

MASS INTENTIONS

THIS WEEK

SAT	SOLEMNITY MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD		
	5.00pm	St Joseph	Mass <i>Geoffrey Marvin RIP</i>
	6.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Pat and Kathleen McHugh RIP</i>
SUN	SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMASTIDE		
	9.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Timothy Burgess RIP</i>
	9.00am	St Teresa	Mass <i>People of the Parish</i>
	11.00am	St Patrick	Mass <i>Fr Sylvester Cotter RIP</i>
	11.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Nellie O'Shea RIP</i>
	5.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Jennie Smith RIP (10th Anniv)</i>
MON	CHRISTMAS FERIA		
	6.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>David Gent RIP</i>
TUES	CHRISTMAS FERIA		
	NO MASS TODAY		
WED	CHRISTMAS FERIA		
	12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Nellie Burnett RIP</i>
	VIGIL MASS OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD		
	6.30pm	St Joseph	Exposition and Confession
	7.00pm	St Joseph	Mass <i>Davies Family Intentions</i>
	7.00pm	St Patrick	Mass <i>Sr Kathleen Kinnane RIP</i>
THU	SOLEMNITY EPIPHANY OF THE LORD		
	10.30am	St Teresa	Exposition and Confession
	11.00am	St Teresa	Mass <i>Anthony G. Mulligan RIP</i>
	12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Roger and Anne Chambers Intentions (60th Wedding Anniversary)</i>
	6.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Tess Reardon RIP</i>
FRI	FRIDAY AFTER EPIPHANY		
	10.00am	St Mary and St Laurence, Bolsover	Mass <i>Mr and Mrs Hickey RIP</i>
	10.30am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Joan Longsdale RIP</i>
	12.10pm	St Philip Neri	Funeral Service <i>for Alberico Gardella RIP (Invitation only)</i>
SAT	SATURDAY AFTER EPIPHANY		
	10.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Paul Scullion RIP</i>
	10.30-11.30am	St Philip Neri	Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
	12noon	St Philip Neri	Baptism <i>of Liliana Kardasz (Invitation only)</i>
	1.00pm	St Philip Neri	Baptism <i>of Isabelle Charlotte Lea (Invitation only)</i>
	5.00pm	St Joseph	Mass <i>People of the Parish</i>
	6.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Phyliss Hadfield RIP</i>
SUN	FIRST SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME		
	9.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Chris Walters RIP (1st Anniv)</i>
	9.00am	St Teresa	Mass <i>Mrs Evalista Bingura RIP</i>
	11.00am	St Patrick	Mass <i>Josephine McDonagh RIP</i>
	11.00am	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Maurice, Mollie and Jessica RIP</i>
	5.00pm	St Philip Neri	Mass <i>Joe Holmes RIP</i>

SECOND WEEK OF CHRISTMASTIDE (Year C) Sunday 2 January 2022

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Saint Patrick	Clipstone Rd West, Forest Town, NG19 0BU
Saint Philip Neri	3 Chesterfield Rd South, Mansfield, NG19 7AB
Saint Teresa	High St, Market Warsop, NG20 0AG

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St Philip Neri with St Bede Voluntary Academy (Primary)	Headteacher: Mr D. Steele	tel: 01623 489010
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CONFESSIONS

St Joseph: Wednesdays 6.30pm to 7.00pm St Philip Neri: Saturdays 10.30am to 11.30am
St Teresa: Thursdays 10.30am to 11.00am

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Sick and Retired Priests Fund: 16 January 2022

PRAYER

Those who have died recently, Alberico Gardella whose funeral service will take place at St Philip Neri on Friday 7 January at 12.10pm and **Sue Mason** whose funeral service will take place at Mansfield Crematorium on Monday 10 January at 1.15pm. **Phyllis Rowbotham** whose funeral Mass will take place at St Philip Neri on Tuesday 11 January at 12noon. Please remember Alberico, Sue, Phyllis, their families in your prayers. **Funerals - capacity within the social distanced church. Please attend only at the invitation of the family.**

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions January 2022: We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

GENERAL NOTICES

Social Distancing in Our Churches:

Following consultation with Parish Councils and Core Groups, we have come to the following decisions: We will continue to use the Diocesan booking system. Instead of booking an individual place or family pew you will be asked to book the number of seats you require for yourself or your family. Our churches will continue to be socially distanced.

Masks will continue to be worn in church. Our attendance at life-cycle ceremonies will continue to be by family invitation only and be limited to the socially distanced capacity of our churches. The reception of Holy Communion has returned to its rightful place within the Mass, and takes place with the assistance of our stewards and our Eucharistic Ministers, who have returned to service in the sanctuary. We are in the process of reviewing our procedures. Thanks, as always to all our stewards for keeping us safe at Mass. Fr John

Fr John, Fr Marc and Fr Shalbin would like to thank all who have given us cards and gifts this Christmas. Thank you for your generosity, we are most grateful.

Thank you to everyone who contributed in so many ways to our Advent and Christmas services, church upkeep and decorating and much more behind the scenes. Also a big thank you to all our stewards.

Parish Priest's Induction at St Patrick's: On Sunday the 16 January, Canon Michael O'Donoghue, the Dean of Sherwood, will visit St Patrick's and at the Sunday Mass will induct Fr John as Parish Priest. This celebration is a little overdue but a pleasant way to begin the New Year.

Our Crib Offerings this year are for 'St Martha's Project': St Martha's care for the elderly in Bethlehem. Please try and make a special visit to the crib as a family and to pray together. Please give generously.

Encountering God in your daily work – For four Wednesdays, starting on 12 January at 7.00pm, the diocese will be running an online course looking at how we can encounter Jesus in our daily work and how it can help us to grow in holiness too. We spend more hours in a week at work than doing most other activities (including going to church) so let's make an experience of daily glory rather than a daily grind. For more information visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/onlineevents

Mansfield Foodbank: Hello everyone and I hope you are as well as possible during these what seems always uncertain times.

Thanks again to each and every one of you who have so generously supported us at The Stanhope Centre. I cannot overemphasise how much your consistency and obvious care for those in the Mansfield community has meant to us all and particularly for those individuals for whom your donations have helped. We could not have continued without it.

It is therefore, with heavy heart that events have now meant that our service will be winding down and will no longer operate at some point early next year.

There are a number of factors which have forced this decision, not least that The Methodist Church and Stanhope Centre are now formally up for sale. I understand that a lot of interest has been shown from the business sector and we would therefore, have no way of operating as we do.

On a personal note, a move to Northumberland early next year means that it would no longer be viable to continue and there is a huge commitment which would be difficult for someone to continue! I have been so lucky to have had some fantastic people who have stepped up and helped to continue as long as we have. The challenges we have faced have been huge!

However, it is almost a natural conclusion and if I am honest, I feel I need to have rest! It has been a huge learning curve and it is quite an emotional thing to give up as I have met and had conversations with people with issues and situations I would not have imagined. Many have become names that we at The Stanhope Centre have come to care a great deal about. We know them and they trust us as we strive to be non-judgemental even when at times we have been faced with some challenging and difficult behaviour.

Your donations have helped and supported very many people in the Mansfield community and I have always talked to many about your Church support. I am currently unable to give a final date of closure but any donations you may wish to donate I can confidently say would be distributed to the less fortunate.

A really big thank you to Catherine, your wonderful Father John for their patience and to Maureen Tunney who has championed this vitally important issue. She has alerted others who I have had the privilege to meet and talk with around the problems of homelessness and the subsequent problems around it. Unfortunately, it is not something which is going to be eradicated. Finally, I would on behalf of everyone at The Stanhope Centre like to wish you all a peaceful, joyful Christmas and a hopeful New Year. If I could hug you all I would! Love Lu

BOOK FOR MASS - WWW.MASSBOOKING.UK

For all our churches we are using the diocesan booking system on www.massbooking.uk to pre-book your individual places at Mass. Please book the number of seats you require for yourself or your family. **Face masks to be worn and distancing to be observed at all times. PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK FOR MASS.**

ST BERNADETTE'S COMMUNITY

Next Mass at St Mary and St Laurence will be celebrated on Friday 7 January 2022 at 10.00am.

ST PHILIP NERI

Anne and Roger Chambers 60th Wedding Anniversary: Due to the uncertainty over possible increased Covid restrictions, Anne and Roger have decided to postpone the celebrations for their Diamond Wedding Anniversary due to be held in the church hall on Wednesday 5th January. This will be rearranged during the Summer.

Faith in Families: From 5 January Faith in Families will be merging with a larger charity and agency called “Adoption Focus” who are based in the West Midlands. It has its roots in Catholic Community and whilst Faith in Families will no longer exist, it is hoped that it will give financial stability. Therefore, there will be no more collections of Faith in Families boxes. If you wish to send any final donations to Faith in Families, please give them to Ann Neale by the end of December so that final amounts can be sent before their January deadline. Thank you to all those who have contributed in the past and I am sure if you wish to continue to contribute to a Catholic based adoption society, then Adoption Focus will be pleased to receive your donations.

Vacancy for Lay Chaplain at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi- Academy Trust:

Location: De La Salle Hub – All Saints’ Catholic Voluntary Academy, and its feeder primaries – Holy Trinity in Newark, St Joseph’s in Boughton, St Joseph’s in Langwith Junction, St Patrick’s in Mansfield, and St Philip Neri with St Bede in Mansfield.

Closing date: 9.00am, Monday 24 January 2022.

Details of this post and an application form are available on our website www.ololcatholicmat.co.uk/vacancies

Honouring Sunday

During the pandemic, public worship was suspended for a time and there have been restrictions on parish life. As a result, people have been exploring other ways to practice their faith including Spiritual Communion via live streaming. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our spiritual and pastoral life. The Sunday Eucharist is a gift; as God’s holy people we are called to praise and thank God in the most sublime way possible. When the Church speaks of the Sunday obligation, it reminds us that attending Mass is a personal response to the selfless offering of Christ’s love. We now encourage all Catholics to look again at the patterns which they have formed in recent months with regard to going to Mass on Sundays. The Sunday Mass is the very heartbeat of the Church and of our personal life of faith. We gather on the “first day of the week,” and devote ourselves to the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers (Acts 2:42). **Extract from CBCEW**

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/bishops-statement-honouring-Sunday>