

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 EASTER - 30TH APRIL/1ST MAY 2022

MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

<i>SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</i>	<i>30th</i>	<i>5.00pm</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Catherine Heraghty RIP</i>
		<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help</i>
<i>SUNDAY — THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</i>	<i>1st</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>HOLY CROSS</i>	<i>People of the Parish</i>
		<i>11.00am</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Peter Hunt RIP</i>
<i>MONDAY - ST ATHANASIUS, BISHOP AND DOCTOR (MEMORIAL)</i>	<i>2nd</i>			
<i>TUESDAY - SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES (FEAST)</i>	<i>3rd</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Catherine Heraghty RIP</i>
<i>WEDNESDAY - THE ENGLISH MARTYRS (FEAST)</i>	<i>4th</i>	<i>12.00pm</i>	<i>HOLY CROSS</i>	<i>No Mass</i>
		<i>12.30pm</i>	<i>HOLY CROSS</i>	<i>Funeral Service for Konrad Kujawinski RIP</i>
<i>THURSDAY - EASTER FERIA</i>	<i>5th</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Mark Booton's Intentions</i>
<i>FRIDAY - EASTER FERIA</i>	<i>6th</i>	<i>12.00pm</i>	<i>HOLY CROSS</i>	<i>Christine Elizabeth Gilbrook's Intentions</i>
		<i>6.30pm</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Holy Hour, Praise & Worship, Healing Prayers</i>
<i>SATURDAY - VIGIL OF FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY)</i>	<i>7th</i>	<i>5.00pm</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Maryann Scanlon RIP</i>
<i>SUNDAY - FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY)</i>	<i>8th</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>HOLY CROSS</i>	<i>People of the Parish</i>
		<i>11.00am</i>	<i>OUR LADY'S</i>	<i>Aurora Orbe RIP</i>

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell: Bridget Doyle

Holy Cross, Hucknall : Rosaleen Walters

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HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER

May 8th - Lauren Whitehouse

HOLY CROSS—WELCOMERS

May 8th — Andy & Sally Butkevicius

HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING

May 8th —

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS

Saturday 7th May— Pauline Lynch

Sunday 8th May— Ngozi Okochi

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS

Saturday 7th May — Kath Huckerby & Sam Cropley

Sunday 8th May — Eileen Dowling & Family

OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR MAY

Team A (Teresa, Maram, Juliana & Mariana)



DEDICATION OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR CHURCH 1951

On the 8th May it will be the anniversary of the opening of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour church in 1935 and also the consecration of the church on the same day in 1951. The homily of Canon Dolan which he preached on Sunday 8th May 2011 at the Diamond Jubilee Anniversary Mass of the Consecration has been emailed to all parishioners on our database. Some pictures which were taken of the church some years ago were also emailed. Some copies are available at the back of church for anyone who would like to read the detail.



ROSARY AT HOLY CROSS

As we enter the Month of May, our minds turn to Our Blessed Lady. It has been a long-standing Catholic tradition to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary in May, so with this in mind the Rosary will be said at Holy Cross, 20 minutes before the Sunday and week-day Masses during the month of May. Please join us for this devotion in church.

MISSION WITNESS: 'RED BOX' THANK YOU AND APPEAL

This weekend we welcome Fr Emmanuel Mbeh MHM to give the five-yearly Red Box Appeal. Through the Red Box we care for our Church family around the world. Thank you to all parishioners who already give to the Pope's official charity for overseas mission - Missio - and Britain's own missionary order - the Mill Hill Missionaries - through the Red Box.

ALTAR SERVERS AT HOLY CROSS

Training will begin after Mass on Sunday 15th May for any child who has made their First Holy Communion or adult who is interested in this important ministry. If you have any questions, please see Michael Hallam after Mass.

CONFIRMATION 2022 OUR LADY'S & HOLY CROSS

Bishop Patrick will be visiting Holy Cross on Tuesday 12th July 2022 to confirm our young people and any adult who wishes to be confirmed. The Sacrament of Confirmation is open to anyone who is currently in Year 9 and upwards. If you think you would like to receive the Sacrament, please contact the office for an application form and further information. Please note: if you are under 18, your parent or guardian must request on your behalf.

NEOPHYTES MASS

Those who have been received into the Church this year and over the last two years, their families, catechists, sponsors are invited to a special Mass at Saint Barnabas Cathedral, with Bishop Patrick, on **Sunday 15th May** at 3.00pm. The period after initiation is a special time for those recently received into the Catholic Church (Neophytes), a time to explore the "mysteries" they have experienced, a time to gather and deepen their grasp of the strengthening of the Eucharist. Do join this special Mass with Neophytes from across the diocese, and enjoy the refreshments afterwards.

LGBT+ PASTORAL MINISTRY MASS

will be celebrated by the Bishop on **Saturday 21st May** at 1.00pm in Our Lady and Saint Joseph's church, Matlock (DE4 3NG).

All are very welcome.



BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to welcome into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism; Arlo Heathcote and Joey Bennaton. We congratulate their Parents, Godparents and Families.

"God has you in the palm of His hand"

PLEASE PRAY FOR

The repose of the soul of Konrad Kujawinski RIP who suddenly passed away recently. His funeral service will be at Holy Cross church on Wednesday 4th May at 12.30pm. We pray especially for his family and friends at this difficult time.

FILIPINO ROSARY CRUSADE

Please join us for our Novena to our Mother of Perpetual Help for this beautiful devotion in church on Saturday 30th April after the 5pm Vigil Mass.

A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

We pray that the Lord God sends His Holy Spirit to all the people of Ukraine and gives them the grace of endurance in faith, hope and love amid the current ordeals; may peace be granted throughout Ukraine and may the Ukrainian nation be delivered from all enemies, so that we may glorify the good and merciful God in justice and truth. Lord hear us and have mercy. Amen.

THE NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN YEARBOOK 2022

is now available to purchase, priced £4.00. If you would like a copy, please visit the sacristy to get your copy.

BAPTISM CLASS

Our next class for parents of children 6 years and under will take place on **Saturday 7th May 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 to be baptised, please email the office for a form. Completed forms need to be submitted to the office by **3rd May 2022**.

DROP IN CAFE

In June we are hoping to relaunch our Drop-in Café so that the people of Bulwell will know we are here and open for all. Unfortunately the enforced break due to Covid has left us short on volunteers to help run the Café. If we could get 15 volunteers this would mean people would only be asked to volunteer once every 5 weeks for 3 hours. The café offers wonderful support to those in our local community who feel isolated for any reason and the work we do is not just valuable, it is essential. If you feel you would be able to volunteer or would just like some further information please contact Deacon Martyn on 07561 121724, or contact the parish office. Stop the Isolation Start the Conversation. God Bless Deacon Martyn

HOLY HOUR, PRAISE & WORSHIP & HEALING PRAYERS

recommenced Friday 29th April at 6.30—8pm at Our Lady's church, Bulwell. All welcome.

"I WAS IN PRISON..." ON SATURDAY 21ST MAY

will be a lively and nourishing day to listen to the lived experience of prisoners and their families, and discover simple ways you can help individually or as a parish. Pact, the Catholic prison charity, are joining forces with Caritas for the conference at Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell, Nottingham. The day will include Bishop Patrick, the work of Pact, prison chaplains, and the Welcome Directory. More information at bit.ly/iwasinprison or email parish.action@prisonadvice.org.uk