



**Welcome to
Saint Bernadette's Church**

Mass Times and Intentions: 22ND SEPTEMBER 2019

TWENTY-FIFTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME (C)

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Parish Centre rooms to hire

If you would like to book the Parish Centre hall or one of the three meeting rooms please
email: stbernadettesparishcentre@gmail.com
telephone: **01724 862804**

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| Saturday 21 st September | 6:00 pm | Vigil of the Twenty-Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time | Intentions of Mary O'Reilly |
| Sunday 22 nd September | 11:00 am | Twenty-Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time | Pro Populo |
| Monday 23 rd September | 9:30 am | Saint Pius of Pietrelcina | Intentions of Chris and Cora Robertson |
| Wednesday 25 th September | 6:30 pm | Feria <i>(Please note the change of Mass time for this week)</i> | Catherine Barnaby RIP |
| Thursday 26 th September | 2:15 pm | Requiem Mass for Cynthia Myers RIP | - |
| Friday 27 th September | 9:30 am | Saint Vincent de Paul | Mary Crowley RIP |
| Saturday 28 th September | 6:00 pm | Vigil of the Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time | Pro Populo |
| Sunday 29 th September | 11:00 am | Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time | Alex Smith RIP |

| Mass Time | Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | Readers Rota |
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| 21st: 6.00 pm Vigil Mass | P. Hayne, J. Lowden, R. Harmer | M. Sutherland, S. Cave |
| 22nd: 11.00 am Mass | S. Dalton, H. Gill, K. Newman | M. MacDonald, I. Norman |
| 28th: 6.00 pm Vigil Mass | T. K. O'Boyle, V. Parulis, D. Sidaway | S. Blackburn, J. Myers |
| 29th: 11.00 am Mass | N. Riley, S. Strong, M. Strong | N. Lynch, D. Heighton |

Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated on Saturdays: 5.20 pm – 5.50 pm

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel is open from Monday to Friday inclusive - 9.00 am – 9.00 pm

Mass Collections received

8th September: £251.50 loose plate and £133.50 envelopes.
15th September: £210.85 loose plate and £102.10 envelopes.
Second Collection Home Mission Sunday £246.57.
Thank you for your continuing generosity.

If you or a member of your family is in hospital or in a residential care home, please let one of the priests know or contact St. Bernadette's Presbytery on 01724 844895

The Canon Comments
21/22 September 2019

Thank you all for your warm and generous welcome over this past week. I celebrated five weekend Masses last weekend which gave me opportunity to speak to and meet with a good number of parishioners from the four parishes. This past week has passed quickly, and I have made visits to two of our four schools and I hope to visit the other two soon.

One of my aims before the end of the year is to visit the sick and housebound of our parishes and I intend to make a start early October.

Prior to my arrival Msgr. McGovern and Fr Neil had organised a meeting of members of the four PPCs at St Bernadette's to discuss a range of proposals for our area. This took place on Tuesday evening, chaired by The Dean, Fr Andrew Cole. A letter from Fr Andrew will be read out by me, or Fr Liam or Fr Wlodzimierz at all Sunday Masses giving details of the outcome of the meeting. The most important being the change to the schedule of Sunday Masses.

From the first weekend of October 2019 Sunday Masses will be celebrated thus:

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| Saturday | 5.30 pm | All Saints' Church, Winterton |
| | 6.00 pm | St Bernadette's Church |
| Sunday | 9.00 am | Holy Souls' Church |
| | 9.00 am | St Thomas of Canterbury's Church or St Norbert's Church |
| | 11.00 am | St Bernadette's Church |
| | 11.15 am | St Norbert's Church or St Thomas of Canterbury's Church |
| | 6.30 pm | Holy Souls' Church |

I do realise the above will have an impact on our communities, please do remember we are facing challenging times and I pray that we will continue to be open to the Holy Spirit and the needs of each other.

With every good wish and blessing

Canon Geoffrey

Please pray for the sick and housebound in our parish.

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Cynthia Myers who has died. A Requiem Mass for Cynthia will be held at 2.15 pm on Thursday 26th September 2019 at St Bernadette's Church. Our thoughts and prayers are with Cynthia's family and friends at this sad time.

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

First Holy Communion

If you would like your child to make their First Holy Communion this academic year, please contact Ellie Clark at eclark@northlincs.net to register your interest. All children that have not made their First Holy Communion and are aged 8 years and Above are welcome to take part in the classes. The classes will be held at St. Bernadette's Catholic Voluntary Primary Academy after school. Further information, including an application form and the date and time of an initial meeting for parents will follow shortly.

New dates for your diaries:

7.00pm on 25th October 2019 at St Bernadette's Church, Scunthorpe, Canon Geoffrey will be inducted as Parish Priest of Holy Souls', Scunthorpe, St Bernadette's, Scunthorpe, St Thomas of Canterbury, Gainsborough and St Norbert's, Crowle by Canon Eddy Jarosz, VG. A very warm welcome is extended to all parishioners to come along that evening.

7.00pm on Tuesday 5th November Bishop Patrick will be celebrating Mass at Holy Souls', Scunthorpe and will bless the recent refurbishment of the interior of the Church. At Mass a Presentation will be made to Fr Neil on behalf of the parishioners of Holy Souls'.

8th October: Safeguarding Course for Parish Volunteers
Can parishioners who have been invited please return the reply slips to the presbytery **by 29th September, 2019** or email: stbernadettesashby@gmail.com

Please let us know if you are unable to attend as we will then be able to offer spare places to parish volunteers in our neighbouring parishes. Thank you