

**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**

**FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT – 18 FEBRUARY 2024**

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
<b>Sat 17 February</b>	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	James Girvan RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Antony Higgins RIP
<b>Sun 18 February</b>	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Margaret Hammerton RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Kitty Ludden RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Mick and Maureen Lenehan RIP
	5.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Nora and Roger Slattery RIP
<b>Mon 19 February</b> Lenten Feria	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Roger Oliver RIP
<b>Tue 20 February</b> Lenten Feria	9.00am	Liturgy of the Word - St Patrick (In School)	
	9.10am	Liturgy of the Word - St Joseph	
	9.30am	Mass – St Philip Neri	School Community
<b>Wed 21 February</b> Lenten Feria	9.15am	Mass – St Patrick	Fr Marc Besana Intentions
	12.10pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Joan Hartley RIP
	6.30pm	Stations of the Cross - St Joseph	
	7.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	People of the Parish
<b>Thurs 22 February</b> FEAST   The Chair of Saint Peter	10.30am	Stations of the Cross - St Teresa	
	11.00am	Word and Sacrament – St Teresa	
<b>Fri 23 February</b> Lenten Feria	12.10pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Paul and Irene Jagus Intentions - 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
	6.00pm	Stations of the Cross - St Patrick's	
	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross - St Philip Neri	
<b>Sat 24 February</b> Lenten Feria	10.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Charles Oskwarek RIP
	10.30am -11.30am	Exposition & Confession – St Philip Neri	
	12.00pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Luna Ann Collier
	1.00pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Abigale Evans and Isabella Martynowska
<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT</b>			
	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	Rennie Leamey RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Annie McCarthy RIP (Anniversary)
<b>Sun 25 February</b>	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Wilma McGrath RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Ned Bowe RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Betty Conlon RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Michael Stenson RIP and Mary Robertson RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Jasinta-Mani Perere RIP
	6.30pm	Funeral Vigil – St Philip Neri	Bridget Harrison RIP

**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  
10.30am

**Readings**

**First Sunday of Lent  
Year B**

**First Reading**  
Book of Genesis  
9:8-15

**Psalm Response:**  
Your ways, Lord, are  
faithfulness and love  
for those who keep  
your covenant.

**Second Reading**  
St Peter  
3:18-22

**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**  
Mark 1:12-15

**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**

**Parish Office:** The Presbytery; 3 Chesterfield Road South, Mansfield, NG19 7AB

**Parish Secretary:** Mrs Catherine Whiteley

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Canon John Kyne V. G.

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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.

**Those who have died recently**, especially, **Bridget Harrison** whose funeral Vigil will take place on Sunday 25 February at 6.30pm at St Philip Neri and funeral Mass on Monday 26 February at 12.10pm. **Peter Whiteley** of St Joseph's. Please remember Bridget, Peter and their families in your prayers.

**Holy Father's Prayer Intentions February 2024:** We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

**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.

Year of Prayer ~ 2024 leading to  
 Theme for February 2024 is Mental Wellbeing



Lord Jesus, I know that you have felt the fullness of human suffering: be with me, and with my brothers and sisters who are suffering today. Help us to feel your presence more closely. Direct me to those who are suffering, and give me the words and the time to be a beacon of love and hope. Help all in this community to see that you are with us on good days and bad alike, and that one day there will be no more suffering, no more tears; for you make all things new. Amen.

Henri Nouwen says – There is in each of us an inner voice of Love that says 'You are the beloved of God' Spend a few minutes every day meditating on God's love for you. Spend some time saying slowly to yourself 'I am the beloved'.

**Next Mass in BOLSOVER:** At St Mary and St Laurence Mass will be celebrated on Friday 1 March 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 IN OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS PARISH FOR CHILDREN YEAR 3 AND ABOVE NOT ATTENDING CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:** At St Philip Neri the First Holy Communion Day will be on Saturday 15 June 2024, Saturday 6 July at St Joseph's, Saturday 13 July at St Patrick's and St Teresa's date is to be confirmed. 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 our weekly school Masses.

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

**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

**FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING:**

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelopes	Loose	Total	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection
11 Feb	St Joseph	£103.85	£ 40.00	£ 89.42	£ 233.27	
11 Feb	St Patrick	£151.00	£129.20	£167.57	£ 447.77	
11 Feb	St Philip Neri	£492.65	£214.00	£980.72	£1,686.77	
11 Feb	St Teresa	£ 75.00	£ 20.00	£ 22.41	£ 117.41	
04 Feb	Bolsover		£ 10.00	£ 98.00	£ 108.00	

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

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** 24/25 February - CAFOD (Lent Fast Day)

**IF YOU ARE A GIFT AID DECLARATION HOLDER:** Please advise your parish office, or the Diocesan Gift Aid Department ([parish.giftaid@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:parish.giftaid@dioceseofnottingham.uk)) of any change in your circumstances, such as **name change / address change / no longer a taxpayer**. If your spouse has died and the GA Declaration was in his / her name, and you wish to continue to contribute because you are a taxpayer, then a new GA Declaration Form will need to be completed. Please also advise of the date of your spouse’s death. **Your continued support of both parish and Diocese is always very much appreciated – thank you!** If you do not gift aid your contributions, and you are a taxpayer, and wish to do so, please speak with your parish priest, or contact the parish office for a Gift Aid Declaration Form.

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

St Teresa, Market Warsop, Monday 26 February at 7.00pm by Zoom.

St Joseph, Shirebrook, Monday 22 April at 7.00pm by Zoom.

St Philip Neri, Mansfield, Tuesday 23 April at 7.00pm in the hall.

St Patrick, Forest Town, Wednesday 24 April at 7.00pm in the hall.

**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.

**PRAYERFUL REFLECTION:** You are invited to join the Sisters for Prayerful Reflection on the Readings for Sundays via Zoom on FRIDAYS, 7.00pm - 8.00pm. If you would like the link, please ring the Sisters on 01623 845091 or email [religious@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:religious@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

The link is - <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89827006631?pwd=M1kyeHpNdnBpL2hodlpOakF1NVFxdz09>

Meeting ID: 898 2700 6631 Passcode: 074601

**EXPLORING OUR FAITH:** Every **Thursday, starting on the 18 January 2024** in St Philip Neri Church Hall; 7.00pm – 8.30pm. If you wish to join the group – please let Catherine in the Parish Office know, giving her your contact details - via email on [OLAS@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:OLAS@dioceseofnottingham.uk) It would be important to come to the first meeting – where you will receive the programme and other information.

**50TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST TERESA’S CHURCH:** You are invited to join a Mass of thanksgiving, celebrated with Bishop Patrick McKinney, on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of St Teresa’s Church. The Mass will take place on Saturday 9 March 2024 at 11.30am, followed by light refreshments in the hall. It would be helpful if you could sign the list at the back of each church if you are able to attend.

**DONATED EASTER PRIZES REQUIRED:** To support this year’s easter raffle. Items required are bottles of wine/spirits, Easter eggs any size, boxes of chocolates, cuddly toys (rabbits) and anything else won’t be refused. Please bring donations to the Presbytery Office. Thank you for your support. Easter raffle tickets will be on sale at all of the four churches from 24/25 February.

**JUMBLE SALE AT ST PHILIP NERI HALL ON FRIDAY 1 MARCH AT 10.00AM TILL 1.00PM:** Refreshments will be available. Could you please bring your jumble to the parish office week commencing on 26 February. Any offers of help for sorting and serving would be appreciated. Please see Mary Smith.

**ST TERESA’S COMMUNITY CAFÉ:** The Café is next open on Saturday 2 March from 11.30am – 1.00pm. 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.

**FOR THOSE TIMES THAT YOU MAY FEEL STRESSED, UNCOMFORTABLE, CONFUSED OR LETHARGIC:**

Capacitar can help by doing gentle exercise. Sr Mary and Sr Susan run a session on the first Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm in St. Teresa’s Church Hall in Warsop. You are welcome to come along when you wish – no commitment to attending every session. No charge but you may like to make a small donation.



2021 Synod 2024  
For a synodal Church

**SYNODAL CHURCH IN MISSION:** To assist the participants when they gather in October 2024, we have been invited to respond to the Document as a Synodal Church In Mission. There will be a meeting on Tuesday 20 February in St Philip Neri hall to respond to the latest document. Everyone is welcome.

**ST JOSEPH'S WEEKLY DRAW:** Lottery bonus ball for Saturday 10 February is number 34. We have a winner who receives £20.

**ST JOSEPH'S CAKE BAKE SALE:** The next bake sale will be on Saturday 2 March.

**TEA AND COFFEE:** Served in the hall after Sunday Mass at St Teresa's and St Patrick's.

Tea and coffee will be served at St Philip Neri after 9.00am Sunday Mass.

Drop-in every Wednesday, tea and coffee served after Mass at St Philip Neri.

**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.

**FOOD BANK:** Many thanks for your recent contributions. Please leave your donations in the back of each church.

**LADIES RECOLLECTION:** On Tuesday 27 February from 3.00pm to 5.00pm at St Philip Neri. All are welcome.

**THE SEASON OF LENT:** It is a season of Prayer, Fasting and charity giving. It's when we seek the Lord in prayer by reading Sacred Scripture; we serve by giving charity; and we practice self-control through fasting. Encountering the Lord - when we take the opportunity to go to Mass, Holy Hour, Capacitar, Scripture Sharing, and reading Scripture. Serving the Lord - by serving others - giving my time to helping others, to sit and listen to others, to give to Charity. Following the Lord - thinking of what Jesus would do rather than what I want to do - for example fasting from food but also fasting from being selfish, from being critical, being angry, using hurtful words, from complaining... Why not decide this Lent - instead of giving up something - DO something e.g. every evening say thank you to the Lord for 10 things e.g. a roof over my head; food to eat; safe at the end of the day.....etc... OR - choose one of the Gospels and read a chapter each day; decide to take 10 mins quiet each day..

#### **OPPORTUNITIES IN THE PARISH:**

Tuesday 20 February at 7.00pm - SYNOD consultation in St Philip Neri

Tuesday 27 February at 7.00pm - Holy Hour in St Patrick's

Tuesday 5 March at 7.00pm - Holy Hour in St Teresa's

Tuesday 12 March at 7.00pm – Holy Hour in St Philip Neri

Tuesday 19 March at 7.00pm- Holy Hour in St Joseph's

Tuesday 26 March at 7.00pm - Service of Reconciliation in St Philip Neri

**JESUS YOUTH IS ORGANISING A YOUNG ADULTS' RETREAT:** For those aged 18-23 at The Briars, Matlock (DE4 5BW) on the **weekend of 23 - 25 February**. Come join us for this Catholic Youth Weekend, where we'll explore deeper into aspects of Gender and Identity through the core theme for the weekend, the reality that we are 'Created For Love'. To register, visit: <https://forms.gle/2JCX9JWCQRBdi21g7>

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR:** Holy Family Parish, Nottingham seeks to appoint to this part-time role. Already an essential part of the leadership and ministry in the parish for the last 6 years, due to the current post-holder's retirement applicants are invited for this exciting and developing role. For information contact Diane Williams, Community Coordinator: 0115 9118266 [ccen@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:ccen@dioceseofnottingham.uk) **The closing date is Monday 26 February.**

**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY FALL ON 23 FEBRUARY:** Lent appeal this Lent, your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal will help hardworking people like James the fisherman in Liberia with resources, tools and training to feed their families for good. Give today using the envelope or online at [cafod.org.uk](http://cafod.org.uk) and please join us in praying with James that our sisters and brothers around the world have what they need to feed their families.

**CARITAS INVITES YOU:** To the next online environmental workshop, **Faith and Footprint**, on **Tuesday 20 February** from 7.00 – 8.30pm. Together we will reflect on *Laudate Deum*, Pope Francis's recent call to action on the climate crisis, and seek to respond to its challenge – including by making our parishes carbon-neutral. To receive the Zoom link book your place at [bit.ly/FaithandFootprint](http://bit.ly/FaithandFootprint)

**WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** The service will be held at the Methodist Church, Hill Top, Bolsover, on Friday 4 1 March at 3.00pm. All are invited.