

THE PARISHES OF HOLY CROSS AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY) - 27TH/28TH MAY 2023

MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

SATURDAY - VIGIL OF PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)	27th	5.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Cornelius O'Callaghan RIP & Tracey O'Callaghan RIP
SUNDAY - PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY) DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH	28th	9.00am 11.00am 2.00pm 4.00pm	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS	Eileen O'Connell Intentions Catherine & John Heraghty RIP Baptism of Ivy Hustler Prayers for Vocations
MONDAY - MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH (MEMORIAL)	29th			
TUESDAY - FERIA	30th	9.30am 6.30pm	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Joel Taminang RIP Eph'pha'tha Healing Service
WEDNESDAY - THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (FEAST)	31st	11.00am 12.00 noon	HOLY CROSS HOLY CROSS	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Angela Ward RIP
THURSDAY - OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST (FEAST)	1st	9.30am 10.00am	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	For Lottie, Amelia & Billy exams Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
FRIDAY - FERIA	2nd	12.00noon 1.00pm 7.00pm	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Wedding of Lauren Soutar & Robert Parperis Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Divine Mercy Chaplet
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (SOLEMNITY)	3rd	5.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Eileen O'Reilly RIP
SUNDAY - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (SOLEMNITY)	4th	9.00am 11.00am 4.00pm	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS	Bill Kendall RIP Clifford Stanlaus RIP Prayers for Vocations

<p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER June 4th - Lucas Ortega</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—WELCOMERS June 4th - Dominic Dixon & Lauren Whitehouse</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING June 4th - Henrietta Obiora & Sylvia Abaokporo</p>	<p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS Saturday June 3rd - Ifeoma Ude Sunday June 4th - St Margaret Clitherow</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS Saturday June 3rd - Sue Sullivan & Maram & David Gillott Sunday June 4th - Monica & Jane Maina</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR MAY Team B (Stefan, John, Eric, Madeline & Kathleen)</p> <p>REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS Sunday June 4th - Jason Young</p>
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RECONCILIATION: Our Lady's Saturday 4.15pm—4.45pm Holy Cross - Wednesday (after Mass)

Let us pray...Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and enkindle in us the fire of your love. O Lord, on this day of Pentecost, give us the grace and strength to go forth from our homes and parishes to bring the Gospel message to the world we encounter each day of our lives. Amen.



MAY DEVOTION
"The month of May, a time when the People of God express with particular intensity their love and devotion for the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is traditional in this month to pray the Rosary at home within the family. I want to encourage everyone to rediscover the beauty of praying the Rosary at home in the month of May. This can be done either as a group or individually; you can decide according to your own situations, making the most of both opportunities."

Pope Francis

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) this **Saturday 27th 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.

INTERNATIONAL MASS AT OUR LADY'S: We will be celebrating our International Mass on the **Feast of Pentecost Sunday 28th May**. We give thanks for the wonderful diversity we have here in our parish. We invite everyone to wear their national dress for a visual display of our many cultures.

EPH'PHA'THA HEALING SERVICE: The next healing service will take place this **Tuesday 30th May, 6.30pm to 8.30pm** at Our Lady's, Bulwell. Praise & Worship, Adoration, Healing Mass & Laying on of Hands presided by Fr. John Martin. All welcome.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023: Congratulations to all our candidates from Our Lady's who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time last week. Please pray for our candidates at Holy Cross who will receive their first Reconciliation on the 8th June. Keep them all in your prayers as they take the final steps towards receiving Our Lord for the first time in Holy Communion.

HOLY CROSS MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉ: We will be open again this **Wednesday 31st May at 9.30am (Holy Cross meeting room)**. This **FREE CAFÉ** is open to anyone in the community who would like to come along and enjoy a cup of tea/coffee.

BIBLE STUDY HOLY CROSS: The Bible Study Group will be meeting this **Tuesday** at 7.00 pm in Holy Cross meeting-room.

BISHOP PATRICK'S PASTORAL LETTER FOR PENTECOST is available to read, watch, or listen to via the diocesan website. This use of digital media allows us to perhaps share the letter with a loved one, family member, or parishioner who, for whatever reason, could not hear it in the usual way this weekend. To access the Pastoral Letter visit- www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/pentecost-letter

RECEIVING COMMUNION UNDER BOTH KINDS: A gentle reminder; after receiving the Host, can you please consume immediately. If you wish to receive the Precious Blood, approach the Eucharistic Minister who will say 'The Blood of Christ'. We respond 'Amen' and take hold of the Chalice, sip and then give it back to the Minister. The Minister will wipe the chalice after each person and rotate so the next person sips from a different side.

The practice of Intinction (dipping the Host into the Precious Blood) is not permitted under any circumstances.

HOLY CROSS LUNCHTIME GET TOGETHER: Come and join us for a church fundraising lunch on **Wednesday 14th June at 12.30pm** in Holy Cross meeting room. A chance to get together with friends/ meet new ones. Everyone welcome! Please register your interest on the form at the back of church so we can get an idea of numbers. Suggested donation £4 per person.

WALSINGHAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE: If you are interested in this pilgrimage, which takes place on **Saturday 17th June**, Our Lady of Good Counsel, Our Lady and St Thomas of Hereford, and St John the Evangelist have organised a coach. They have some places available and have asked if anyone from Bulwell or Hucknall would like to join them for this special pilgrimage. The coach will leave from Our Lady and St Thomas' church, Ilkeston at **8am on Saturday 17th June**. Cost £15 return trip. If you are interested, please contact the parish office: 01773 713532 or email Carrie at Carrie.leivers@dioceseofnottingham.uk Thank you.

OUR LADY'S MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉ: Every **Thursday** the café is open **10am-12.30pm** in the Parish Hall. All are very welcome.

BAPTISM CONGRATULATIONS: We welcome into the Christian Community, through the Sacrament of Baptism, Ivy Hustler. We congratulate her parents, godparents and family.

FAITH AND FOOTPRINT: MONDAY 5TH JUNE AT 7.00PM – 8.30PM Caritas invite you to their next online workshop with CAFOD on Caring for Creation in our parishes and homes. The session is a chance to meet others who are praying and working for a greener Church, or interested in the parish earning the Live Simply Award. This time we'll focus on: Planning for activities for the Season of Creation, which starts on 1st September; Designing a 'campaign journey' and assembling resources to engage parishioners; Hosting a screening in your parish of The Letter, a film about putting Laudato Si into action. To receive the Zoom link & book your place visit bit.ly/FaithandFootprint

HOLY CROSS PRIMARY CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY: There are some spaces for Nursery and Reception classes at the school. If you are interested please contact the school on 0115 9534577 or email Office@holycross.Notts.sch.Uk



WEEKEND COLLECTION 20TH/21ST MAY HOLY CROSS £379.29 S/O - £136 OUR LADY'S £531.65 £S/O £540
SECOND COLLECTION: WORLD COMMUNICATION SUNDAY HOLY CROSS £122.37 OUR LADY'S £211.55

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