

THE PARISHES OF HOLY CROSS AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME—22ND/23RD JANUARY 2022 MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	22nd	5.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Patrick & Bridget Doyle RIP
SUNDAY — THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	23rd	9.30am	HOLY CROSS	People of the Parish
		11.00am	OUR LADY'S	The McDonagh family
		2.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Remembering Service
MONDAY - SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES, BISHOP AND DOCTOR (MEMORIAL)	24th			
TUESDAY - THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL (FEAST)	25th	9.30am	OUR LADY'S	Private intention
WEDNESDAY - SAINTS TIMOTHY AND TITUS, BISHOPS (MEMORIAL)	26th	12 noon	HOLY CROSS	
THURSDAY - (FERIA)	27th	9.30am	OUR LADY'S	Welfare of Monsignor D Forde
FRIDAY - SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR (MEMORIAL)	28th	12 noon	HOLY CROSS	
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	29th	5.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Fr John Caines RIP
SUNDAY — FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	30th	9.30am	HOLY CROSS	Thanksgiving for Fr John
		11.00am	OUR LADY'S	Mary Burrows RIP & Chris Burrows' Intentions

HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER

January 30th - Roseanna Stanforth-Ward

HOLY CROSS—WELCOMERS

January 30th—Dominic Dixon & Lauren Whitehouse

HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING

January 30th - Arnold & Antonia Chiy

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS

Saturday 29th January — Filipino Community

Sunday 30th January — Mia Manu

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS

Saturday 29th January— Filipino Community

Sunday 30th January — Tom & Monica Kiernan

OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR JANUARY (TEAM)

Team A (Teresa, Maram, Johannas, Juliana & Mariana)

COVID19 UPDATE

From Friday 10th December face coverings in places of worship became mandatory by government law, so we ask everyone unless exempt to wear a mask. This will apply to Mass, weddings, funerals or any other events in the church, and is in addition to ventilation and cleaning.

Ventilation will be

increased in churches and we strongly advise that you wrap up warm as the church may be colder than normal.

Following the update on Covid guidelines we have received instructions from the Diocese to work from home. Breege and Maria will answer telephone calls during the office hours. We appreciate your understanding and co-operation during this time. We have now been informed that halls and community centres are also on the list of required for a face covering unless eating and drinking, so any activities, hirers or groups need to be aware of this. People who run parish groups and events need to review their risk assessments and see if they need to meet. This will of course vary depending on the group, its members, and the venue.

REMEMBERING SERVICE

Our special remembering service will take place this **Sunday 23rd January 2022 at 2.00p.m.** We are looking forward to welcoming everyone to this special service.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

There will be a second collection this weekend 22nd/23rd January at both Masses for **The Sick and Retired Priest Fund**

HOLY CROSS POST

Parishioners with items for the office at Our Lady's Bulwell eg Mass request forms, new parishioner forms, etc can be posted in the locked black postbox at the front of church. This is emptied daily and is secure and efficient.

CATHOLIC NEWS

January's edition of the Catholic News wasn't printed for technical reasons; a pdf version is available on our website for you to view.

SECONDARY SCHOOL VACANCIES

St Thomas Aquinas Catholic Multi-Academy Trust have vacancies for a Headteacher (English Martyrs', Leicester) and a Deputy Headteacher (St Martin's, Stoke Golding). Closing date for applications is 26 January 2022. For further details of these and other vacancies within this trust please visit www.aquinas-cmat.org/vacancies

CALLING CATHOLIC TEACHERS

If you are a Catholic teacher currently working outside of Catholic education and would like to find out more about the joys of working in a Catholic school within the Diocese of Nottingham, a virtual information session will take place on **Tuesday 8 February from 7.00pm – 8.30pm.** Please see the poster on the parish notice board. For further information contact: Julie Sweeney at the Diocesan Education Service (julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk)

FR JOHN'S LEAVING CELEBRATION

Due to the current Covid situation we feel unable to organize a leaving party for Fr John but we will be inviting him back in the summer for a Mass and celebration in the hall.

BIBLE PRAYER GROUP HOLY CROSS

Please note that this group will meet next Tuesday January 18th at 7p.m. in the meeting-room at Holy Cross Church. Everyone welcome.

THE DIVINE MERCY MESSAGE FOR ALL

Many of you will already be familiar with The Divine Mercy Chaplet. For those of you who are not, at the back of church is a free Divine Mercy booklet—Message for All Mankind. Please take one and I would encourage you to make The Divine Mercy Chaplet a part of your faith.

BAPTISM CLASS

Our next class for parents of children 6 years and under will take place on Saturday 12th February 2022 @ 10.30am until 12.30pm in Our Lady's Parish Hall. This class is for parishioners from both Holy Cross and Our Lady's. If you would like your child/children baptising please email the office for a form. Completed forms need to be submitted to the office by 7th February 2022.

HALLS AND COMMUNITY CENTRES –COVID REGULATIONS

These are now also on the list of those required to wear a face covering unless eating and drinking, so any activities, hirers or groups need to remind people of this. Anyone visiting our buildings please wear a mask. Thank you.

NEW DEMENTIA CAFÉ

at St Mary's Church, Highbury Road, Bulwell, NG6 9AD 'The Church on the Hill' 10.30am until Midday Friday 14th January 2022 (and every 2nd Friday of the month thereafter) The Café will run like a coffee morning for people with a diagnosis in dementia and their carers to come along to, meet other people, chat, and enjoy some fun activities which we know will have a positive benefit on their wellbeing.

MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉ

The Café is now open every Thursday at 10.00am until 12.30pm. Please spread the word and if you are aware of anyone who may benefit from this service please let them know they are very welcome to attend.

HOLY HOUR, PRAISE & WORSHIP & HEALING PRAYERS

Every Friday 6.30—8pm at Our Lady's church, Bulwell. All welcome.



BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to welcome into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism; Maisy House and Orlaith-Mae & Lochlainn Buckley. We congratulate their Parents, Godparents and Families.

God has you in the palm of his hand

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: BY APPOINTMENT ONLY AT THE MOMENT

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? PLEASE INFORM FATHER JOHN OR THE CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY TEAM. CITY HOSPITAL: 0115 9691169 EXT 56187 QMC 0115 9249924 EXT 64964