

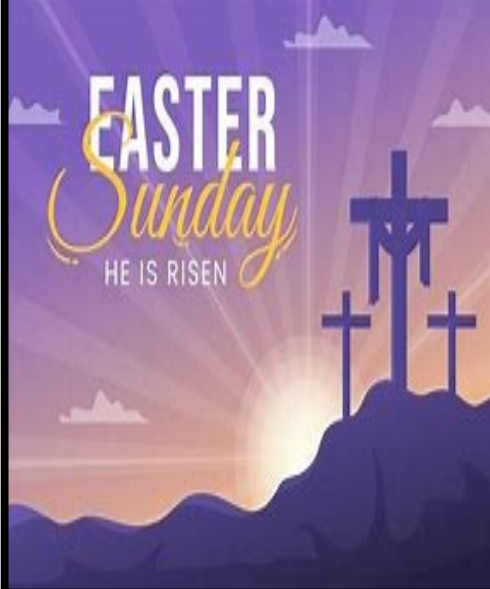


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		SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER - 27 APRIL 2025	
Our Catholic Community welcomes you to The Parish of All Saints, West Nottingham. It is lovely to have you with us as we gather.		Parish Newsletter 10p	
<div>CLERGY CONTACT DETAILS For Rev. Canon Stanley & Rev Fr Victor Onyebuchi: 0115 9295907 For Deacon Anthony : 07453 110911 PARISH OFFICE CONTACT DETAILS 0115 9295907 e.mail: allsaintswn@dioceseofnottingham.uk OFFICE OPENING TIMES Monday 9.00am until 2.00pm & Friday 9.00am until 2.00pm Messages can be left on all the above numbers and we will respond as soon as possible. If you have an item of news for the Bulletin then please email the office by Thursday lunchtime at the latest</div>		<div>Welcome to our Weekend Mass: Saturday Vigil: St Thomas More 5.00pm & St Teresa 6.30pm. Sunday Morning: St Hugh 9.30am & St Teresa 11.00am The live stream will continue each Sunday from 11.00am available via our Facebook page by going to the website allsaints-nottingham.rcdon.uk and clicking on the link</div> <div>SICK AND HOUSEBOUND Please keep in your prayers those who are sick in our parish. Also please pray for those whose anniversaries occur around this time. Please let the office know of any parishioners you are aware of who would like to receive Holy Communion at home and arrangements will be made for a Minister to bring them Holy Communion and a visit by Canon Stanley can be arranged for confession.</div>	
To set up on-line payments please use the following Bank details: All Saints, West Nottingham Sort Code: 30:96:18 Account #: 01782817		Collections: St Hugh: 20/4 £ + SO £143.82 St Thomas More: 20/4 £ + SO £151.93 St Teresa: 20/4 £ + SO £353.56	
Sacrament of Reconciliation: After vigil Mass on a Saturday and Sunday or by appointment with the Priest			
Psalter: Week 2. Weekday Cycle: Easter Season		REST IN PEACE POPE FRANCIS	
<div>Saturday 26 April : Saturday in the Octave Vigil of the 2nd Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy 5.00pm STM: Peter Bennett RIP 6.30pm ST: Maura Cunny RIP</div>		<div>We heard just before 9.00am on Easter Monday. The radio was on and the host of the To-day programme on Radio 4 began to announce in sombre tones some breaking news from Reuters agency: <i>the Vatican has just announced that Pope Francis has died at 7.35 this morning.</i> A feeling of deep sadness came over me. On Easter Sunday, we had watched him on the TV, at the Easter Mass in St Peter's making his appearance on the balcony. He looked so frail and his voice was so weak, yet he managed to give his message: <i>Dear brothers and sisters – Happy Easter.</i> His last message to his flock was to wish the world all the joy and hope of the Resurrection. Thousands of people were deeply touched by his determination to carry out his duty as our pastor, and this love for him as pastor of his flock has been vividly demonstrated by the numbers who filed past his coffin as he lay in state in St Peter's and who attended his funeral mass. He has now been laid to rest in St Mary Major, the basilica he loved so much.</div> <div>His words to us have always been ones which have spoken of God's love for each one of us. Each week in our newsletter we have received an extract from his Angelus address on the Gospel of the day; a little piece of wisdom from him illuminating in his own unique style, the way in which Jesus is alive in our lives, with us on our journey, consoling us with his mercy and offering us his forgiveness and the hope which we all need in our lives. In his very first Angelus message he recounted a conversation that he had with an elderly lady who wished to make confession:</div> <div>An elderly woman approached me, humble, very humble, and over eighty years old. I looked at her, and I said, "Grandmother" — because in our country that is how we address the elderly — do you want to make your confession?". "Yes", she said to me. "But if you have not sinned...". And she said to me: "We all have sins...". "But perhaps the Lord does not forgive them". "The Lord forgives all things", she said to me with conviction. "But how do you know, Madam?". "If the Lord did not forgive everything, the world would not exist". I felt an urge to ask her: "Tell me, Madam, did you study at the Gregorian [University]?", because that is the wisdom which the Holy Spirit gives: inner wisdom focused on God's mercy. Let us not forget this word: God never ever tires of forgiving us! "Well, Father what is the problem?". Well, the problem is that we ourselves tire, we do not want to ask, we grow weary of asking for forgiveness. He never tires of forgiving, but at times we get tired of asking for forgiveness. Let us never tire, let us never tire! He is the loving Father who always pardons, who has that heart of mercy for us all. And let us too learn to be merciful to everyone. Let us invoke the intercession of Our Lady who held in her arms the Mercy of God made man.</div> <div>May the God of mercy now hold him in his arms and grant him his eternal rest.</div>	
<div>Sunday 27 April : 2nd Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday 9.30am SH: Int: Akab Keg 11.00am ST: Donie Corey RIP Doubt no longer but believe</div> <div></div>			
<div>Monday 28 April: St George Patron of England 9.30am ST. Int: Evelyn Cronin RIP 3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet</div>			
<div>Tuesday 29 April: St Catherine of Siena Virgin & Doctor 9.30 am ST Int: 3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet</div>			
<div>Wednesday 30 April : Easter Feria 9.30am SH Int: Kathleen's Intention 3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet</div>			
<div>Thursday 1 May : Easter Feria 3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet</div>			
<div>Friday 2 May : St Athanasius bishop & doctor 3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet 7.30pm STM: CSJP Srs Associates & Families</div>			
<div>Saturday 3 May : Sts Philip & James Apostles Vigil of the 3rd Sunday of Easter 5.00pm STM: Eddie Curran RIP 6.30pm ST: Donie Corey RIP</div>			
<div>Sunday 4 May : 3rd Sunday of Easter 9.30am SH: Int: Calbert Leonard Tecson RIP. 11.00am ST: Evelyn Cronin RIP</div> <div></div>			



ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! JESUS IS RISEN FROM THE DEAD!! PRAISE THE LORD!

Dear Beloved Parishioners of All Saints

As the dawn breaks on Easter morning, we are reminded of the incredible gift of hope, renewal, and boundless love that this Easter represents. The Resurrection of our Lord is not merely an event in history but a promise of life and light that reaches into the depths of our hearts, transforming despair into joy and darkness into radiance of light

On behalf of Deacon Anthony and Fr Victor who joined us few months ago, I urge you to celebrate this glorious Easter with gratitude in your hearts, rejoicing in the victory of Christ over death and the assurance that we, too, are called to eternal life through Him. May this Easter season inspire us to extend the grace we have received, embracing kindness, compassion, forgiveness in our relationships and Parish community. As springtime unfolds around us, with its blossoms and new growth, may our faith also grow deeper and stronger. Let us walk together in hope, carrying the message of Easter – that love conquers all – to every corner of our lives. All Saints - Pray for us

Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed and joyful Easter.

God bless,
Canon Stanley Ofoegbu (Parish Priest)



JUBILEE 2025 EVENTS

JUBILEE CHURCHES OF PILGRIMAGE
Along with the Cathedral and seven other churches in the Diocese, Bishop Patrick has designated the Church of the Good Shepherd in Nottingham as a place of pilgrimage for the 2025 Jubilee Year. A Pilgrim Trail has been set up and a printed guide will be available at the church The Trail will be open for individual devotions after Mass each day and on most Thursday afternoons, subject to demand. Pre-arranged group visits from parishes are especially welcome - to discuss a group visit contact the parish administrative suite on 0115 926 8288.

THE DIOCESAN JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM
with Bishop Patrick takes place on Saturday 14th June, gathering at the Anglican Shrine with procession to Catholic Shrine starting at 1.00pm. Mass will be celebrated at 4.00pm followed by departures. If you would like a seat on Holy Family Parish coach leaving at 08.30 from Sacred Heart Church, 91 Carlton Hill, Carlton, Nottingham NG4 1 FP, plenty of on-site parking, email: ccen@dioceseofnottingham.uk or phone 0115 918266 to reserve a place – cost is £26 payable in advance.

CAFOD JUBILEE 2025
Cafod has published a Report entitled *The New Global Debt Crisis and it solutions* available at cafod.org.uk/cancelthedebt

JUBILEE OF GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY
which this year will be held on Sunday, 27 July, the Holy Father has chosen the theme: "Blessed are those who have not lost hope" (cf. Sir 14:2). These words, taken from the Book of Sirach, express the blessedness of the elderly and highlight the hope placed in the Lord as the path to a Christian and reconciled old age.



FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 27TH APRIL -
At Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Church Bulwell NG6 9ES. Celebration begins at 2.30pm and ends with Benediction at 3.45pm. Talk will be given by Rev Robbie O'Callaghan. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available after the service for 1 hour. You are warmly invited to come along to this great Feast day. For more information, please contact Madeleine Heraghty on 0115 9277973.

SAFEGUARDING PARISH REPRESENTATIVES:
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THE WELCOME TABLE: Friday at St Thomas More at 12.30pm until 2.00pm and at St Teresa's at 11.30am until 1.00pm.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED
Kathleen Wilson RIP. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kathleen Wilson whose funeral service will take place on Friday 2nd May at 11am at St Teresa's. We keep Kathleen and her family in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time.

THE HEALTH TEAM WHO SUPPORT THE NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE
need of some additional experienced team members for this year's pilgrimage. If you, or someone you know, is a currently Registered Nurses or trained and experienced Care Worker, who may be interested and can commit to being available for this year's Jubilee Pilgrimage between Monday 14th and Friday 18th July, as well as for a couple of training days on Sunday 15th and Saturday 28th June, please contact Deacon David Knight (david@sthughslincoln.org.uk) for more details.



The Holy Father, Pope Francis, died on Easter Monday, 21st April 2025

We pray for the happy repose of the soul of the late Holy Father

O God, immortal shepherd of souls,
look on your people's prayers
and grant that your servant Pope Francis,
who presided over your Church in charity,
may, with the flock entrusted to his care,
receive from your mercy
the reward of a faithful servant.
This we ask through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

We pray for the Church during this time of sede vacante

We pray, almighty God,
that your Church may always remain that holy people,
formed as one by the unity of Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
which manifests to the world
that Sacrament of your holiness and unity,
and leads it to the perfection of your charity.
Grant to your Church, we pray,
a new Holy Father, filled with your Holy Spirit,
even as we mourn the passing of Pope Francis;
that your Church may continue steadfast in faith
in confessing your name to the world.
Through Christ our Lord,
Amen.