



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

Mass Timetable for week beginning
Fourth Sunday of Lent - 27th March 2022



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Date	Feast	Time	Mass Time	Intention
Saturday 26th March 2022	Lenten Feria	10.00 am 11.00 am Latin 11.00 am to 5.00 pm 12.00 noon Polish 4.30 pm Vigil	St Bernadette's Holy Souls' St Bernadette's Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Mr Bill Monteith RIP Priest's Intentions Syro-Malabar Retreat Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Sunday 27th March 2022	Fourth Sunday Of Lent	9.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish	St Norbert's Holy Souls' St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls'	Anne Willson RIP Peter Le Van Phu RIP Mrs Janet Killen RIP TBA Polish Priest's Intentions
Monday 28th	Lenten Feria	9.30 am	St Bernadette's	Brian Kerr RIP
Tuesday 29th	Lenten Feria	9.30 am 11.00 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Hilda & Tom Riley RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday 30th	Lenten Feria	No Mass	-	-
Thursday 31st	Lenten Feria	9.30 am 11.00 am Polish	Holy Souls' Holy Souls'	Clarke Family Deceased Polish Priest's Intentions
First Friday 1st April	Lenten Feria	10.00 am 6.00 pm 7.00 pm Polish	St Thomas' St Bernadette's Holy Souls'	TBA Bill Heatley RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 2nd April 2022	Lenten Feria	10.00 am 11.00 am Latin 12.00 noon Polish 4.30 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Vigil	St Bernadette's Holy Souls' Holy Souls' Holy Souls' St Bernadette's	Aleyamma Joseph RIP Priest's Intentions Polish Priest's Intentions Bernadette Sommers RIP People of the Parish
Sunday 3rd April 2022	Fifth Sunday Of Lent (Passion Sunday)	9.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 11.15 am 4.30 pm Polish	St Norbert's Holy Souls' St Bernadette's St Thomas' Holy Souls'	Ian Tonge RIP Ojidu Family Deceased Mrs Maureen Fury TBA Polish Priest's Intentions

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

Pope Francis - Tweet of the Week

'The violent aggression against Ukraine does not stop, a senseless massacre where every day there is a repetition of slaughter and atrocities. There is no justification for this! I plead with the international community to truly commit to ending this abhorrent war.'

Contact Priest Details

If you, or a member of your family is in hospital, or you would like a visit, please contact St Bernadette's Presbytery on 01724 844895.

Laetare Sunday: The Fourth Sunday of Lent

Laetare Sunday comes just after the midpoint of Lent. So, by now we are more than half way through Lent. It gets its name from the entrance antiphon for today's Mass which begins in Latin "Laetare Jerusalem" or "Rejoice Jerusalem". This antiphon comes from Isaiah 66.10.

Traditionally this is a day of rejoicing that we've made it so far through Lent, and it is a little break from the sombre tone of this season. This Sunday priests frequently wear rose coloured vestments as a symbol of rejoicing, although this is not mandated. This is only one of two days in the year when this is permitted. Unlike the rest of Lent, flowers are permitted on the sanctuary, and instrumental music can be played. At other times instruments are only allowed to support the singing. It was a traditional practice on this day to make a pilgrimage to the church where one was baptised. This is your "mother church", the church in which you were born again as a Christian. From this custom Mother's Day is also celebrated on this day.

In your charity please pray for

all 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. We remember all those who are in hospital or are having treatment, those whose treatment has been cancelled or postponed and those who are in nursing homes or being cared for at home.

Pope's Prayer for Consecration

On Friday, 25th March, Pope Francis offered prayers for the consecration and entrustment of Russia and The Ukraine to The Immaculate Heart of Mary. A copy of the Prayer can be found on the Diocese's website, please visit:

<https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk>

Second Collection for Ukraine

Message from Fr Matthew (20th March): "On each of the four Sundays between now and Palm Sunday a second collection will be taken for the relief of Ukrainian refugees. The funds will be given to CAFOD, which has a sister charity, Caritas Internationalis, working within the war zone, and the bordering countries. The proceeds of the collections will assist with food, water, shelter and medical supplies for the three million people who have now been displaced by this terrible war. In the middle of winter suddenly they find themselves without anything, even the basic essentials. I have decided that we will have four collections because this is a situation which has been unprecedented in Europe since World War II. Envelopes are on order and will follow soon. Please think of how fortunate we are in this country and give as generously as you can."

Diary Dates

* **Tuesday, 5th April - SVP Lunch.** Prior to lunch there will be the opportunity, for those who wish, to receive Holy Communion at a short service in St Bernadette's Church at 12 noon. The service will be conducted by Chris Robertson, one of our Eucharistic ministers, who has kindly offered to do this. Lunch will be pie and peas, followed by a pudding. There will be the usual raffle, quiz and bingo. The cost is £5.00. If you would like to join us and were not at the last group then please contact Patricia Ryan (07813075935) so that we can confirm numbers for catering.

Humber Bridge Walk - Mother's Day

One of our parishioners - Grazyna - is raising funds to help mothers, and mothers to be, who have been affected by the war in Ukraine. She will be walking the Humber Bridge circular trail (4 Miles) on 27th March. All funds raised will be donated to a charity in Gdansk, Poland, "SOS Jestem w Ciazzy". The charity works with women from all walks of life

who are pregnant or are new mothers and are experiencing problems associated with their situation. Recently due to the war, they have had a large influx of Ukrainian women who require help and support. To donate, please visit <http://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/grazyna-anelay>

Queen's Jubilee Celebration Party

St Bernadette's Parish Centre

Saturday 11th June 2022 from 1.00 to 4.00 pm

This will have a tea party theme and there will be children's games, a sing-a-long, family quiz and a raffle. Refreshments will be served on individual plates. The cost of tickets is expected to be £8 adults, £4 children and £20 family ticket (2 adults and up to 3 children).

As numbers will be limited due to venue size (120), each of the four parishes will receive 30 places. Therefore if you are interested please email your parish office, that is either stbernadettesashby@gmail.com or holsouls@btinternet.com with number of tickets required, by 31st March.

Holy Souls' Car Park Gates

Please be aware that when there are no Masses/activities in the Church or Hall, the gates to the car park will be closed and locked.

Used Postage Stamps

Can you please save all your used postage stamps and, when able, leave these at Church. When we have sufficient they will be sent to Lindsey Lodge Hospice. **If you can cut a one centimetre border (approx) around the stamp** that would be very much appreciated. Thank you.

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.

The Pope's Prayer Intention for March 2022



For a Christian response to bioethical challenges

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

Stations of The Cross during Lent

St Norbert's	None this week
Holy Souls'	Friday 6.00 pm
Polish	Friday after 7.00 pm Mass
St Bernadette's	Sunday 3.00 pm (none on Sunday 26th)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday	10.30 to 11.00 am	St Bernadette's
	10.30 to 10.55 am	Holy Souls'
	4.00 to 4.25 pm	Holy Souls'
Sunday	8.45 to 8.55 am	St Norbert's
	11.00 to 11.10 am	St Thomas'

Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament

Saturday	10.30 to 11.30 am	St Bernadette's
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