

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

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT – PASSION SUNDAY 17 MARCH 2024

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
Sat 16 March	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	Peter Whiteley RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Antony Higgins RIP
Sun 17 March	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Clare Grady-Lennon RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Prof. Bongasu Tanla Kishani RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Delia and Edward Lee RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Tom Tunney RIP (Ireland)
Mon 18 March Lenten Feria	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Ryan Allison Intentions
	9.00am	Mass – St Patrick (In School)	School Community
Tue 19 March Solemnity Saint Joseph	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Mary Roddy RIP
	9.10am	Mass - St Joseph (In Church)	School Community
Wed 20 March Lenten Feria	9.30am	Liturgy of the Word - St Philip Neri (In Church)	
	7.00pm	Holy Hour – St Joseph	
	9.15am	Mass – St Patrick	Margaret McGee Intentions 90 th Birthday
Thurs 21 March Lenten Feria	12.10pm	Funeral Mass - St Philip Neri	Peter Whiteley RIP
	6.30pm	Stations of the Cross - St Joseph	
	7.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Yvonne May Intentions
Fri 22 March Lenten Feria	10.30am	Stations of the Cross - St Teresa	
	11.00am	Mass – St Teresa	Fr Patrick Egan RIP
Sat 23 March Lenten Feria	12.10pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Michael Walsh RIP
	6.00pm	Stations of the Cross - St Patrick's	
	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross - St Philip Neri	
Sun 24 March	10.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Sally Sludds RIP
	10.30am -11.30am	Exposition & Confession – St Philip Neri	
	12noon	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Leo Thomas McCann
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 24 MARCH 2024			
	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	People of the Parish
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Eric Harrison RIP (Birthday)
Sun 24 March	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Mary Dynes RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Sr Eileen Keating Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Tina Travers Birthday Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Joe and Lena Hyland RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Patricia Bancroft 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
Fifth Sunday of Lent
Year B**

First Reading
Prophet Jeremiah
31:31-34

Psalm Response:
A pure heart create
for me, O God.

Second Reading
Letter to the
Hebrews
5:7-9

**Gospel
Acclamation:**
Glory to you,
O Christ, you are the
Word of God! If a
man serves me, says
the Lord, he must
follow me; wherever
I am, my servant will
be there too. Glory
to you, O Christ, you
are the Word of
God!

Gospel
John 12: 20-33

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

Please note our new email address: OLAS@dioceseofnottingham.uk

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Pastoral Area Team

Canon John Kyne V. G.

Fr Daren Brown

Pastoral Assistant: Sr Susan Richert PBVM

Contact for St Patrick's - Ken Daly

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SAFEGUARDING

St Philip Neri: Danuta Allsop and Theresa Croll St Joseph: Kate Gilbert St Teresa: Margaret Booth
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, **Peter Whiteley** whose funeral Mass will take place at St Philip Neri on Wednesday 20 March at 12.10pm. **Donald James Martin** whose funeral service will take place at St Philip Neri on Monday 25 March at 12noon. **John Clayton** whose funeral Mass will take place at St Patrick's on Tuesday 2 April at 12.30pm. **Roger Davis**, husband of Frances Davis. **Helen Williamson** who passed away on Wednesday 13 March. Please remember Peter, Donald, John, Roger, Helen and their families in your prayers.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions March 2024: We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

PLEASE, LIGHT A (battery) CANDLE: Each day and pray for peace – especially for the Holy Land and Ukraine.

Year of Prayer – 2024 leading to

Theme for March 2024 is **Reconciliation**

“Go and sin no more” (John 5:1-15; John 8:3-11)

When Jesus said “Go and sin no more” what he was saying was try and stay away from choices that lead to sin. Jesus has extended mercy – both to the paralytic and to the woman. When we turn to Christ and receive His forgiveness, we experience a heart change, we experience healing, we receive the strength to turn *from* sin and turn *to* Christ.

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’.

There is a service of reconciliation in St Philip Neri Church on Tuesday 26 March at 7.00pm. Why not come along and experience healing and receive strength.



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 Mass will be celebrated on Friday 5 April 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 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

FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING:

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelopes	Loose	Total	2 nd Collection Diocesan Quota
10 Mar	St Joseph	£103.85	£ 40.00	£ 90.80	£ 234.65	£ 25.00
10 Mar	St Patrick	£151.00	tba	tba	tba	tba
10 Mar	St Philip Neri	£492.65	£209.50	£1,258.76	£1,960.91	£373.64
10 Mar	St Teresa	£ 75.00	£ 18.00	£ 62.86	£ 155.86	£ 5.00

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

SECOND COLLECTIONS: 30/31 March – Holy Places of Palestine

IF YOU ARE A GIFT AID DECLARATION HOLDER: Please advise your parish office, or the Diocesan Gift Aid Department (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, date to be advised.

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

St Philip Neri, Mansfield, **changed to** Tuesday 16 April at 7.15pm 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

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 It would be important to come to the first meeting – where you will receive the programme and other information.

EASTER RAFFLE: Last chance to buy and return Easter raffle tickets. £1.00 per book of 5 tickets. Draw will take place on Palm Sunday after the 9am Mass.

REPOSITORY: We have a selection of St Patrick Day cards and Easter cards. For more information, please contact the parish office on tel: 01623 623458 at St Philip Neri Church.

ST TERESA GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY: Last Saturday we had a wonderful celebration to mark the Golden anniversary of the Consecration of our church in Market Warsop. Thank you to Bishop Patrick and all parishioners who ensured that the Mass was celebrated so beautifully and our celebration meal was so memorable.

TINA TRAVERS: Will celebrate her 90th birthday on 25 March and is having an Open House from 1.00pm for any friends who would like to join her. Full details on St Patrick’s notice board.

ST TERESA'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ: The Café is next open on Saturday 6 April 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.

ST JOSEPH'S WEEKLY DRAW: Lottery bonus ball for Saturday 9 March is number 43. We have a winner who receives £20.

ST JOSEPH'S CAKE BAKE SALE: The next bake sale will be on Saturday 6 April.

ST PHILIP NERI QUIZ: On Saturday 13 April in the parish hall, doors open at 7.00pm and 7.30 prompt start. Tickets on sale at St Philip Neri Presbytery or contact Viktor Lee on mobile no. 07703 351400. £10 a ticket (including £6 fish and chips).

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.

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 acts of 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 19 March at 7.00pm - Holy Hour in St Joseph's.

Tuesday 26 March at 7.00pm - Service of Reconciliation in St Philip Neri. Wednesday 27 March at 11.30pm Chrism Mass at the Cathedral. Thursday 28 March at 7.00pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper, Watching until 10.00pm.

Good Friday 29 March at 3.00pm at St Philip Neri - Liturgy of the Lord's Passion.

Stations of the Cross in all four churches.

Blessing of the Food on Holy Saturday 30 March 11.00am and 4.00pm at St Joseph's.

Easter Vigil at 7.00pm at St Philip Neri.

LENT WALK: Once again, I have decided to do CAFOD's Big Lent Walk as part of the CAFOD Lent fundraising. My aim, once again, is to walk 200Km over the period of Lent. If any of you are able to contribute to my fundraising, I would be very grateful. You can either give me the money directly if you see me or make a donation to me Big Lent Walk fundraising page which can be found here <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/anns-big-lent-walk-fundraising-page> Thank you, Ann Neale.

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL: On Monday 18 March at 9.00am - St Patrick's Day Mass in school. On Tuesday 26 March at 2.30pm - Foundation Stage-Key Stage One - The Easter Presentation. PTA Easter Fayre on Wednesday 27 March at 3.30pm. On Thursday 28 March at 9.00am - The Easter Presentation- Key Stage Two.

MANSFIELD CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Please see website: <http://www.nottinghamcathedralmusic.com> or the notices in the church porches for more details.

MEN'S RETREAT AT MOUNT ST BERNARD ON SATURDAY 24 MARCH. This year we will be offering our Men's retreat at Mount St Bernard, again focused on developing our prayer life. Cost is £12.00. Please see poster at the back of church for more details.

JOIN THE DIOCESAN CHOIR FOR THE CHRISM MASS ON WEDNESDAY 27 MARCH: With a rehearsal on Saturday 9 March, 10.30am-1.00pm, in Saint Barnabas Cathedral, NG1 5AE. The Diocesan Choir is a friendly and supportive bunch of musicians and singers from across the diocese that gather to sing for special diocesan occasions and liturgies. All are welcome and no prior musical training is required. To sign up please email: cathedral@dioceseofnottingham.uk

THE LATEST EDITION OF THE DIOCESAN E-MAGAZINE WAS PUBLISHED ON ASH WEDNESDAY: Featuring reflections, articles, and news from across the diocese, including NDCYS, CAFOD and Caritas. Read and subscribe to receive it directly via email at: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news

PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM: Join people from around the Diocese of Nottingham for the annual **Pilgrimage to Walsingham**. Gather together with Bishop Patrick on Saturday 15 June at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham as we seek Our Lady of Walsingham's intercession for an increase in Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life in our Diocese. For more information see the poster at the back of church, or contact Father Neil Peoples 01283 564814 or vocations@dioceseofnottingham.uk or Deacon Seamus O'Looskan 0116 251 1437 or seamus.olooskan@dioceseofnottingham.uk

VACANCY: The Diocese of Nottingham is looking to appoint a part-time **Choral Director** to work in the Diocesan Music Department and to facilitate the development of the Schools' Singing Project in some of the St Ralph Sherwin schools in South Derbyshire. For more information email gregory.treloar@dioceseofnottingham.uk or visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers

THE LATEST EPISODE OF THE DIOCESE'S PODCAST ENCOUNTER PRAYER IS NOW AVAILABLE: The focus this month is on the Our Father. We speak to Father Jan Nowotnik of the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, and Rebecca Durham of Playing and Praying: both have recently been involved in creating resources to explore the Our Father. Download or stream it from all major podcast providers or on the diocesan website: dioceseofnottingham.uk/tunofprayer

INTER CARE: A Leicestershire-based charity of which Bishop Patrick is Patron, is celebrating 50 years of providing medical aid for Africa. The Inter Care team has created a short film highlighting their journey, the expansion of their work over the years, and how they have successfully donated £8.7 million worth of aid since 1974, sending medicines for up to 76,400 patient treatments last year alone. To see the film, follow this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0Fj1-gf-bMQ> and consider whether you can support Inter Care with your prayers, and in practical and financial ways.