

A Day of Discernment

Thinking that you might be called to the Priesthood?

Join us at The Old Friary, Gordon Road, Nottingham, NG3 2LG on Saturday 25th November from 10 – 3pm. A day of recollection and discernment for anyone 16+ who may be thinking of sharing God's love and care through the ministry of a priest. Beginning with Parish Mass at 10am, we will use the opportunity together to look at how God is calling us and what it means to be a priest. Lunch will be provided, and the day will end with quiet reflection and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone welcome! Please let Fr Paul or Fr Jonathan (our Vocations Directors) know if you are able to join us. Telephone 01159501064 or email: nottinghamvocations@hotmail.co.uk

OLSP Latin Mass at 2.00pm on Sunday 19th and on Sunday 26th Nov
OLSP Eritrean Mass at 3.30pm on Sunday 19th November

Mass at the Becket School – every Friday, there is a 12.15 Mass in school to which everyone is welcome. Simply turn up around 12 at the front entrance and the reception staff will show you to the Chapel. There are usually a few staff and pupils there, sometimes children from St Patrick's and visitors. They are lovely celebrations and a good chance to pray with and for our secondary school.

Becket School Christmas Market; Thursday 30th November 5 – 8pm. The money raised will go towards our Trust project 'Building Hope in Bunkpurugu' which aims to build a school in a remote area of Ghana where the White Fathers have said that there is an urgent need for a school. There will be cosmetics, crafts, Christmas cards, games, activities, a raffle, a licensed bar and delicious refreshments, so please come along and enjoy the event. Any donations of raffle prizes can be handed into The Becket School or given to staff from BRW / St Patrick's Primary to be passed on.

Taste of Italy: Italian course at Holy Spirit Church, West Bridgford. An Italian course for beginners is starting in January at the Social Centre NG27JW. The first lesson is **free on 12th January**. All information can be found on the website <https://benedettazanardi.wixsite.com/tasteofitaly> or by email tasteofitaly.nottingham@gmail.com

Pilgrimage to Lisieux ~ March 9th - 12th 2018 Full Board £300 sharing, £220 Single Room all with En Suite facilities.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes and Nevers ~ Saturday June 16th 2018 Full Board £550. Both pilgrimages are travelling by Silverdale Coach and P&O Ferries. For more information or a booking form, please contact Fr John McCay on 0115 981 0320 or jmccay1982@yahoo.co.uk. See posters for details

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Parish Newsletter

Sunday 19th November 2017
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A).

Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton. NG11 9BP
Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows. NG2 1JQ

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Masses and Services

Date	Time	Church	Intention	Priest
Saturday 18 th	6.00	CC	Peter Wayment RIP	Fr Jonathan Rose
Sunday 19 th	9.30	OLSP	Holy Souls RIP	Fr Jonathan Cotton
	11.00	CC	Patrick Daly RIP	Fr Jonathan Cotton
Wednesday 22 nd	9.30	OLSP	Holy Souls RIP	Fr Jonathan Cotton
Thursday 23 rd	9.30	CC	Thomas & Celestine Pereira RIP	Fr Joe Wheat
Friday 24th	12.15	Becket	Holy Souls RIP	Fr Joe Wheat
Saturday 25 th	6.00	CC	Holy Souls RIP	Fr Jonathan Rose
Sunday 26 th	9.30	OLSP	Gregory Wysinski RIP	Fr Jonathan Cotton
	11.00	CC	Ambrosio Reyes RIP	Fr Jonathan Cotton

Our parish schools

<p>St Patrick's Catholic Primary School and Nursery Coronation Avenue, Wilford Village, Nottingham. NG11 7AB Headteacher; Mrs Lane Tel; 0115 9152963. Email; admin@st-patricks.nottingham.sch.uk Website; www.st-patricks.nottingham.sch.uk</p>	<p>The Becket Catholic Secondary School The Becket Way, Nottingham NG2 7QY Headteacher; Mr McGeachie Tel; 0115 9824281 Email; mail@becketonline.co.uk Website www.becketonline.co.uk Family of schools Chaplains; Mr Tom Baptist and Mrs Marsha Kemple</p>
<p>Blessed Robert Widmerpool Catholic Primary School Listowel Crescent, Clifton, Nottingham. NG11 9BH Headteacher; Mrs Maylard-Mason Tel; 0115 9152392 Email; admin@brw.nottingham.sch.uk Website; www.brwacademy.com/welcome</p>	

Corpus Christi Christmas Fayre

Saturday November 25th, 11am -2pm in Blessed Robert Widmerpool school.

Donations of cakes, bottles, Christmas gifts and gifts for tombola stall would be very much appreciated, but most of all we would like to see as many of you as possible to share a drink, turkey cob and chat.

Raffle tickets are available at the back of church for you to purchase and sell.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions) will be available before the Saturday evening Mass and on request after weekday Mass. There are confessions daily at the Cathedral in town at 12.30.

Confirmation; get your expressions of interest in a.s.a.p. Forms available at the back of church.

Enter under my roof – Diocesan Justice and Peace Assembly. Sat 25th Nov, 10 – 4. St Mary's Parish Centre, Derby. DE1 3AU. See poster for details.

Items for the parish Bulletin??? Email them by Wednesdays to Fr Joe at sacredheartcarlton@gmail.com

Mass intentions; please continue to use the envelopes provided and post them through the presbytery letterbox or the church letterbox in St Patrick's. These letter boxes will be checked weekly. Do not simply hand them to which ever priest happens to be around!

Hospitals – urgent message. It is getting increasingly difficult to identify Catholic patients in our hospitals and care for their spiritual needs. If you, a relative or a friend goes into QMC or City, please inform the chaplaincy department either directly, through ward staff or via your parish priest and request a visit, specifically from a Catholic Chaplain. You will then be able to receive Holy Communion or Sacrament of the Sick in hospital, go to mass at QMC or receive a simple pastoral visit. **Do not assume that your parish priest or the Catholic chaplains know you are in hospital.** QMC; 0115 9249924 ext. 63799. City; 0115 9691169 ext. 56187.

Advent Retreat Day for Women – Meeting God on the Way. Calling all women! Will you be in need of some prayerful rest leading up to Christmas? If so, why not join the Advent Retreat for Women on Saturday 2nd December 10 am – 4 pm at The Presentation Convent, Chesterfield Road, Matlock DE4 3FT. Bring a packed lunch. To book in email: formation@nrcdt.org.uk

Emergency contacts; if it is a **genuine emergency** and you cannot reach Fr Joe on his landline or mobile, please try the Cathedral; 0115 9539839 or Holy Spirit; 0115 9814271.

Christmas Masses; after discussion with both Parish Pastoral Councils, the schedule will be;

Saturday 23rd Dec; 6pm. Corpus Christ (4th Sunday of Advent Mass)
Sunday 24th Dec; 10.00. Our Lady & St Patrick's (4th Sunday of Advent Mass)

Sunday 24th; 6pm. Corpus Christi. First Mass of Christmas
Monday 25th; 9.30. Our Lady & St Patrick's. 11.00. Corpus Christi

'Calling all Christ the King Alumni!; We are undertaking a project at Christ the King Catholic Voluntary Academy to find out what our former 6th form students go on to achieve, following their studies. You are an important part of our alumni and so we would really appreciate it if you could spend a few minutes completing a few short questions related to your time at Christ the King; together with information about your choice of career. If you would like to take part please email alumni@christtheking.notts.sch.uk. With your permission we plan to post this information on our school website. We believe this will support our current students; helping them to have greater aspirations, as they see the paths that former Christ the King Sixth Formers go on to achieve. To help us grow our alumni network, when you have finished your contribution and sent it to us please feel free to pass the information on to any former Christ the King students that you keep in touch with and encourage them to get in touch with us.



Our Lady & St Patrick's Brunch & Christmas Fair

After Mass on Sunday 3rd December. We need raffle prizes, donations of bric-a-brac and cakes and for you to come along! Raffle tickets are on sale now (you have to be in it to win it) and it will be a great event to start our

Advent Season. Put it in your diary get searching for things to donate bake away and then come along.