

THE PARISHES OF HOLY CROSS AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - 8TH/9TH JULY 2023 MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

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| SATURDAY - VIGIL OF FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR | 8th | 11.00am 5.00pm | OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S | Baptism of Karolyn Kumako <i>Joe Hickey RIP</i> |
| SUNDAY - FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR SEA SUNDAY | 9th | 9.00am 11.00am 4.00pm | HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS | <i>People of the Parish</i> Catherine & John Heraghty RIP Prayers for Vocations |
| MONDAY - FERIA | 10th | | | |
| TUESDAY - SAINT BENEDICT, ABBOT, PATRON OF EUROPE (FEAST) | 11th | 9.30am | OUR LADY'S | <i>Intentions of Jack, Lisa & Darcie Duggan</i> |
| WEDNESDAY - FERIA | 12th | 11.00am 12.00noon 5.00pm | HOLY CROSS HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S | Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament <i>Dante & Teresa Squitieri RIP</i> Reception of Mary Ryder RIP |
| THURSDAY - FERIA | 13th | 12.30pm | OUR LADY'S | Requiem Mass for Mary Ryder RIP |
| FRIDAY - FERIA | 14th | 9.30am 7.00pm | HOLY CROSS SCHOOL OUR LADY'S | <i>Jane Gichanga RIP</i> Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Divine Mercy Chaplet |
| SATURDAY - VIGIL OF FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR | 15th | 5.00pm | OUR LADY'S | <i>Intentions of the Queally family</i> |
| SUNDAY - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR | 16th | 9.00am 11.00am 1.30pm 4.00pm | HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS | <i>People of the Parish</i> Catherine (Kate) Jackson RIP <i>Ghanaian community Mass</i> Prayers for Vocations |

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| <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER July 16th - Chris Wisniewski</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—WELCOMERS July 16th - Olimpia & Ciprian Blaj</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING July 16th - Henrieta Obiora & Sylvia Abaokporo</p> | <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS Saturday July 15th—Jo Tucker Sunday July 16th— School Community</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS Saturday July 15th - Sue Sullivan & Annette Scholes Sunday July 16th - Eileen Dowling & Family</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR JULY Team C (Monica, jane, Chinwendu, Eugenia & Muchene Family)</p> <p>REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS Sunday July 16th- Emmanuel & Nana</p> |
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RECONCILIATION: Our Lady's Saturday 4.15pm—4.45pm Holy Cross - Wednesday (after Mass)

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND - 8TH/9TH JULY SEA SUNDAY

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. Many are reporting more stress and poorer mental health. Sea Sunday is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate in church, by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously. Thank you.

SCRIPTURE GROUP

Continuing with our reflection on St. John's Gospel, a meeting will be held at Our Lady's parish hall on **Wednesday, 19th July at 7.00pm**, when we will be reading, praying and responding to John 1:19 – 51. All are welcome. Please bring along your own Bible.

ADORATION IN CHURCH ON WEDNESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

Please join us on a Wednesday in Holy Cross Church for Adoration at 11.00am before Mass. On Thursdays we will have an hour of adoration before the Lord at Our Lady's after the 9.30am Mass until 11am. This will change if a funeral Mass is scheduled. Please do try to come and have some quiet time of prayer and reflection.

BAZAAR MEETING AT HOLY CROSS

Holy Cross Parish Council will be holding an Extraordinary Meeting this **Wednesday 12th July at 7.00pm** in the meeting room to discuss specifically the Parish Bazaar to be held later on in the year. In order for this to be a roaring success we need as many people as possible to get involved and help. We welcome everyone with an interest or with ideas about the Parish Bazaar to come along.

THE PARISH COUNCIL SUB COMMITTEES AT OUR LADY'S

are now up and running. Posters showing members of each committee are on the notice boards at the back of church and in the church hall. If you are interested in joining any of these committees please let me know; we are still in need of support.

The next Parish Council meeting is on **Wednesday 20th September 2023** and it would be good if each subcommittee could meet before then, with a nominated person to report back at the Parish Council meeting. God Bless, Deacon Martyn

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

PRO-LIFE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

Archbishop Kevin McDonald will lead a pilgrimage to Walsingham on **Saturday 5th August** under the theme *Accepting the Gift* in reparation and prayer for the sanctity of life. Pick-up points will be in Arnold and Nottingham; more information is on the poster at the back of church, or from www.prolifepilgrimage.org

YOUNG ADULTS' BBQ AND MASS

Christus Vivit, the diocese's ministry to those aged 18-35, are inviting all Young Adults of the Diocese to join together for a Mass and BBQ this **Thursday 13th July** at St Barnabas Cathedral in Nottingham. Mass will begin at 6:30pm, followed by a free BBQ and social time together. Donations will be taken for CAFOD. To ensure that we can cater for those coming, please fill out this form if you intend to come: <https://forms.office.com/e/hdScqpxT4i> For more information email: joe.hopkins@dioceseofnottingham.uk

WEEKEND COLLECTION 1ST/2ND JULY HOLY CROSS £505.17 S/O - £136 OUR LADY'S £365.20 S/O £540
PETER'S PENCE SECOND COLLECTION 1ST/2ND JULY HOLY CROSS £169.89 OUR LADY'S £259.49

Loop System: Holy Cross will have their system upgraded this week. Switch your aid to the 'T' position to benefit from the system.

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES: Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell: Bridget Doyle Holy Cross, Hucknall: Rosaleen Walters 07513 725395
 Diocesan Safeguarding Contact; Rachel Campion safeguarding@dioceseofnottingham.uk or telephone 0115 9539850

PLEASE PRAY FOR MARY PATRICIA RYDER RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary Ryder RIP who passed away recently. Mary was a parishioner at Our Lady's. She was heavily involved in the life of the Friends of Our Lady's School back in the 70's and 80's when much needed funds were raised. We remember her son Paul, family and friends at this difficult time. Mary's body will be received into Our Lady's church this **Wednesday 12th July at 5pm**. Her Requiem Mass will take place this **Thursday 13th July at 12.30pm** followed by burial at Wilford cemetery. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



HOLY CROSS ANNUAL CHARITY GARDEN FETE

will be held at Paul Glover's house in Watnall on **Sunday 16th July 1pm till 4.30 pm**. There will be food, games, music and an ice cream van. There will be a shared table and we would like to invite parishioners to bake or cook their favourite family/cultural dish and bring it along for all to have a taste. If you are wanting to come along, tickets cost £5 and will be sold after the 9am Mass at the back of church. This event is for charity and a chance for parishioners to socialise in pleasant country surroundings, having fun and eating. There will be a raffle on the day and we would like volunteers to help with selling tickets after Mass. This was a very successful event last time so please come along and enjoy. God bless. Paul and Christine Glover.

BIBLE STUDY HOLY CROSS

Bible Study Group meeting this Tuesday (**11th July**)
OUR LADY'S MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉ
 Every **Thursday** the café is open **10am-12.30pm** in the Parish Hall. All are very welcome.

HOLY CROSS MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉ

We will be open again on **Wednesday 26th July at 9.30am** in Holy Cross meeting room. Everyone is welcome.

BAPTISM CLASS

Our next class for parents of children 6 years and under will take place on **Saturday 5th August 2023 @ 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 **Sunday 30th July**.

JOIN THE DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE FROM HOME

The Diocesan Communications Office will be sharing updates from the pilgrimage which begins on Saturday 15th July, as well as live-streaming some of the Masses and services so that those who cannot join in person can engage virtually. There is also an opportunity for individuals to share their intentions, which will be printed and taken to the Grotto with the pilgrimage. For more information about all of the above, visit:

www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/lourdesfromhome

MISSION UNLEASHED: AN EVENT WITH CARDINAL TAGLE

The Church has a mission but what is it? And how should we do it? Cardinal Tagle of the Philippines has responsibilities for evangelisation and mission in the Vatican and is an inspirational speaker. Join CAFOD online for Mission Unleashed: Embracing the Social Dimension of Evangelisation hosted by CAFOD on Friday 14th July at 7:00pm. To book your place or to be sent the recording, visit www.bigmarker.com/cafod/evangelisation All are welcome.