

MANSFIELD PASTORAL AREA

St. Joseph's, Shirebrook, St. Patrick's, Forest Town, St. Philip Neri, Mansfield, St. Teresa's, Market Warsop

FIRST WEEK OF LENT 26 FEBRUARY 2023

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
Sat 25^h Feb	5.00pm	Mass - St. Joseph	Jimmy Greaney RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Michael Stenson RIP (1 st Anniv)
Sun 26th Feb	9.00am	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Cornelius and Mary Aherne RIP and Aherne Family Intentions
	9.00am	Mass - St. Teresa	Maria Morawska RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St. Patrick	Hedwige Ruttiers RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St. Philip Neri	May Dynes RIP (Harlow)
	5.00pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Charles Oskwarek RIP (B'day)
Mon 27th Feb Lenten Feria	6.00pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Michael Stenson RIP (1 st Anniv)
Tue 28st Feb Lenten Feria	9.00am	Mass – St. Joseph	School Community
	10.30am	Mass – St. Philip Neri	School Community
	2.15pm	Mass - St. Patrick (School)	School Community
Wed 1st Mar Feast Saint David	9.15am	Mass - St. Patrick	People of the Parish
	9.45am	Stations of the Cross – St Patrick	
	12.10pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Andrew John Edward Dillon RIP
	7.00pm 7.30pm	Mass – St Joseph Stations of the Cross – St Joseph	Fr Charles Froes RIP
Thurs 2nd Mar Lenten Feria	6.30pm	Exposition and Confession – St Teresa	The Benefactors of our Parishes
	7.30pm	Mass - St Teresa	
Friday 3rd Mar Lenten Feria	10.00am	Mass – St.M&St.L (Bolsover)	Graham Fox RIP
	12.10pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Paddy Kyne RIP (B'day)
	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross – St Philip Neri	
Sat 4th Mar Lenten Feria	10.00am	Mass – St. Philip Neri	Sarah D'Arcy RIP
	10.30am - 11.30am	Exposition & Confession – St. Philip Neri	
	12noon	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Gabriella Powidzki
		VIGIL MASSES	
	5.00pm	Mass - St. Joseph	Fr John Fowler RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Bridget and Derrick Vickers RIP
Sun 5th Mar		SECOND WEEK OF LENT	
	9.00am	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Joe and Georgina Zammit
	9.00am	Mass - St. Teresa	Fr Francis Leader RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St. Patrick	Charlie Travers RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Jack Walsh RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St. Philip Neri	Thomas Stenson RIP

CONFESSIONS

St. Joseph
Friday
9.30 -10.00am

St. Patrick
Wednesday after
9.15am Mass

St. Philip Neri
Saturday
10.30 – 11.30am

St. Teresa
Thursday
10.30 – 11.00am

**Readings
for the
First Week of Lent
Year A**

Genesis
2: 7-9, 3: 1-7

Psalms Response
Have mercy on us,
O Lord, for we have
sinned.

Second Reading
St Paul to the Romans
5: 12-19

Gospel Acclamation:
Praise to you,
O Christ, king of
eternal glory! Man
does not live on bread
alone but on every
word that comes from
the mouth of God.

Gospel
Matthew 4: 1-11

CHURCHES

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South, Mansfield,
NG19 7AB

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Shirebrook,
NG20 9RP

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SAFEGUARDING

St Philip Neri: Danuta Allsop and Theresa Croll St Joseph and St Teresa: Kate Gilbert
St Patrick: Cath Henson *Our representatives can be contacted through the parish office*

HOSPITAL PATIENTS

If you know anyone in hospital who would like a visit, please contact the Parish Priest on Tel: 01623 623458

SCHOOLS

All Saints Voluntary Academy (Secondary) Headteacher: Broomhill Lane, Mansfield, NG19 6BW	Mr C. Cuomo Tel. 01623 474700
St Joseph's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher: Langwith Road, Shirebrook, NG20 9RP	Mrs D. Seaman Tel. 01623 742609
St Patrick's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher: Ling Forest Road, Forest Town, NG18 3NJ	Mrs J. Smedley Tel. 01623 478090
St Philip Neri with St. Bede Voluntary Academy (Primary) Rosemary Street, Mansfield, NG18 6AA Headteacher:	Mr D. Steele Tel. 01623 489010

GENERAL NOTICES

Those who have died recently, especially **Susan Kinsella** whose funeral service will take place at St Philip Neri on Thursday 9 March at 11.00am. **Sarah Ann 'Sally' Sludds** whose funeral Vigil will take place at St Philip Neri on Thursday 9 March at 6.00pm and funeral Mass on Friday 10 March at 12.10pm. Please remember Susan, Sally and their families in your prayers.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions February 2023: We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need. We remember all who **are sick and/or housebound** in our communities.

CAFOD Prayer for Ukraine

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen

MASS STIPEND FOR CELEBRATION OF MASS: If you would like us to arrange the offering of Holy Mass for your intention at St Joseph's, St Patrick's, St Philip Neri and St Teresa's, please complete the Mass stipend envelope at the back of church or contact the office.

Next Mass in BOLSOVER: At St Mary and St Laurence will be on Friday 3 March 2023 at 10.00am.

SACRAMENTS – CATECHESIS

MARRIAGE PREPARATION – by appointment with the Parish Priest

BAPTISM PREPARATION – by appointment with Mrs Ann Marie Pearson (via Parish Office).

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION AT ST PHILIP NERI (attending non Catholic schools): Thank you to those applicants who have registered for this Sacrament. We have now reached the maximum capacity.

SCHOOL NEWS – Parishioners are warmly invited to attend school Masses.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – in all Churches. SPN during the 11.00am Mass only.

FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelopes	Loose	Total	2 nd Collection
19 Feb	St. Joseph	£103.85	£ 30.00	£ 58.50	£ 192.35	
19 Feb	St. Patrick	£149.00	£125.00	£ 125.93	£ 399.93	
19 Feb	St. Philip Neri	£492.65	£323.15	£607.66	£1,423.46	
19 Feb	St. Teresa	£ 75.00	£ 40.00	£ 55.30	£ 170.30	

PLEASE NOTE – the “Standing Orders” total from each community indicates the **average weekly sum** received.

SECOND COLLECTIONS: 4/5 March – CAFOD (Lent Fast Day) 11/12 March – St Vincent de Paul Society
25/26 March – Diocesan Quota

SUPPORTING THE CHURCH FINANCIALLY: HOW TO DONATE TO THE PARISH: We have seen a significant reduction in the Parish finances and are encouraging parishioners to give their weekly collection and if applicable Gift Aid contributions by direct debit, standing order or through online banking. Bank donations are an effective way of gifting; they reduce the need for a weekly envelope and this saves money. Please do consider giving your weekly collection by direct debit, standing order or through online banking if you do not already do so. If you bank online, you can round up whatever you give weekly into a monthly figure or make a one-off payment. You can set up a Standing Order through online banking using the bank details below:

- ❖ St Philip Neri Mansfield RCP Sort Code: 30-95-43 Account No. 00091903
- ❖ St Joseph Shirebrook RCP Sort Code: 30-95-43 Account No. 00123600 - Including St Joseph, Shirebrook, St Teresa, Warsop and St Bernadette, Bolsover
- ❖ Forest Town RC Parish (St Patrick) Sort Code: 30-95-43 Account No. 00050891

GIFT AID: If you are a UK tax payer, please consider gift aiding your collection. Donating through Gift Aid means our parish can claim an extra 25p for every £1 you give. It will not cost you any extra. Link for forms as follows: Support your Parishes – Catholic Mansfield (stphilipmansfield.com) Click the link above and select St Philip Neri or St Joseph to fill in the relevant form. Once complete either by email spnmansfield@hotmail.co.uk bring to church or post to the parish office. If you do not currently Gift Aid and would like to, please click on the link above or contact the Parish Secretary on 01623 623458 or spnmansfield@hotmail.co.uk

THE JOURNEY TOWARDS ONE PARISH.... The Documentation for the move to ONE parish – with four churches has been completed and is with the Diocese. Thank you for all your participation in the stages of reaching this point. It is greatly appreciated.

We are now moving to the creation of ONE Parish Council. The PPC will be made up of representatives from each of the 4 communities as well as representatives from other groups in the Pastoral Area. In each community, there is now a CORE Group. These groups are open and if you wish to join a meeting, you are welcome. The dates and venues will be published in the newsletter.

One Finance Committee, with representatives from each of the communities, will also be created in due course. We would like to acknowledge the contribution of the PPCs and Core Groups in Mansfield, Forest Town, Shirebrook and Warsop, as well as the Finance Committees and the Working Party. There will be a gathering for these on Tuesday, 18 April at 7.00pm in St. Philip Neri Church Hall.

CORE GROUP MEETINGS – these are open to anyone wishing to come – if they are via Zoom – the office will give you the link.

St. Patrick's, Forest Town, Monday, 6 March at 7.00pm in the church

St. Joseph's, Shirebrook, Monday, 27 March at 7pm via Zoom

St. Philip Neri, Mansfield, Wednesday, 19 April at 7.30pm in the hall

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY – LENT APPEAL: This Lent, your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day Appeal will help families fighting the climate crisis and ensure that our Church network can quickly respond to emergencies, like the recent earthquake in Syria and Turkey. Give today using the envelope or at cafod.org.uk/give and please join us in praying for CAFOD's development and emergency response work all over the world. Link to the videos about the Lent appeal can be found here. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ULTqHsawCZU&t=34s>

BIG LENT WALK: Thank you to all who have supported my fundraising for CAFOD over the last 2 years. I am again doing CAFOD's Big Lent Walk and would be grateful for anyone who feels they could sponsor me. The link to my donation page is <https://cafod.enthuse.com/pf/ann-neale> alternatively if anyone else would like to join in and do the Big Lent Walk the link to the sign up page is https://register.enthuse.com/ps/event/TheBigLentWalk?_gl=1*16vsh7*_ga*OTQ0NTM5NjcyLjE2NDU1MzcxMzk.*_ga_WB67PX15W6*MTY3NzA1MzE2NC4zLjAuMTY3NzA1MzE2NC4wLjAuMA Mrs Ann Neale

ST TERESA'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ: The Café is open **Saturdays** from 11:00am - 2:00pm. Offering a 'Warm Space' and 'Hot Lunch'. Although this is our Outreach initiative to help the most vulnerable and lonely in our local community, everyone is most welcome. We are in need of volunteers to help, even if you can just help for an hour that would be great, please just turn up.

THE WEEKDAY MASS AT ST. JOSEPH'S: Will move to **Wednesday Evening at 7.00pm as from Wednesday 1 March.**

ON SATURDAY 4 MARCH – IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE EVENING MASS AT ST. JOSEPH'S: There will be a short meeting for parishioners regarding proposal of changes in the Church building. Please come along and hear what is being proposed – we really would value your responses.

WEDNESDAY DROP IN: We meet every Wednesday after Mass at St Philip Neri.

TEA AND COFFEE: Served in the hall after Sunday Mass at St Teresa's and St Patrick's. St Philip Neri served in the hall after 9.00am Sunday Mass.

EASTER RAFFLE AT ST PHILIP NERI: Easter raffle tickets will be on sale from 4/5 March from all parishes. £1 a strip. 1st prize: luxury Easter egg, 2nd prize: Cognac, 3rd prize: Easter hamper and many more Easter prizes.

THE FAMILY OF KATHLEEN BALL: Would like to thank parishioners for their cards, Mass cards and prayers. Special thanks also go to Canon John, Mary Smith and her team and all who contributed to the funeral services. Mass will be offered for the parish.

FOOD BANK: Thank you very much for your continued support. Please leave your donations at the back of each church.

WALK WITH ME BOOKLETS FOR LENT: Now on sale at £1.00 each at the back of church.

THURSDAY EVENINGS: You are welcome to join the Sisters at the Convent in Shirebrook on every Thursday at 7.30pm to reflect on the coming Sunday Readings. Everyone is welcome to join us as we reflect on the readings for the coming Sunday.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: If anyone is interested in becoming a member and wish to visit in their own parish, the next meeting will be on Wednesday 1 March at 1.15pm in the Sacristy at St Philip Neri or please contact Mary Smith on tel: 01623 632910.

LADIES RECOLLECTION: On Tuesday 28 February 3pm to 5pm at St Philip Neri Church. All welcome.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER (FORMERLY WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER): The service will be held at Mansfield Baptist Church, Rosemary Street, on Friday 4 March at 10.00am. All are invited.

MAD HATTER AFTERNOON TEA PARTY: As some of you may know Francesca (Kathleen Campbell's Granddaughter and Elspeth Wilkins-Campbell's daughter) has been chosen to represent Mansfield at the World Scouting Jamboree in South Korea in August this year!! We are hosting a 'Mad Hatter's Afternoon Tea Party' in order to fundraise for the trip. On Saturday 4 March at 2pm-4pm at St Philip Neri Church Hall, Mansfield. Cost: £10. There will be an Afternoon Tea, Bingo, Raffle and other fundraising ideas. It will be a fun gathering!! We would love as many of you to come along and support. Please see Kathleen or Elspeth or email: elspethcampbell@hotmail.com for tickets to the event. If anyone would like to contribute cakes/scones then we would also be very grateful. Thank you.



CAPACITAR WELLNESS EXERCISE: A gentle approach to one's own self-care and well-being. The body mind and spirit Practices developed by Capacitar are being used by many people around the world to empower healing, wholeness and peace, both in the individual and in the world, as we heal ourselves we can become effective partners in healing our world. Each session is a stand-alone session. **First Tuesday of every month, in St. Teresa's Church Hall, Market Warsop; 7.30pm – 8.30pm – no cost – just a donation. Come along and bring a friend.....**

REGARDING THE EARTHQUAKE IN TURKEY AND NORTHERN SYRIA: No doubt you too have been moved by the situation that millions of people are in due to this event. It is essential that we pray for them.

Following the earthquake which hit the north of the Middle East, we unite together in Prayer during these difficult times, for the souls of the victims, the healing of the wounded, and for all believers, cities and villages. With one heart and humble spirit, we Pray together, O Lover of mankind and Creator of us all, sustain, save, have mercy, and preserve us with Your boundless grace, show us Your mercy, and do not hide Your face from us! Save us, O Lord, you are our strength and hope, for we rely on You...
Glory to God forever.

THE MANSFIELD & DUKERIES IRISH ASSOCIATION: Hold a Luncheon Club for the over 60s fortnightly on a Tuesday at the Nags Head in Pleasley from 1.00 pm. Bingo and a raffle. We currently have a few places. For more information, please ring Phyliss on 07860 646651.

MANSFIELD CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Is an exciting opportunity for children aged 7 to 13 years in the Mansfield area to become singers of the future. Choir members meet in St Philip's Church Hall every Wednesday from 4.30pm – 5.45pm. Please see website: <http://www.nottinghamcathedralmusic.com> or the notices in the church porches for more details.

JOEL'S BAR 2023 – AN EASTER RETREAT FOR 16-28 YEAR OLDS: Will be held between Sunday 9 and Friday 14 April at Worth Abbey. Tickets are now on sale for Joel's bar 2023, with bursary tickets available to those in financial difficulty. Visit @joelsbar on social media or joelsbar.co.uk for more information.

THE FIRST CONFESSION AND FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMMES: For our children are beginning in the various communities of the Pastoral Area. We are inviting parishioners to pray especially for the children, their families and the Catechists. Each Sunday, we will be invited to pray the following prayer together at Mass. Please feel free to use the prayer during the week. The dates of the First Communion Enrolment Masses and First Communion celebration in each community will be published nearer the time.

Lord Jesus, We thank and praise you for the gift of our children. Be with them, their parents and catechists in our Pastoral Area, as they prepare in this year to encounter you more deeply in the Eucharist... May they come to know, the one true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. May your Holy Spirit help them to grow in faith, hope, and love, so they may know peace, truth, and goodness. May their ears hear your voice. May their eyes see your presence in all things. May their lips proclaim your word. May their hearts be your dwelling place. May their hands do works of charity. May their feet walk in the way of Jesus Christ, today and always. Amen.

CHRISTUS VIVIT, THE DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM'S YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: Is hosting a **free retreat for young adults** aged 18-35 at Our Lady of Lourdes, Derby on Saturday 11 March. The retreat will be given by Jack Valero one of the founders of Catholic Voices and the press officer for Opus Dei. The day will focus on how we live out our faith in everyday life. It will begin at 10.00am and finish at 5.00pm, with talks, discussions, Mass, free lunch, Adoration, Confession and social time with other young Catholics. To sign up and for more information please visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/young-adults-retreat

TALKING PHILOSOPHY & THEOLOGY: A CARMELITE PERSPECTIVE: Will be held on various Wednesday evenings and Thursday afternoons Zoom meetings during March, Wednesday evenings, 8.00pm until 10.00pm, on 1 March (Philosophy) and 15 March (Theology); Thursday afternoons (in partnership with the Sisters of Notting Hill Carmel), 1.00pm until 3.00pm, on 9 March (Philosophy). Three pages of reading are also available. If you wish to enquire further, please contact James Hunter OCDS on email: james.hunter200@btinternet.com

RETREATS IN THE DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM THIS LENT: After the great success last year, The Diocese of Nottingham is again offering day retreats to help you grow closer to God this Lent through talks, discussion, prayer, Mass, confession and social time. The Men's Retreat on Saturday 18 March given by Father Julian Green (Birmingham Priest) will be focused on men of scripture and what we can learn from them; the Women's Retreat given by Sister Ann Swales on Saturday 25 March will follow the theme 'Here I am Lord I Come to do your Will' – How can we know and accept God's will for our lives? The Retreats will be held at the Rosmini House of Prayer (LE7 4SJ) and cost £20, including lunch and a light breakfast. To book visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events, email adult.formation@dioceseofnottingham or call 0115 953 9841.