



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.

THE PARISH OF ALL SAINTS, WEST NOTTINGHAM

SERVING THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF
ST TERESA OF LISIEUX, ASPLEY, (NG83EP)
ST THOMAS MORE, WOLLATON (NG82GA)
ST HUGH OF LINCOLN, BILBOROUGH (NG84EX)

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If you have an item of news for the Bulletin then please email the office by Thursday.

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - 17TH/18TH OCTOBER 2026

Suggested Donation for newsletter 20p

SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	17TH	5.00PM 6.30PM	ST THOMAS MORE ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	CSJP ASSOCIATES, FAMILIES & BENEFACTORS INTENTIONS AGNES D'SOUZA & JOHN RODRIGUES RIP	PSALTER: WEEK 1 WEEKDAY CYCLE: TWENTY-NINTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET EVERY WEEKDAY AT 3.00PM IN ST TERESA OF LISIEUX CHURCH VESPERS EVENING PRAYER EVERY SUNDAY AT 6.30PM IN ST TERESA OF LISIEUX CHURCH PRAYING THE ROSARY IN ALL CHURCHES BEFORE WEEKEND MASSES SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION AFTER MASS ON A SATURDAY/ SUNDAY OR BY APPOINTMENT WITH THE PRIEST
SUNDAY - TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	18TH	9.30AM 11.00AM	ST HUGH OF LINCOLN ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	ERICA CHEUNG RIP ANN SHAUGHNESSY RIP	
MONDAY - FERIA	19TH	9.30AM	ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	PATRICIA WITHAM RIP	
TUESDAY - FERIA	20TH	9.30AM	ST TERESA OF LISIEUX		
WEDNESDAY - FERIA	21ST	9.30AM	ST HUGH OF LINCOLN	SERVICE OF THE WORD & HOLY COMMUNION	
THURSDAY - FERIA	22ND				
FRIDAY - FERIA	23RD	11.45AM	ST THOMAS MORE	BRO CHARLES DIAS RIP	
SATURDAY - FERIA	24TH	9.30AM	ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	HOLY HOUR/EUCHARISTIC ADORATION	
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	24TH	5.00PM 6.30PM	ST THOMAS MORE ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	BRIDGET & PAT LEVIN & FAMILIES JEROME, CELESTINE & VINCENT LOBO RIP	
SUNDAY - THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	25TH	9.30AM 11.00AM	ST HUGH OF LINCOLN ST TERESA OF LISIEUX	ANTON & THELMA DANIELS RIP KAY MCCRANN RIP & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE DUGGAN & DAWSON FAMILIES	

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Jesus has really rattled the Chief Priests and the scribes. He's given them much food for thought following the delivery of three hard hitting parables which have exposed them and their own stewardship of the covenant. They are eager to take their revenge and organise with the Herodians, a counterattack. It's the famous question, is it right to pay taxes to Caesar or not. They await his response with anticipation. Jesus of course, confounds them with his reply, which has gone down in history as one of his most famous. How do we view it ourselves, and how do we apply its implications to our own discipleship?

There is clearly a degree of wordplay going on here. By using the word ikon (image), Jesus is directing the thoughts of his listeners back to the book of Genesis and to the story of Adam and Eve. Humanity is created in the ikon and likeness of God and as a consequence all our deeds and thoughts have their origin in God and are a product of our Godliness. Therefore, as disciples we should have no problem responding. The gifts which we have been given are to be used to sanctify the world we live in, and that involves taking responsibility for how our own society is ordered. Bringing forth the message of the Gospel asks that we choose the preferential option for the poor, so that we make right provision for the care of all. Remember in last week's parable, we read how the kingdom of heaven is the gift to all, both bad and good. We must do all we can to ensure that our society is managed and organised accordingly, so that all are able to benefit from it. Jesus is not saying do one at the expense of the other, rather he is saying look into your heart and find there the source of your motivation; the love of God, which was planted in you by God, to be the ikon which you must manifest to the world by your own deeds and words of love.

Deacon Anthony

CONFIRMATION 2026

Bishop Patrick will visit our parish on the **26th November 2026** to celebrate Mass with the Sacrament of Confirmation in St Teresa's church @ 7.00pm. Our programme will continue on **Tuesday 3rd November at 7.00pm**. This is an important time for all candidates in the next step in their journey of faith. We are looking forward to accompany all candidates on this very important next step.

"Come, Holy Spirit, and guide us in all we do."

ALL SAINTS PARISH YOUTH GROUP

**Our Youth Group will meet again on
Sunday 8th November 2026 at 5.00pm at
St Thomas More Church Hall.**

RCIA PROGRAMME

We will meet on **Monday 26th October** in St Teresa's hall at 7pm. If you would like to join, find out more information or know someone who is interested in exploring the catholic faith please come along then.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Gina Owens RIP who passed away recently. Gina was a longstanding member of St Hugh's and will be missed by many. We remember especially her husband Gabriel, family and friends at this difficult time. Her Requiem Mass will be on **Friday 30th October 2026 at 11.00am** in St Hugh's church, followed by committal at Bramcote Crematorium at 1.00pm. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed she rest in peace.

ALL SAINTS, ALL SOULS - 1st NOVEMBER 2026

Nottingham Filipino Community would like you to join them on **Sunday 1st November from 3pm to 6pm in St Teresa's Hall** for a special gathering of faith, love, remembrance and family fun. There will be prayers to begin with to remember our dearly departed and this will be followed by a superheroes party for children. Please bring food and sweets to share and there will be a prize for best costume.

100 CLUB 2026/27

The total raised for Church funds by the 100 club for the year Oct 25 to Sept 26 was £1,510. Thank you for your generosity. As from October 2026 the draw will take place bi-monthly with a winning prize of £100 and a second prize of £50. A reminder to those who don't pay their club subscription by standing order that you need to renew your payment of £48.00 for 2026/207 by the end of October, otherwise you will not be in the draw. Please make your payment by bank transfer or cash/cheque in order to maintain your continued membership. If you are not a member of the 100 Club and would like to take up a subscription, then please speak to Deacon Anthony for further details.

100 CLUB WINNERS FOR AUGUST 2026

1st Prize - £50 - No 84 Melanie Phythian
2nd prize - £25 No 42 Jude Alvares

100 CLUB WINNERS FOR SEPTEMBER 2026

1st Prize - £50 - No 45 Maria Cummins
2nd prize - £25 No 35 Mike Harrington
Please collect your prizes from the sacristy.

CHRISTMAS FAIR 2026

This will be held on **Saturday 28th November** at St Thomas More Church Hall from 11.00am - 2.00pm. Please make a note of this in your diaries and calendars. Raffle Tickets in envelopes are now available at the back of Church for you to collect. As with last year please sign up on the form with your contact details and return your counterfoils and proceeds in the envelope to Church. Also a box is at the back of Church to collect prizes for the tombola and bottles of wine and spirits for the stalls.

THE NEW WINDOW AT ST THOMAS MORE

We have received a number of donations and pledges for which we are deeply grateful. If you wish to make a contribution, please speak with Deacon Anthony for further details.

INFORMATION ABOUT SCHOOLS ADMISSIONS

If you have a child who will be 5 years old between 1st September 2027 and 31st August 2028 and would like to apply for a place at St-Teresa's Catholic Primary School please make your application on the Nottingham City website before 15th January 2027. We have an open morning at school on **Thursday 26th November**, 9.30am-11.00am (by appointment only) for those parents who would like to visit.

IMPORTANT: When applying for a school place at St-Teresa's Primary school, in addition to your online application with Admissions, please also complete the Supplementary Form which can be found on the school website. Please remember to also provide a copy of your child's baptism certificate. For further help and support please ring the school office on 0115 9155762.

RED BOX MISSIO

Missio autumn magazine is now available at the back of church. Please take a copy. If you wish to have your box emptied please bring to the sacristy and Geraldine will collect.

Thank you for your continued support.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

will be taken for World Mission Sunday.

LINK MAGAZINE

The October edition is now available at the back of our churches.

WORD OF THE WEEK: JUSTICE

Justice is a key virtue in the Catholic faith. It's about treating everyone fairly and ensuring that everyone has what they need to live a dignified life. We're called to speak up for those who are marginalised or oppressed, to challenge systems that perpetuate injustice, and to work towards a world where everyone is treated with respect and compassion.

Think of a situation in the world that is unfair. Work together with others in your community to raise awareness and to work for justice.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

St Teresa's £368.83 **S/O** £335.38
St Thomas More £118.10 **S/O** £119.29
St Hugh's £244.34 **S/O** £105.62

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS TO DONATE

PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:
ALL SAINTS WEST NOTTM RCP
SORT CODE: 30-96-18 ACCOUNT NO: 01782817

WELCOME TABLE - EVERYONE WELCOME

THE WELCOME TABLE CONTINUES ON FRIDAY'S AT ST THOMAS MORE FROM 12.30PM UNTIL 2.00PM. EVERYONE WELCOME.

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 or Fr Victor can be arranged for confession.

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