

# PARISH OF ALL SAINTS, WEST NOTTINGHAM, SERVING THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

St Teresa of Lisieux, Aspley. St Hugh of Lincoln, Bilborough and St Thomas More, Wollaton.

Parish Priest: Rev. Canon Stanley Ofoegbu Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Victor Onyebuchi Deacon: Rev Anthony Cordes

# **CORPUS CHRISTI - 22 JUNE 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.

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### 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

To set up on-line payments please use the following Bank details: All Saints, West Nottingham

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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

#### 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.

lease 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.

> Collections: St Hugh: 15/6 £98.00 + SO £143.82 St Thomas More: 15/6 £136.68 + SO £151.93 St Teresa: 15/6 £452.83 + SO £353.56

Sacrament of Reconciliation: After vigil Mass on a Saturday and Sunday or by appointment with the Priest

# Psalter: Week 4 Weekday Cycle: Week 12 Year 1

# Saturday 21 June: St Aloysius Gonzaga 12.30pm ST 1st Holy Communion Mass 3.00pm ST 1st Holy Communion Mass

Vigil Mass of The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ 5.00pm STM: Roger Livens RIP 6.30pm ST: Int: Private Intention

# Sunday 22 June: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

9.30am SH: Int: Our Eucharistic Ministers 11.00am ST: Int: Thanksgiving Carl Alexis, birthday and blessings received.

# Monday 23June: Feria

9.30am ST.

3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

# Tuesday 24 June: Nativity of St Hohn the Baptist 9.30 am ST Int:

3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

# Wednesday 25 June: Feria 9.30am SH:

3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

# Thursday 26 June: Feria

3.00pm ŠT: Divine Mercy Chaplet

# Friday 27 June: Sacred Heart of Jesus

3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet 7.30pm STM: Int: Sr Bridget Rattigan (Jubilee)

Saturday 28 June: The Immaculate Heart of Mary

# Vigil Mass of Sts Peter and Paul

5.00pm STM: Sr Margaret Byrne (Jubilee) 6.30pm ST: Int: Prop Populo

# Sunday 29 June : Sts Peter and Paul

9.30am SH: Int: Peter Pullen

11.00am ST: Int: Michael Miji, Baldwin Miji & all Family members RIP

# **REMEMBRANCE AND THANKSGIVING - A LIVING TRADITION**

We instinctively go to the gospels and specifically to the accounts of the Last Supper in Matthew, Mark and Luke, to receive the instruction of Jesus concerning the eucharist. "Take this and eat it, this is my body", "drink from this all of you, for this is my blood", are the stark words which describe the command which Jesus left. There is though an earlier account which pre-dates the gospels by some twenty-five or thirty years and is therefore closer to the living memory of those who were present at the event than we may realise.

In his first letter to the Corinthians, which can be accurately dated to about the year 55 AD and therefore to within 20 years of the actual event, St Paul refers to the tradition which he himself had received concerning the events of that meal. It was, as he tells his community, the tradition which had been handed on to him and by implication handed onto him by those who had been present. St Paul tells us in his letter to the Galatians that after his encounter with the Risen Jesus, he had met with Peter (Cephas) and staved with him for fifteen days during which the account of that night, which he describes with specific details, must have been passed on to him. He speaks of the night of Jesus' betrayal, when Jesus took some bread, broke it, gave thanks, and said "this is my body, which is for you, do this in remembrance of me" Similarly with the cup after supper he said "this cup is the new covenant in my blood, whenever you drink it do this as a memorial of me". This account then is the most ancient and closest in terms of chronology to the events of the night of the Last Supper. Integral to the account which St Paul relates are the two themes of remembrance and thanksgiving, and it is these two concepts that are essential to our understanding of what happened then, and by corollary to what happens now.

The concept of remembrance as summed up by the Greek word anamnesis, is so much more than a simple recording of what took place. We are not looking back with any sense of nostalgia to that night. We are not trying to imagine ourselves amongst the disciples gathered in the Upper Room. Nor when we come to consider the notion of thanksgiving, as recounted by the Greek word eucharistein, should we do so with any concept of it being a redundant deed that sits in the dust of ages past. What we take part in is the living and life-giving tradition which has been passed on to us down the centuries, just as it was passed on to Paul. It is no re-enactment of a past event, but a here and now taking part in the on-going presence of living memory and active thanksgiving, for as St Paul says "whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup you are proclaiming the Lord's death until

Deacon Anthony



# This Weekend we celebrate the great solemnity of the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ - Corpus Christi.

Across the weekend within our three Churches 57 children will be making their First Holy Communion, receiving for the first time the real presence of Jesus in the sacrament of his body and blood.

We pray for them and their families on this their special day. May they now continue to receive him week by week as they continue to grow

in love and faith in their journey, understanding that his presence in the sacrament will constantly enrich and sustain them in their love for him and for their loved ones.

A special thank you to all the parents for their support and also to all our catechists for their dedication and generosity and example in giving of their time in bringing all the children to this most sacred of days.

### JUBILEE 2025 EVENTS

# **JUBILEE OF DEACONS**



The Jubilee of Deacons of the Diocese of Nottingham will be Celebrated with Mass with Bishop Patrick on the 12 July at 12.00 in St Barnabas Cathedral

### JUBILEE OF SEAFARERES

The Jubilee of Seafarers of the Diocese of Nottingham will be celebrated on 15 July with a second collection at all Masses celebrated that weekend for Stella Maris—the Apostleship of the Sea.



# 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.

# JUBILEE EVENING WITH DAVID WELLS -

Come along and enjoy a light-hearted talk on the theme Waiting in Joyful Hope by the Catholic inspirational speaker David Wells on Wednesday 2nd July 2025. Doors open at 7pm for 7.30pm start in

the Parish Hall at the Church of the Assumption, Beeston. The event is free, but please book a ticket as space is limited. Donations for expenses

gratefully appreciated. For tickets ring Kerry Garton tel: 07880534333

### MISSIO SUMMER EDITION OF MISSION TODAY

The magazine is at the back of St Teresa's Church, so anyone who would like one please do take on.

Anyone who would like their Red Box emptied please bring it to Church for Geraldine. She will empty the box, count the money and return the box to the back of Church for you to collect. Thank you.

# SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend at all Masses there will be a second collection for Peter's Pence

# **LOURDES FROM HOME - SIGN UP NOW!**

Join the Diocesan Pilgrimage from wherever you are, between Monday 14th and Friday 18th July. Free registration gives access to live streams and the chance to have your intentions taken to the Grotto. You can also order a Pilgrim Pack for just £10 (including UK postage) including prayer resources, the official pilgrimage book, a Robin Hood hat, and a candle lit in Lourdes for your intention, at: dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/lourdes-fromhome or email: communications@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information.

## **NEW EVANGELISATION PARISH TEAM**

"Faith is strengthened when it is given to others." — St. John Paul II

The New Evangelisation is the Church's call to rekindle the faith among the baptised and reach out to those who no longer walk with Christ. Many thanks to all who came along with their thoughts and ideas. It was good to listen to what ideas for mission and outreach in the parish and beyond.

We hope to continue to meet and from the suggestions and ideas formulate some activities which will launch this Initiative into an integral feature of the parish.

### EBI JENKINSON RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Ebi Jenkinson a parishioner at St Hugh's who has recently passed away. Details of her funeral are: Friday 27th June at 11.00am at St Hugh's and burial will be at the Highwood Cemetery. We encourage you to come and say your last farewells. Please pray for the repose of her soul and for the family at this sad time.

### **COFFEE MORNING AT ST HUGH'S**

Will be on Saturday 19 July at 10.30am. Come for Coffee and Cake plus a raffle and enjoy some down time with friends and Parishioners in St Hugh's Hall. All funds raised towards the St Hugh's Garden Maintenance Fund

# theASCENT IS COMING TO THE NOTTINGHAM DIOCESE

theASCENT is a three year discipleship process for Catholic young people in years 10-12 who want to embrace their faith in Jesus Christ at a whole new level and learn how to share it with others. At their heart they seek to disciple the few for the sake of the many so that the Gospel may reach the ends of the earth. Bookings are open now, visit www.theascentuk.co.uk/

## THE RELICS OF SAINTS ANDREW, MARGARET AND COLUMBA

will be visiting Saint Barnabas Cathedral on Friday 4th and Saturday 5th July, with a Welcome Liturgy prior to Mass at 1.00pm on Friday, and veneration throughout the day until the Cathedral closes at 7.00pm. On Saturday veneration will take place throughout the day, apart from during Mass or other services, and the Relics will depart after the 6.30pm Mass. The visit has been arranged by the Knights of Saint Columba in celebration of the Jubilee Year of Hope

## .THE SEASON OF ORDINARY TIME

During this time from now until September we are encouraged to pray for a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews. For Europe especially on 11 July (St Benedict) 23 July (St Bridget of Sweden) and 9 August (St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross) Patrons of Europe

## FEAST OF ST THOMAS MORE 22 JUNE

We commend all our parishioners to the intercession of St Thomas More, patron saint of one of our Churches on this his feast day.

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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.