

THE PARISHES OF HOLY CROSS AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - 21ST / 22ND MAY 2022

MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

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| SATURDAY - VIGIL OF SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | 21st | 5.00pm | OUR LADY'S | Catherine Heraghty RIP |
| SUNDAY - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | 22nd | 9.30am | HOLY CROSS | Intentions of Mary Rose |
| | | 11.00am | OUR LADY'S | James Ritchie RIP |
| MONDAY - EASTER FERIA | 23rd | | | |
| TUESDAY - EASTER FERIA | 24th | 9.30am | OUR LADY'S | Intentions of Christina |
| WEDNESDAY - SAINT BEDE THE VENERABLE, PRIEST & DOCTOR (MEMORIAL) | 25th | 12.00pm | HOLY CROSS | |
| THURSDAY - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY) HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION | 26th | 9.30am | OUR LADY'S | Intentions of Christina |
| | | 9.30am | HOLY CROSS | |
| | | 7.00pm | OUR LADY'S | Mark Booton's intentions |
| FRIDAY - SAINT AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY, BISHOP (FEAST) | 27th | 12.00pm | HOLY CROSS | Phillip Hardstaff RIP (Birthday Anniversary) |
| | | 6.30pm | OUR LADY'S | Holy Hour, Praise & Worship, Healing Prayers |
| SATURDAY - VIGIL OF SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | 28th | 5.00pm | OUR LADY'S | Pilar Valdes-Albano RIP |
| | | 6.00pm | OUR LADY'S | Flores de Maria Novena (Filipino Rosary Crusade) |
| SUNDAY - SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER | 29th | 9.30am | HOLY CROSS | People of the Parish |
| | | 11.00am | OUR LADY'S | Intentions of Brew family |

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell: Bridget Doyle
 Holy Cross, Hucknall : Rosaleen Walters

Diocesan Safeguarding Contact; Rachel Campion safeguarding@dioceseofnottingham.uk or telephone 0115 9539850

HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER

May 29th - Paul Glover

HOLY CROSS—WELCOMERS

May 29th - Andy & Sally Butkevicius

HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING

May 29th— Coleen & Rose Cash

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS

Saturday 28th May - Filipino Community
 Sunday 29th May - Prisca Bamuh

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS

Saturday 28th May –Filipino Community
 Sunday 29th May - Eileen Dowling & family

OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR MAY

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

CHANGE TO SUNDAY MASS TIME AT HOLY CROSS

Please note that the Mass time at Holy Cross on a Sunday will change to **9.00am** as from **Sunday 5th June (Pentecost Sunday)**. This is to enable Fr Richard to spend more time with parishioners after Mass at Holy Cross and to allow more travel time between churches.



ROSARY AT HOLY CROSS

As we are in 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.

FLORES DE MARIA

May is a special month in honour of Mary. To celebrate this, the Filipino Rosary Crusade is inviting everyone to its annual "Flores de Maria" (Flowers of Mary) on **Saturday 28 May**. The service will start with the 5pm Vigil Mass. After Communion, there will be a floral offering and crowning of Our Lady's statue. Everyone is enjoined to bring flowers for Our Lady. To conclude the celebration, there will be a Novena to Our Lady after Mass. Thank you.

LOST PROPERTY BOX

The Lost Property box in the porch is now overflowing! Please take a look if you have lost anything. It will be there until the end of June and then items will go to a charity shop if not claimed. Thank you.

CONFIRMATION 2022 OUR LADY'S & HOLY CROSS

Bishop Patrick will be visiting Holy Cross on **Tuesday 12th July 2022 at 7.00pm** to confirm our young people and any adult who wishes to be confirmed. The preparation lessons for Confirmation will begin on Thursday 26th May at 6.00pm in the meeting room at Holy Cross and all parents should have received an email with details.

A PARISH CELEBRATION

Our Lady's and Holy Cross would like to invite you to our Parish celebration which will be held at Our Lady's this **Sunday 22nd May from 12.00 to 4.00pm**. There will be live music, karaoke and bbq food on offer. If you are able to provide a dish for our shared table that would be most appreciated. Please bring your own wine/beer. Tea & Coffee will be available. No charge for this celebration but as always tickets will be on sale for a raffle. All are welcome.

PLATINUM JUBILEE OF HM THE QUEEN

Bishop Patrick warmly invites people from across the diocese to Saint Barnabas Cathedral on **Thursday 2nd June** for Happy and Glorious, a musical celebration to mark the Platinum Jubilee of HM the Queen. Tickets for the evening are available at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/jubilee
 Come and join HM's Lord Lieutenant and other guests as we give thanks to God for the Queen.

CALLING FOUNDATION GOVERNORS

A virtual information session about being a foundation governor in one of our Catholic schools is taking place on **Wednesday 22 June from 7.00pm – 8.30pm**. Please see the poster on the parish notice board. For further information, please contact: Julie Sweeney (julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk).

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.

DROP IN CAFE

There will be a meeting on **Monday 6th June at 7pm** in Our Lady's church hall for all who volunteer at the Drop-in café and all who might be willing to volunteer. We will be answering any questions you may have and putting together a working rota.

HOLY HOUR, PRAISE & WORSHIP & HEALING PRAYERS

Friday evening Adoration will start at **6.30pm**, at Our Lady's church, Bulwell. All welcome.

ALTAR SERVERS AT HOLY CROSS

Due to unforeseen circumstances the training for altar servers is postponed until further notice.

250 CLUB WINNERS

February—1st Sean Queally **2nd** Mary Harrison **3rd** Celine Toner
March—1st S & M Brogan **2nd** Kathryn Taylor **3rd** Teresa McCoy
April—1st Sharon Sweeney, **2nd** Shane Fitzgerald **3rd** David Rooksby
 If anyone would like to join the 250 club please contact the office or complete the 250 form along with the standing order form available at the back of church and return to the office.

BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION

A Blessed Sacrament Procession, led by Bishop Patrick, will be celebrated on Corpus Christi, **Sunday 19th June**, starting from Saint Mary's church in Hyson Green, Nottingham (NG7 6FZ) at 2pm, and finishing at our Cathedral at around 4pm. All are very welcome – especially First Holy Communion children – see the poster for more details.

STUDY, REFLECT, AND CELEBRATE OUR SYNODAL JOURNEY

Thursday 9th June 6pm—9pm to be held on the Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest, at the Doubletree by Hilton, Nottingham and led by Father James Hanvey SJ, for clergy, parishioners, curial staff, pastoral assistants and others. This event includes a complimentary supper and time for discussion. For further information, and to book places for the event, contact Father Simon Gillespie at simon.gillespie@dioceseofnottingham.uk
 Bookings close on Monday 30th May.

SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection next weekend for World Communications.

BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS

We would like to welcome into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism; Nneoma Enendu, Thomas Randle, Alfred Lee, Maria Karim, Mylo Kofi-Ofuafor & Giorgia Brown. We congratulate their Parents, Godparents and Family.

WEEKEND CHURCH BASKET COLLECTION 14TH/15TH MAY

HOLY CROSS - £360.51 **OUR LADY'S** - £485.96

SECOND COLLECTION - CLERGY FROMATION FUND

HOLY CROSS - £214.81 **OUR LADY'S** — £273.28