



PARISH OF ALL SAINTS, WEST NOTTINGHAM,
SERVING THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF
St Teresa of Lisieux, Aspley (NG8 3EP), St Hugh of Lincoln,
Bilborough (NG8 4EX) and St Thomas More, Wollaton (NG8 2GA)
 Parish Priest: Rev. Canon Stanley Ofoegbu Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Victor Onyebuchi
 Deacon: Rev Anthony Cordes

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST-CORPUS CHRISTI 7TH JUNE 2026

Our Catholic Community welcomes you to The Parish of All Saints, West Nottingham. It is lovely to have you with us as we gather together as one in the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Parish Newsletter 10p

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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.

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. 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.

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: 31/05 £245.04 + SO £105.62
St Thomas More: 31/05 £ 90.40 + SO £119.29
St Teresa: 31/05 £ 433.24 + SO £335.38

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

Psalter: Week 2 Weekday Cycle: Tenth week of Ordinary Time

THE SOURCE AND SUMMIT OF THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

Saturday 6th June: Feria

Vigil Mass of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—Corpus Christi (Solemnity)

5.00pm STM: Int: People of the Parish
6.30pm ST: Int: Martin Kilbane RIP

The Source and Summit of the Christian Life is how the Second Vatican Council describes the Eucharist and it is, as it implies, the pinnacle of our understanding of what this moment of encounter means. St Paul in his 1st Letter to the Corinthians written some twenty years after the Last Supper, gives us the first record of Jesus' words to his apostles on that night. Words which have come down to us through two millennia of Christian history as sacred and precious. Words which have formed the basis of a ritual meal that constitutes and establishes the tradition which lies at the heart of the sacramental life of the Church. Words which have a unique and definitive meaning, transcending ordinary usage so as to become extra-ordinary in their application to what takes place when they are spoken within the Mass. Words which describe an experience that is so present and tangible to what is happening within our lives. "This is my body; this is my blood. Take it and eat and drink and do it in memory of me." Simple and yet at the same time so profound.

Sunday 7th June: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—Corpus Christi (Solemnity)

9.30am SH: Int: Terry Bonser RIP
11.00am ST: Int: People of the Parish

6.30pm ST: Sunday Vespers Evening Prayer of the Church

What is the memory that is being described? Certainly, it is not a recapitulation of a past event. Whilst in our minds we might image the scene in the Upper Room, what is taking place is a making present of a living, eternal moment for each of us. The encounter we experience is with the living, Risen Jesus and this needs to be understood. No-one really knows how to express it, or how to articulate it, but for certain we are not dealing with symbolism. Flannery O'Connor, the 20th Century American Catholic author is famous for using strong language of the eucharist regarding its symbolism, but her words make the point that if the eucharist is the source and summit of our Christian lives, then we need to grasp the impact of what we are accepting into our lives as something much more profound than the symbolic.

Monday 8th June: Feria
9.30am ST: Mary Coffey intentions
3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesday 9th June: Feria
9.30am ST:
3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

Wednesday 10th June: Feria
9.30am SH: Int:
3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursday 11th June: St Barnabas, Apostle, Patron of the Cathedral (Feast)

Friday 12th June: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity)
11.45am STM: Bertha Maria RIP
3.00pm ST: Divine Mercy Chaplet

Jesus knew what he was saying when he spoke those words and he goes on to double down on them. "Unless you eat my flesh and drink my blood you will not have life within you." "Unless I wash your feet, you can have no part in me." Unless a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it remains a single grain, but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest." Our lives as Christians must therefore be expressed in the same pattern of love which Jesus has poured out upon us. When we meditate on his words, we do so knowing that they speak to us of self-giving, of sacrament and of making present to the world the imago Christi (the image of Christ) in a world, that if truth be said, is more open and attuned to a self-serving and profane vision. We believe in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist. We do not live out our faith as a symbolic expression of what Jesus called us to become. No, we live it in the knowledge that we encounter him in his humanity and in his divinity, in all its fulness and in such a way that impels us to acknowledge him with an Amen, when we come forward to receive him, the source and summit of our lives.

Saturday 13th June: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (memorial)
9.30am ST: Adoration
10.30am ST: Mass

Vigil Mass of The Eleventh Sunday of the Year
5.00pm STM: Int: John Hughes and Deceased members of the Hughes family RIP
6.30pm ST: Int: People of the Parish

Sunday 14th June: Eleventh Sunday of the Year

9.30am SH: Int: People of the Parish
11.00am ST: Int: Valentino Chibbaro RIP

6.30pm ST: Sunday Vespers Evening Prayer of the Church

Deacon Anthony

BAPTISM COURSE.
The next Baptism Course will be on the three Thursdays of 18th June, 25th June and 2nd July at 7.30pm in St Teresa's Church Hall. The course is for parents of children under 6yrs who wish to have their children baptised. Please pick up an application from the back of Church or download from the parish website. The completed form should be returned to the Parish Office by Sunday 14th June.

FEASTS OF THE WEEK
Thursday 11 June: Saint Barnabas (-61) From Cyprus. He accompanied St Paul on his first missionary journey. Cousin to John Mark (generally accepted as Mark the Evangelist). Tradition has him martyred at Salamis around the year 61.

Friday 12 June: Solemnity of the Sacred Heart: A devotion which grew in the mediaeval era but was later brought to popular attention through the visions of Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 17th century in the French town of Paray-le-Monial.

Saturday 13 June: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary: Devotion to the Immaculate heart of Mary began as early as the twelfth century. During the seventeenth century in France, St John Eudes popularised this devotion along with that to the Sacred Heart. St Luke's Gospel twice mentions that Mary "kept all these things in her heart", pondering the word of God. Mary shows us how to listen to the words the Holy Spirit speaks to us in the depths of our hearts, and how to respond in faith.

WORD OF THE WEEK: EUCHARIST
The Eucharist is the source and summit of our faith. The Eucharist is a powerful way in which we receive Jesus Christ into our hearts and are united with him as one body. The Eucharist is a source of strength and nourishment, and as we receive it, just as the Disciples did at the Last Supper, we are reminded of God's love for us and of our call to love others.

SHARE A MEAL WITH THE PEOPLE YOU LOVE THIS WEEK.

PARISH MISSION PLAN
We have scheduled meetings on the following dates to discuss the mission plan within our parish as initiated by Bishop Patrick:
4th July Saturday at St Thomas More at 6.00pm
5th July Sunday at St Hugh of Lincoln at 10.30am
11th July at St Teresa of Lisieux at 7.30pm
12th July Sunday at St Teresa of Lisieux at 12 noon

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2026
Our First Holy Communion candidates who joined the programme last year will receive their First Holy Communion this weekend. Please remember them in prayer as they take this important step in their journey of faith. Please also remember their parents, guardians, godparents, teachers, catechists and all those who supported them on this journey.

These meetings are an opportunity for all parishioners to get involved and express their views/wishes on how our parish will be missionary. We are all missionaries by virtue of our baptisms so your participation in this important time would be very much appreciated. If you are unable to attend any of the meetings above but would like to express your views please email the office with your suggestions and how you would like to be involved.

BE A MEMBER OF "THE TEAM"
AT THE BRIARS, CRICH FOR 2026/2027
Calling all young people/young adults aged 18 – 25. A great and amazing opportunity is open now for you to live in community at The Briars Retreat Centre as part of our new team. Being a practising Catholic take this time to grow in your faith and be open to a year of formation. Experience regular spiritual direction and training plus qualifications in facilitation, safeguarding and mental health first aid. Your accommodation, meals and a weekly stipend will be covered. Contact Erin Doughty, Director of NDCYS at director@ndcys.com We're looking forward to hearing from you!

100 CLUB WINNERS
Please collect your prizes from the sacristy.

April 2026	1st Prize £50.	No 72	Jose Momoj
April 2026	2nd Prize £25	No 24	Matteo Icardi
May 2026	1st Prize £50	No 42	Jude Alvares
May 2026	2nd Prize £25	No 96	John Reddington

THE LINK MAGAZINE
The June edition is now available at the back of church.

STUDENT EXAMS
Please remember all our students who will be sitting their exams soon. Please pray that our Loving God will help them to remain calm and focused, trusting in the gifts they have been given. May they know his gentle presence is with them always.

PARISH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
ST HUGH'S CHURCH: *to help with gardens at St Hugh's, hedges need cutting and borders need weeding. We do have electric shears for hedges. There will be a poster to add names for anyone wishing to volunteer in the Porch today. Please your parish needs you, if you can give just a little of your time it will make a big difference.*

ST TERESA'S CHURCH: *We are seeking volunteers to help with cleaning the church. This is a vital ministry that helps maintain our place of worship, and your support would be greatly appreciated. If you are able to lend a hand and would like to go on a rota please contact the parish office or speak with one of the clergy. Thank you in advance for your willingness to serve. We are also in need of 1 or 2 more teams to join the counting rota. This is normally completed after the 11am Mass on a Sunday at St Teresa's. The more teams that join, means that you would only have to do one weekend in 4/5 weeks. Training will be provided. If you would like to find out more information on joining any of the other Ministries within the church please email or contact the parish office.*

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The Welcome Table continues on Friday's at St Thomas More from 12.30pm until 2.00pm. Everyone welcome.