

THE PARISHES OF HOLY CROSS AND OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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SCHOOLS SERVING OUR PARISH

PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell
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SECONDARY SCHOOLS

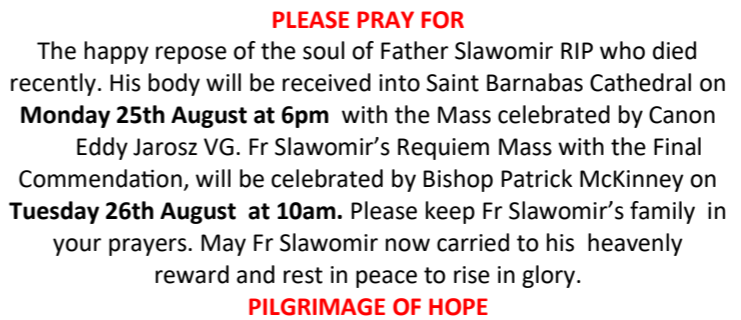
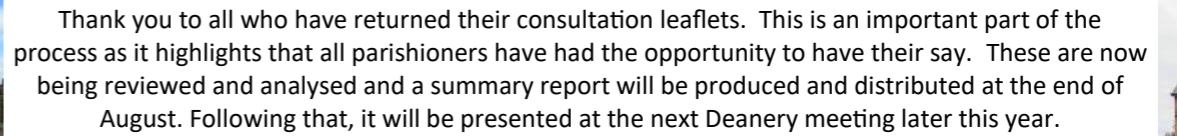
Trinity School, Aspley
Head Teacher — Mr. Matthew Shentor
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**Suggested Donation
for Newsletter 20p**

<p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER Aug 31st - Chris Ndubuisi</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH—WELCOMERS Aug 31st - Charles Nyarkoh & Bodwell Mendy</p> <p>HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING Aug 31st - Charles & Patricia Nyarkoh</p>	<p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS Saturday 30th August - Filipino Community Sunday 31st August - Ngozi Okochi</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS Saturday 30th August - Filipino Community Sunday 31st August - Jane Maina, Gladys Gathira & John Njoroge</p> <p>OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR AUGUST Team B (John, Madeleine, Stef, Eric, Gloria & Claire)</p> <p>REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS Sunday 31st August - Alberta & Ruth</p>	<p>A hearing loop system is available in both churches. Please set your hearing aid to 'T' (Telecoil) setting in order for it to work.</p> 
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FRIENDS OF JESUS OF NAZARETH COMMUNITY

will promote and pray at Our Lady's for an increase in vocations to the priesthood in the Catholic Church. Parishioners are encouraged to join the community for prayer. Thank you to those who have completed and returned the form given out at Masses last weekend.

If you have not completed yours, please do so and give it to a welcomer in the church or hand it over in the sacristy. You can also post it through the parish office letterbox, if you wish. The date of our first meeting will be announced shortly. "Pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest" [Lk 10:2].

MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉS
HOLY CROSS will be open again on Wednesday **29th October 2025 at 9.30am** in the meeting room.
OUR LADY'S meets every **Thursday 10am—12.30pm** in the Parish Hall. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES:
Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell: Bridget Doyle & Chris Reilly **Holy Cross, Hucknall :** Rosaleen Walters Tel 07513725395
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TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL: A YEAR OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Trinity Catholic School is celebrating a year of outstanding academic success across both GCSE and Sixth Form results. At GCSE, over 80% of students achieved a grade 4 or better in English and Maths and an Attainment 8 score of 5.52—well above the national average.

Our Sixth Form students also shone, with 24% of A Level entries awarded A–A grades and vocational students averaging a distinction. Many are now heading to top universities and apprenticeships, reflecting the strength and diversity of our provision. Rooted in our Catholic ethos, Trinity continues to nurture the whole person. We give thanks for the achievements of our students and the dedication of our staff, and we look forward to another year of growth, learning, and faith.

EXAM RESULTS MESSAGE

To all our students who received their exam results this week. Some of you will be delighted, some disappointed. No matter what the result of the examination, God will still love you, protect you and walk with you. We can trust Him with our lives because He has created us and ultimately knows what is best for us and He promises to be with us, forever.

THE MARY POTTER HERITAGE CENTRE

is delighted to take part in this year's Heritage Open Days Festival

Visit the Centre at 32 Regent Street, Nottingham NG1 5BT, on **Saturday 13th September, from 12.00 noon to 5.00pm.** It's a wonderful opportunity to learn, discover and explore the life and mission of Venerable Mary Potter and The Little Company of Mary Sisters through interactive screens, quotations, and artefacts.

"I am the way, and the truth, and the life, says the Lord".