

## PARISH ..

- **Final decision on Building Project from the diocese early May.**
- **NEW WEBSITE** stmarys-boston.rcdon.uk We have a new website now for the parish which is much improved.

**Gift Aid Boxes - New Tax Year 2026/2027** Are available to collect from the Narthex . **The new Tax Year starts Saturday / Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> / 12<sup>th</sup> April 2026**- Those registered for gift aid and use the boxes please pick up from the back of the church. **Please do not use the new BLUE envelopes before 11<sup>th</sup> / 12<sup>th</sup> April and do not use the old YELLOW envelopes after 4<sup>th</sup> / 5<sup>th</sup> April.** Your donation must be in the correct envelope for each weekend of the donation. If you do not attend Mass on a particular weekend, please place your next donation in the following weeks envelope. If you want to change to a standing order, please set this up with your personal bank and inform myself (you do not need a gift aid box for standing order). If your circumstances have changed and you are no longer paying tax, or have changed address please let Fr. Dominic and myself know so we can amend our records. Thank you for your co-operation. If you have any queries my contact details are: 07778840886.

Chaz Mayhew

**CHILDREN'S CLOTHING BANK:** The Women's Guild is operating a clothing bank, initially for clothes to fit under 11 year olds. If you don't have any children you may purchase new underwear and socks. Thanks for the kind donations of excellent quality already received. **If donations need collecting text: C.C.B to 07827274251**

If you would like to be on the parish email circular, please send an email to: [info@saintmarysboston.org.uk](mailto:info@saintmarysboston.org.uk) **New Website: stmarys-boston.rcdon.uk**

FACE BOOK



**DONATIONS:** Just scan the QR code with your phone to donate to our parish. Don't forget to gift aid if you can.



## In the Parish of Saint Mary's Our Lady of the Rosary



*The Lord is risen, Alleluia!*

*He has risen indeed! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

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Deacon Martyn Chambers, Deacon David Witherick (Ret.)  
Priest to the Polish Community: Fr Stanisław Kowalski SChR,  
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Hospital: Pilgrim Hospital, Sibsey Road, Boston PE21 9QS  
Prison: HMP North Sea Camp

*If you know of a parishioner who is an in-patient at the Pilgrim hospital, please contact Father at the Presbytery 01205 362056 or Deacon Martyn.*

## Liturgical calendar

Day	Date	Time		Liturgical Calendar	Mass Intention
Saturday	18	4.00pm	Eng	Vigil	<i>Molly Malin RIP</i>
Sunday	19	8.30am 10.00am	Eng Eng	<b>Third Sunday of Easter</b>	<i>Pia&amp;Thomas Parish</i>
Monday	20	<b>Prison</b>	Eng	Easter Feria	
Tuesday	21	9.30am	Eng	Easter Feria	<i>Suffering Christians</i>
Wed.	22	7.00am	Eng	Easter Feria	<i>Priests</i>
Thurs.	23	12.30pm	Eng	Saint George	<i>Pia and Thomas</i>
Friday	24	7.00pm	Eng	Easter Feria	
Saturday	25	4.00pm	Eng	St Mark Easter Feria	
Sunday	26	8.30am 10.00am	Eng Eng	<b>Fourth Sunday of Easter</b>	

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April 4.30pm – 5.30pm Holy Hour** – requested by Bishops to pray specifically for a culture of life in our lands.

**Adoration/Holy Hour:** Sunday 4.30pm Tuesday 8.15am Friday 6.00pm

**Confessions:** Saturday 3.20pm-3.50pm Sunday 7.50am-8.20pm and 9.30am-9.50am  
Before weekday masses and on request.

**Divine Mercy:** Wednesday 2.00pm

**Polish Masses** Sunday 12.30pm and 7.30pm

**Lithuanian Masses:** 6.00pm Sat April 25<sup>th</sup>; May 23<sup>rd</sup>; June 27<sup>th</sup>;



## DATES FOR THE DIARY

**25<sup>th</sup> April Saturday:** Pro-Life Chain Tritton Road Lincoln Road 11am - 1pm

**9<sup>th</sup> May:** Retreat Day for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist @ SS Peter and Paul

**9/10<sup>th</sup> May** Parish Visitation by V.G. Canon Eddy Jarosz

**SPECIAL JUBILEE YEAR OF ST FRANCIS** 10 JAN '26 – 10 JAN '27 Marking 800 years since his death.

Normal conditions plus a visit to a Franciscan place of worship

**Catechesis Available/ Courses running:** 1) 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion-restarts Sept.  
2) Young Teens ages 13-15 group Sat pm 3) Confirmation combined with older teens Sat pm  
4) Rosary Group ages 9-12 Sat am 5) Adult catechesis Friday am  
(See Father if interested)

### **Financials: March 5 weeks**

- Offertory Loose £1852 Envelopes (GA) £291 Dona £992
- Standing Orders £2091 Votive Candles £136 TOTAL: £5362

### **FINANCE**

FINANCE "GIFT AID: The December 2025 quarterly return amounting to £7,286.00 has been submitted to HMRC slightly later than planned due to a technical problem. Thank you for all your gift aid donations to our parish via envelope, standing order or the card machine at the entrance to the church. If you have recently joined our parish or started to pay income tax on personal income, please consider completing a Gift Aid declaration. For further information and help, please contact me on 07778840886 or email giftaid.bt@dioceseofnottingham.uk. Many thanks, Chaz Mayhew If donating by cheque please make it payable to Boston Roman Catholic Parish. Thank you for your financial support and those too who pay through the bank. "

**PLEASE SEE BACK PAGE FOR IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING ENVELOPES**

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** 26<sup>th</sup> April Clergy Form. 17<sup>th</sup> May Catholic Communications

### **OF YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR**

- The sick and housebound and for those who need your prayers, Sadie Wheate, Rosalyn, Mary, Fay Cowell, David Locking. Michael Campbell; Sally Wallington; ; Elizabeth Hunter; Sharon Peates, Margaret Fretwell.
- Margaret Lilley RIP Nicholas Cornell RIP David Murphy RIP