michael Moore), Canon Giles Goward (newly appointed Rector of Oscott Seminary) and Neil Russell; 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.

Neil Russell's Requiem Mass will be held on Wednesday 10th February, 12.00 noon, at Holy Souls Church. Parishioners are welcome to attend to pay their respects, but in accordance with Government guidelines the number attending will be restricted to 30.

Please pray for their families at this difficult time; for those whose anniversaries occur at this time and for all who are sick and housebound and those who have no family to support them. We remember all those who are in hospital or are having treatment, those whose treatment has been cancelled or postponed due to the pandemic, and those who are in nursing homes or being cared for at home.

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.



ST JOSEPH RESOURCES

COMING SOON!

Pope Francis declared that from the 8th December 2020 to 8th December 2021 (the feast of the Immaculate Conception) would be the Year of St Joseph, celebrating 150 years of St Joseph being declared as the patron saint of the Universal Church. We hope to celebrate this as diocese in a number of ways beginning in March. Here are our initial thoughts:

- A diocesan novena leading to the Solemnity of St Joseph on 19th March
- A monthly podcast 'A Father's Heart: A Podcast by Catholic Dads for Catholic Dads' — exploring Pope Francis' Apostolic Letter: *Patris Corde*
- A day retreat for men – when the current restrictions lift/ease.

We would also like to hear what resources you think would be helpful. For more information on the year of St Joseph and to download a copy of the Apostolic letter please visit: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/year-of-st-joseph/>