



THE PARISH OF ST. PATRICK & ST. GEORGE



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WEEKLY BULLETIN 10th – 16th OCTOBER 2021

TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY OF YEAR B

Sunday, 10th October	St Patrick's, Forest Town	11.00 am Mass	<i>People of the Parish</i>
Tuesday, 12th October	St Patrick's School	2.15 pm Mass	<i>School Community</i>
Sunday, 17th October	St Patrick's, Forest Town	11.00 am Mass	<i>Mary McGranaghan RIP</i>

ROTAS

Sunday, 10th October	Mass	Stewards: Jackie & Colin	Reader: Ian
		Counters: Jackie & Colin	Cleaning: Rosie & Sheila
Sunday, 17th October	Mass	Stewards: Jackie & Colin	Reader: Angela
		Counters: Kevin & Sheila	Cleaning: Cath, Ian & Val

OTHER LOCAL MASSES FROM 4th/5th SEPTEMBER

Saturday St Joseph, Ollerton 5.00 pm St Joseph, Shirebrook 5.00 pm St Philip Neri 6.00 pm
Sunday St Teresa's, Warsop 9.00 am St Philip Neri 9.00 am, 11.00 am and 5.00 pm

BOOKINGS WILL NO LONGER BE REQUIRED FOR MASS. HOWEVER, IN THE INTERESTS OF HEALTH AND SAFETY, PARISHIONERS ATTENDING MASS ARE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED TO CONTINUE WEARING FACE MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING OF AT LEAST ONE METRE SHOULD BE OBSERVED.

LIVE MASS STREAMS THIS WEEK: Please refer to the Diocesan website for details of live-streamed Masses. Bishop Patrick's channel on YouTube also has details. See also www.mass-online.org or www.churchservices.tv and www.vaticannews.va for other live-streamed services and messages from Pope Francis.

Your Prayers are requested for: Mary S; Stephanie W; Garry; Malcolm S; Jay; Liz T (Anne's niece); Jackson L (in thanksgiving for a recovery from his operation); Martin M; Rosemary S; Tina T; Mary C, KP (Karen's brother-in-law), Joseph D, Noel De L; Danny De L; Dianna B, Mary M, Theresa D; Ron and Jean M; Claire D, Richard G-O and Mrs C. Casey . All those suffering from the coronavirus and those working in the NHS or Care Services; those working in essential services to keep our country functioning. *Please let Fr John know of anyone who would like to be remembered in our prayers.*

Prayer for the Year of Saint Joseph: Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

Food Bank: The Food Bank is being used by an increasing number of families but the amount donated has severely dropped. We are running short of lots of items. Please donate if you can by leaving the items at the back of the church or delivering them to the Stables Centre, Mansfield Woodhouse on a Thursday afternoon between 1.30 and 3.30pm. Items most needed are: cleaning materials (washing up liquid, surface cleaner, laundry detergent), toiletries, tinned hot or cold meat, fruit juice, coffee, size 5 nappies. Thank you for your continued generosity.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF PATRICK KYNE (Fr John's father, who died last weekend. Our prayers and thoughts are with Fr John and his family.

OCTOBER – MONTH OF THE ROSARY: October is traditionally the month of the Rosary and we are encouraged by the Holy Father to pray this lovely prayer each day during the month.

FIRST COMMUNION: We are hoping that children who should have celebrated their First Holy Communion earlier this year will be able to do so on **Saturday, 4th December**. Preparation sessions will be held on 10th and 31st October and 21st and 28th November after 11.00 am Mass. Further details from Mrs Smedley at St Patrick's School.

The Synodal Process in our Diocese

Pope Francis has launched a 'Church-wide listening process'. Each Diocese has been asked to prepare for the Synod of Bishops in 2023. Our preparation begins next weekend with a pastoral letter from Bishop Patrick.

We have also been asked to have adoration and evening prayer in the afternoon of **Sunday, 17th October**. This will take place in St. Patrick's Church, Forest Town, **4.00pm to 4.45pm**. It is essential that we respond to Pope Francis and that it is done in an atmosphere for prayerful listening to the Spirit of God.

If you are unable to be present at St Patrick's, you may wish to take some time to pray at home between 4.00pm to 4.45pm to be with us in spirit.

ST GEORGE'S CHURCH: Fr John would like to hold a meeting at 7.00 pm on **3rd November** in St George's Church, Rainworth, to discuss what the parish might do about this property. All welcome.

SCHOOL NEWS: Details of schools' activities are available on their respective websites and also at www.ololcatholicmat.co.uk from which you can access the **Be Inspirational** website for our younger parishioners. Parishioners are most welcome to come to the school Mass on Tuesdays at 2.15 pm

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED: Help with cleaning, counting, reading, Children's Liturgy and other ministries is welcome. Please let Fr John or Ken Daly know if you are able to spare an hour or two every so often.

CHURCH GROUNDS: The shrubbery around the church has been cut back to relieve visibility problems noted by Highways England and also to enable us to maintain the beds more easily. Offers of help with the watering of the newly seeded area (twice a day for the next four weeks) will be gratefully accepted. Please contact Ken Daly if you can help even on one or two occasions.

EMILY HARRIS FOUNDATION: Cory offers his sincere thanks to everyone who supported this Raffle in aid of the Emily Harris Foundation. A cheque for over £1,200 was recently presented to Clare Harris. Sincere thanks to Cory and Debs for all their work on this project.

BINGO IS BACK: Cory and Debbie are re-introducing Bingo Sessions on a Thursday at 7.00 pm in the Parish Hall. Raffle and Scratchcard prizes and refreshments. Proceeds to the Emily Harris Foundation. All welcome.

PARISH FINANCES: Sunday, 26th September Envelopes £120.00 Loose Plate £95.00 **Total £215.00**
CAFOD £233.25

Thank you for your generosity

FR PAUL'S INDUCTION AT CHRIST THE KING: Fr Paul is being inducted into his new parish on **Monday 18th October** at 6.00 pm and has issued an invitation to any parishioner who would like to join him for that occasion. Please confirm your attendance with Fr Paul if you have his contact details or on ctkchurch@sky.com or 01773 833174