

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS, MANSFIELD

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

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE (GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY) – 30 APRIL 2023**

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
<b>Sat 29<sup>th</sup> April</b> Feast   Saint Catherine of Siena	5.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Frank Dolan RIP
	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Joe and Georgina Zammit
<b>Sun 30<sup>th</sup> April</b>	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Mary Fenton RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Deceased members of the Barrett Family and Family Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	David Berresford RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Michael Stenson RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	McCarthy Family Intentions
<b>Mon 1<sup>st</sup> May</b> Memorial   Saint Joseph the Worker	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Joe and Georgina Zammit
<b>Tue 2<sup>nd</sup> May</b> Memorial   Saint Athanasius	10.30am	Mass – St Philip Neri	School Community
	2.15pm	Mass – St Patrick (School)	School Community
<b>Weds 3<sup>rd</sup> May</b> Feast   Saints Philip and James	9.15am	Mass – St Patrick	Sr Rita Lee RIP
	12.10pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Norma O’Gorman RIP and Pat O’Gorman Intentions
	7.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	People of the Parish
<b>Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> May</b> Feast   The English Martyrs	10.30am 11.00am	Exposition & Confession Mass – St Teresa	Sr Margaret Taylor RIP
<b>Fri 5<sup>th</sup> May</b> Easter Feria	10.00am	Mass – St.M&L (Bolsover)	Alan Fuller RIP
	7.00pm	Vigil of Coronation Mass – St Philip Neri	His Majesty King Charles III
<b>Sat 6<sup>th</sup> May</b> Easter Feria		<b>No Exposition, Confession and Mass</b>	
		<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE</b>	
	5.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Charlie Boyer-White RIP
	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Rita Topp Intentions
<b>Sun 7<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.00am	Mass – St Philip Neri	Wladyslaw and Jozeka Olkowski RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Sr Philomenta Hartnett Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Sheila Morgan RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Brian Lohan RIP
	1.00pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Kevin Kłosowski
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Connor Family Intentions

**CONFESSIONS**

**St. Joseph**  
Wednesday after  
7.00pm Mass

**St. Patrick**  
Wednesday after  
9.15am Mass

**St. Philip Neri**  
Saturday  
10.30 – 11.30am

**St. Teresa**  
Thursday  
10.30 – 11.00am

**Readings**  
**Fourth Sunday of Eastertide**  
**Year A**

**First Reading**  
Apostles  
2:14, 36-41

**Psalm Response**  
The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

**Second Reading**  
St Peter  
2: 20-25

**Gospel Acclamation:**  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

**Gospel**  
John 10: 1-10

**CHURCHES**

**St Philip Neri**  
3 Chesterfield Rd  
South, Mansfield,  
NG19 7AB

**St Joseph**  
Langwith Rd,  
Shirebrook,  
NG20 9RP

**St Patrick**  
Clipstone Rd West,  
Forest Town,  
NG19 0BU

**St Teresa**  
High Street,  
Market Warsop,  
NG20 0AG

*All items for the newsletter to be received by Wednesday noon please*

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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 <b>Tel.</b> 01623 474700
St Joseph's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher: Langwith Road, Shirebrook, NG20 9RP	Mrs D. Seaman <b>Tel.</b> 01623 742609
St Patrick's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher: Ling Forest Road, Forest Town, NG18 3NJ	Mrs J. Smedley <b>Tel.</b> 01623 478090
St Philip Neri with St. Bede Voluntary Academy (Primary) Rosemary Street, Mansfield, NG18 6AA   Headteacher:	Mr D. Steele <b>Tel.</b> 01623 489010

## GENERAL NOTICES

**Those who have died recently**, especially **Eugenia Simms** whose funeral Mass will take place at St Philip Neri on Wednesday 10 May at 12.10pm. **Charlie Boyer-White** whose funeral service will take place at Mansfield Crematorium on Friday 12 May at 3.15pm. **David Berresford** whose funeral service will take place at St Patrick's on Friday 19 May at 2.00pm. **Norma O'Gorman** whose funeral reception will take place at St Philip Neri on Thursday 25 May at 4.30pm and Funeral Mass on Friday 26 May at 12.10pm. Please remember Eugenia, Charlie, David, Norma and their families in your prayers.

**Holy Father's Prayer Intentions April 2023:** We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

**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, God forever and ever. Amen

**First Holy Communion Prayer:** 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.

**Next Mass in BOLSOVER:** At St Mary and St Laurence Mass will be celebrated on Friday 5 May at 10.00am.

**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.

## 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 AND ST JOSEPH'S, SHIREBROOK – (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.

## FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelopes	Loose	Total	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection
23 Apr	St. Joseph	£103.85	£ 40.00	£ 49.00	£ 192.85	
23 Apr	St. Patrick	£149.00	£133.90	£227.68	£ 510.58	
23 Apr	St. Philip Neri	£492.65	£176.50	£849.37	£1,518.52	
23 Apr	St. Teresa	£ 75.00	£ 25.00	£ 70.15	£ 170.15	

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

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** 30 April – Clergy Formation Fund

**THE JOURNEY TOWARDS ONE PARISH:** Over the past two years, following an instruction from the Diocese, we have been working towards the creation of a new parish by merging the existing parishes of St Philip Neri, Mansfield, St Joseph’s with St Teresa’s, Shirebrook and St Patrick’s, Forest Town into one parish.

During that time, we consulted our worshipping communities across our four churches. Following the submission of the outcome of these consultations, the decree establishing our New Parish was announced by Bishop Patrick McKinney, Bishop of Nottingham. Our new Parish was established on the 25 March 2023, the solemnity of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary and will be known as – **OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS**, Mansfield.

Our four churches will retain their original patronage, and continue to be known as the churches of St Joseph, St Patrick, St Philip Neri and St Teresa. The Parish Church has been named as St Philip Neri in Mansfield, where the parish clergy will continue to live and the Parish administration will be based.

This is a momentous new development in the history of our Church in this pastoral area. As missionary disciples, by sharing our resources, gifts and talents, we will be better able to answer the call of Jesus to proclaim the Good News.

We ask the intercession of Our Lady and All the Saints as we begin our Journey as a New Parish.

**A NEW PARISH COUNCIL FOR A NEW PARISH:** 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.

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

St Joseph, Shirebrook, date to be confirmed.

St Philip Neri, Mansfield, on Thursday 22 June at 7.30pm in the hall.

St Teresa, Market Warsop, date to be confirmed.

St Patrick, Forest Town, date to be confirmed.

**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](mailto: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](mailto:spnmansfield@hotmail.co.uk)

**VOCATION SUNDAY – 30 APRIL 2023:** God calls each of us by name and speaks to us through prayer, experiences in our life, through meeting a Religious Sister, Religious Brother, a priest or a Deacon OR by just reading a leaflet you happen to pick up. If you feel God is calling you to the Priesthood or diaconate – then talk to Canon John or Fr Shalbin.

Religious Life is ONE way of living the Christian Life – in an essential prayerful, reflective way of living life in today's world. God may be calling you to be a Religious Sister or a Religious Brother to live in community and be committed to living the gospel radically through a life of Chastity, Poverty and Obedience. If you would like to know more, please talk to Sr Mary Deane or Sr Susan Richert.

We will have guest speakers talking about their call to religious life at all our Masses this Sunday. Sr Mary Deane will be speaking at St Philip Neri, Sr Susan Richert at St Patrick's and Sr Maureen Brennan at St Joseph's and St Teresa's.

**A MESSAGE FROM BISHOP PATRICK REGARDING SUDAN:** As the situation worsens, the Church in Sudan asks for our prayers. I invite you to join me in praying for an end to the horrendous situation in Sudan, and especially for all God's children who are affected most deeply by it.

Lord, that there might be, in the short term, a ceasefire  
and in the long term, a complete end to this divisive fighting  
which is tearing the country and children apart.

Bring justice and healing to this divided land, we pray.

Our Lady Queen of Peace, pray for us  
Saint Josephine Bakhita, pray for us  
Saint Michael the Archangel, pray for us

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil;

may God rebuke him, we humbly pray;

and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls.

Amen.

**GOD SAVE THE KING!** There will be Mass for the new King on Friday 5 May at 7.00pm at St Philip Neri. There will be no exposition, confession or Mass on Saturday morning 6 May at St Philip Neri.

**GOD SAVE THE KING! A CONCERT IN HONOUR OF HIS MAJESTY KING CHARLES III ON THE EVE OF HIS CORONATION:** On Friday 5 May at 7.00pm the Catholic Diocese of Nottingham is kickstarting the Coronation weekend with a concert in the King's honour, to be held at Nottingham Cathedral. Invited by Bishop Patrick McKinney, civic dignitaries from across the city, county, and diocese - including Nottinghamshire's Lord Lieutenant Sir John Peace - will be in attendance, with the evening promising to be a joyful musical celebration marking this new Carolean era. Tickets priced at £10 each. For more information, please contact the parish office on 01623 623458.

**SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY:** The Diocese has designated Sunday 14 May as Safeguarding Sunday. This is an opportunity for the Diocese to reflect on the theology and spirituality of safeguarding and to express gratitude for the work of all our parish safeguarding representatives, who assist us ensuring that our Church is a safe place for all children and vulnerable adults and also to inform congregations of the journey of the Catholic Church and how safeguarding has evolved over the years and the current changes that have now been implemented.

**CONGRATULATIONS:** To Maria Antonina Awa and Rui Carlos Ferreira who get married at St Philip Neri this weekend.

**PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND 16 – 23 February 2024:** A full spiritual programme prepared by Fr. Gerry and Sr Susan - includes visits to the major religious sites in Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth and Galilee. For more information/booking form, please contact Sr Susan.

**ST TERESA'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ:** The Café is open on Saturday 3 June and Saturday 3 July from 11:00am - 1:00pm. It will be closed in May and for the Summer break until Saturday 7 October. 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.

**SOCIAL EVENTS:** If anyone is organising social events in the parishes, please check with the parish office before confirming the date so that we don't have clashes of dates in the diary.

**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.

**NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN YEARBOOK 2023:** Available at each church and are on sale priced at £5.00 each.

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

**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.

**PILGRIMAGE TO LISIEUX BY COACH 5 – 8 JUNE 2023:** (Pick up in Nottingham, Derby and Leicester).

The cost of the Pilgrimage is £380 sharing and £410 for a single room. We will begin our Pilgrimage with a Guided visit to the Cathedral in Lisieux and then to the Basilica dedicated to St. Therese, to the house where she grew up and to the Carmel where she lived and died. In addition to this there'll be an optional excursion to Hon Fleur.

For more information and a booking form please contact Fr. John McCay at [jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk) or 07853068189.

**PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES AND NEVERS BY COACH 23 - 30 SEPTEMBER 2023:**

(Pick up in Nottingham, Derby and Leicester) The cost is £715 per person. This price includes Coach and Ferry travel, overnight stay with Bed and Breakfast at the Ibis Hotel in Orleans on the way out, full board at the Hotel Irlande in Lourdes, half board at the Kyriad Hotel in Nevers on the way back. In addition to this there's an optional excursion to Gavarnie, a Ski Resort in the Pyrenees. For more information and a booking form please contact Fr. John McCay at [jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk) or 07853068189

**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.....**