

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS, MANSFIELD

St. Philip Neri, Mansfield, St. Joseph's, Shirebrook, St. Patrick's, Forest Town, St. Teresa's, Market Warsop

THIRD WEEK OF EASTERTIDE – 4 MAY 2025

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
Sat 3 May	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	Joan Maher RIP
	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Pat Roddy RIP (Birthday)
Sun 4 May	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Kate Lohan RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Sr Susan Richert Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Jackie Massey 80th Birthday Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Raphael Sartho RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Marilyn Dillon Intentions and John Dillon RIP
Mon 5 May Easter Feria	10.00am	Mass – St Philip Neri	Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit as the Cardinals prepare to elect a new Pope
Tue 6 May Easter Feria	4.00pm	Funeral Reception - St Philip Neri	John Dillon RIP
Wed 7 May Easter Feria	9.15am	Mass – St Patrick	Winifred Percival RIP
	12.10pm	Funeral Mass – St Philip Neri	John Dillon RIP
	6.30pm	Exposition & Confession - St Joseph	
	7.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	People of the Parish
Thurs 8 May Easter Feria	10.30am	Exposition & Confession - St Teresa	
	11.00am	Mass - St Teresa	In Thanksgiving
Fri 9 May Easter Feria	12.10pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Billy Fenton RIP
Sat 10 May Easter Feria	10.00am	Mass – St Teresa	First Holy Communion
	10.00am	Mass – St Philip Neri	Jane Burke RIP
	10.30am – 11.30am	Exposition & Confession - St Philip Neri	
	12noon	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Kacper and Marcelina Zuzanna Giza
	1.00pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Phoebe Roome
	1.30pm	Baptism - St Joseph	Dexter Brian Hamilton
	5.00pm	Mass – St Teresa	Bryan and Patricia Pearce RIP
	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	Eric and Bridget Harrison RIP
FOURTH WEEK OF EASTERTIDE (GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY)			
Sun 11 May	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Simon King RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Margaret Mollins RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	George Tuner Fitzpatrick RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Tom Dillon RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Kate Lohan RIP

CONFESSIONS

St. Joseph
Wednesday after
7.00pm Mass

St. Patrick
Wednesday after
9.15am Mass

St Philip Neri
Saturday
10.30 – 11.30am

St. Teresa
Thursday
10.30am

Readings Third Sunday of Eastertide Year C

First Reading
Acts of the Apostles
5:27b-32., 40b-41

Psalm Response
I will extol you, Lord,
for you have raised
me up.

Second Reading
Revelation 5:11-14

Gospel
Acclamation:
Alleluia, alleluia.
Christ is risen, who
created all things
and has shown
compassion on the
human race.
Alleluia.

The Gospel
John 21:1-14

**Schools' Word of
the Week: Faith**

CHURCHES

St Philip Neri
3 Chesterfield Rd
South, Mansfield,
NG19 7AB

St Joseph
Langwith Rd,
Shirebrook,
NG20 9RP

St Patrick
Clipstone Rd West,
Forest Town,
NG19 0BU

St Teresa
High Street,
Market Warsop,
NG20 0AG

All items for the newsletter to be received by Wednesday noon please

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Those who have died recently: especially, **John Dillon** whose funeral reception will take place at St Philip Neri on Tuesday 6 May at 4.00pm and funeral Mass on Wednesday 7 May at 12.10pm. **Pauline Mary Teresa George** whose funeral service will take place at Mansfield Crematorium – Newstead Chapel on Thursday 8 May at 3.00pm. **Christina West** whose funeral reception will take place at St Philip Neri on Wednesday 14 May at 4.30pm and funeral Mass on Thursday 15 May at 10.00am (Sister of Mary Ellerby). **Rosemary Shepherd** whose funeral reception will take place at St Patrick's on Tuesday 20 May at 4.00pm and funeral Mass on Wednesday 21 May at 9.15am. **Kathleen King** whose funeral service will take place at Mansfield Crematorium on Friday 23 May at 10.00am. Please remember John, Pauline, Christina, Rosemary, Kathleen and their families in your prayers.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions May 2025: Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfilment, families might be sustained in dignity, and that society might be humanized.

SACRAMENTS – CATECHESIS

RCIA FOR THOSE WANTING TO BECOME CATHOLIC – Dates to be advised.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION – By appointment with the Parish Priest.

BAPTISM PREPARATION – By appointment with Mrs Ann Marie Pearson (via Parish Office).

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION IN OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS PARISH FOR CHILDREN YEAR 3 AND ABOVE NOT ATTENDING CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: To be advised later in the year.

SCHOOL NEWS – Parishioners are warmly invited to attend our weekly school Masses.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – In all Churches. SPN during the 11.00am Mass only.

MASS STIPEND FOR CELEBRATION OF MASS: If you would like us to arrange the offering of Holy Mass for your intention at St Joseph's, St Patrick's, St Philip Neri and St Teresa's, please complete the Mass stipend envelope at the back of church or contact the office.

Next Mass in BOLSOVER: At St Mary and St Laurence Mass will be celebrated on Friday 6 June at 10.00am

EVERY FRIDAY: There is prayerful reading and reflection on the Sunday Gospel at the Convent in Shirebrook 7.00pm – 8.00pm. Everyone is welcome - just turn up.

DISCIPLESHIP AND MISSIONARY DISCIPLESHIP

CATHOLICS EXPLORING OUR FAITH: Have you questions about your Faith? On the second Monday of the month – at 7.00pm - 8.15pm in St Philip Neri Hall, we explore aspects of our faith and the questions you have. Each session begins with an experience of a different type of prayer (20 minutes). For the next few months, we will look at the Mass. At 8.00pm there will be a response to any general questions that have been asked at 8.10pm. - time to record any other aspects of the faith that people would like to explore. **The next meeting is on Monday 12 May at 7.00pm.**

SCHOOLS

All Saints Voluntary Academy (Secondary) Headteacher:
Broomhill Lane, Mansfield, NG19 6BW

Mr C. Cuomo **Tel.** 01623 474700

St Joseph's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher:
Langwith Road, Shirebrook, NG20 9RP

Mrs D. Seaman **Tel.** 01623 742609

St Patrick's Voluntary Academy (Primary) Headteacher:
Ling Forest Road, Forest Town, NG18 3NJ

Mrs J. Smedley **Tel.** 01623 478090

St Philip Neri with St. Bede Voluntary Academy (Primary)
Rosemary Street, Mansfield, NG18 6AA Headteacher:

Mr D. Steele **Tel.** 01623 489010

SAFEGUARDING

St Philip Neri: Danuta Allsop **Email:** danuta.allsopp@dioceseofnottingham.uk and
Theresa Croll **Email:** theresa.croll@dioceseofnottingham.uk

St Joseph: Kate Gilbert **Email:** kate.gilbert@dioceseofnottingham.uk

St Teresa: Margaret Booth **Email:** maggie.booth@dioceseofnottingham.uk

St Patrick: Cath Henson **Email:** catherine.henson@dioceseofnottingham.uk

HOSPITAL PATIENTS: If you know anyone in hospital who would like a visit, please contact the Parish Priest on tel: 01623 623458.

CORE GROUP MEETINGS – these are open to anyone wishing to come – if they are via Zoom – the office will give you the link.

St Joseph, Shirebrook, Monday 16 June at 7.00pm via Zoom.

St Patrick, Forest Town, Wednesday 9 July at 7.15pm in the hall.

St Philip Neri, Mansfield, Tuesday 6 May at 7.00pm in the hall.

St Teresa, Market Warsop, To be advised.

PRAYERS FOR A NEW HOLY FATHER: On Monday (5 May) at 10.00am in St Philip Neri Church, there will be a **Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit** in Mass in preparation for the Conclave, which will begin on Wednesday 7 May. The 135 cardinals will begin their deliberations on the 7 May with a "Mass for the Election of the Roman Pontiff" in St Peter's Basilica. That evening, the group will process into the Sistine Chapel, where they will begin voting under strict seclusion. You are invited to light a (battery) candle and pray the prayer below each morning and each evening:-

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created.

And you will renew the face of the earth.

Lord, you are our eternal shepherd and guide.

In your mercy grant your Church a shepherd who will walk in your ways and whose watchful care will bring us your blessing. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING:

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelope	Loose	Total	2 nd Collection
27 April	St Joseph	£103.85	£ 60.00	£ 84.97	£ 284.82	
27 April	St Patrick	£151.00	£135.00	£198.31	£ 484.31	
27 April	St Philip Neri	£492.65	£206.00	£854.55	£1,553.20	
27 April	St Teresa	£ 75.00	-	£ 51.56	£ 126.56	
27 April	Digital Giving	-			£ 73.00	

SECOND COLLECTION: 11 May – Clergy Formation Fund 25 May – Diocesan Quota

THANK YOU TO ALL FOR DIGITAL/ONLINE GIVING TO OUR PARISH

April 1st signals a year since the Dona [electronic giving] system was introducedwell done and many thanks once again for your generous use over the last few months of either the electronic donation machine at St Phillip Neri or the QR code to contribute to the parish. Thank you for embracing this new way of giving and you will have seen, it is not complicated..... and not just for the 'younger' ones! Thank you also for taking the time to gift aid many of these donations.

To reiterate, this giving works alongside our current methods of collections – there is no need to change the way you currently give. The QR code ['mydona.com'] is here....



Thank you for your donations, in whatever form, to our wonderful parish. **The Finance Committee.**

IF YOU ARE A GIFT AID DECLARATION HOLDER: Please advise your parish office, or the Diocesan Gift Aid Department (parish.giftaid@dioceseofnottingham.uk) **of any change in your circumstances, such as name change / address change / no longer a taxpayer.** If your spouse has died and the GA Declaration was in his/her name, and you wish to continue to contribute because you are a taxpayer, then a new GA Declaration Form will need to be completed. Please also advise of the date of your spouse's death. **Your continued support of both parish and Diocese is always very much appreciated – thank you!** If you do not gift aid your contributions, and you are a taxpayer, and wish to do so, please speak with your parish priest, or contact the parish office for a Gift Aid Declaration Form.

ST JOSEPH'S WEEKLY DRAW: Saturday 26 April national lottery Bonus ball number was 21. We have a winner who receives £20. **ST JOSEPH'S CAKE BAKE SALE:** The next cake bake will be on Saturday 3 May.

NEWARK AND SHERWOOD CONCERT BAND AND CREAM TEA AT ST PHILIP NERI: On Sunday 25 May at 2.00pm – 4pm at St Philip Neri garden/hall. Tickets £5.00 each, available from Mary Smith on mobile no. 07599 937327. Volunteers needed to set up on Friday 23 May at 10.00am and Saturday 24 May at 1.30pm.

ST TERESA'S COMMUNITY CAFÉ: The Café is next open on Saturday **3 May from 11.30am – 1.00pm.** Offering a 'Warm Space' and 'Hot Lunch'. Although this is our Outreach initiative to help the most vulnerable and lonely in our local community, everyone is most welcome.

FOOD BANK: Thank you very much for your continued support. Please leave your donations in the back of each church.

PILGRIMAGE IN ST PHILIP NERI'S CHURCH: Our Church has been designated a Jubilee Church in the Diocese of Nottingham. You are invited to go on pilgrimage in our Church. Pick up a booklet from the back and follow the reflections as you journey around the Church, pausing at points to reflect and PRAY. There are stands to help you do this.

CAPACITAR: The next session will be on **Tuesday, 6 May 7.30pm – 8.30pm** in **St Teresa's Church Hall**: Through CAPACITAR's gentle practices, which we use in a prayerful way, we care for ourselves and our well-being. The body, mind and spirit Practices developed by Capacitar are being used by many people around the world to empower healing, wholeness and peace, both in the individual and in the world, as we heal ourselves, *we can become effective partners in healing our world*. The sessions are stand alone and there's no cost. Come with a friend - to St Teresa's Church Hall, first Tuesday of the month 7.30pm - 8.30pm.

FLOWER FESTIVAL – ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL: Dates: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 15, 16, and 17 October 2025 from 1.00pm to 3.00pm. Please contact Francesca Holmes for more details if required on 01623 558153 or email: francesca8holmes@gmail.com

ON SUNDAY 18 MAY, WE WILL BE WELCOMING THE NOTTINGHAM CATHEDRAL CHOIR TO OUR CHURCH. They will be joining St Philip's Church choir and our children's choir for 11.00am Mass. This will be followed by a short concert in the church.

THE DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM IS LOOKING TO APPOINT A FULL-TIME COMPLIANCE AND SUPPORT PROPERTY OFFICER BASED IN NOTTINGHAM: More details are available at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers the deadline for applications is Tuesday 6 May.

THE 37TH ANNIVERSARY MASS PRAYING FOR THE BEATIFICATION AND CANONISATION OF VENERABLE MARY POTTER: Will take place on **Tuesday 13 May** at 1pm in Saint Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham, celebrated by Bishop Patrick. All are warmly invited to join us in prayer for the Beatification and Canonisation of Venerable Mary Potter. Refreshments will be available in the Cathedral Hall following the Mass.

A DAY OF WORKSHOPS AND TALKS ON GREGORIAN CHANT: Is being held on **Saturday 17 May** at Saint Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham, from 10am, and finishing with Sung Vespers at 4pm. Please see poster at the back of church for more details, costs, and a QR code for booking.

JUBILEE OF COMMUNICATION WORKERS CONFERENCE: The Communications Department invites all involved or interested in communications (Social Media, Journalism, Website, Parish Newsletters, plus any other means...) to the upcoming Communications Conference, celebrating the Jubilee of Communication Workers. Held at Cathedral Hall, Nottingham, on **Monday 2 June** from 10am – 2pm, the event will include a networking breakfast, a keynote input, workshops, Q&A, concluding with Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick, with the blessing of communication workers, and lunch. Sign up at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/comms-conference (no later than 26 May with limited spaces) or contact naomi.roberts@dioceseofnottingham.uk for further information.

YOUTH GROUP: If you would be interested in helping to establish and run a YOUTH GROUP in our Parish – please get in touch with Sr Susan.

YOUNG ADULTS (18-35) ARE ALSO WARMLY INVITED to join the Jubilee Lourdes Pilgrimage: For young adults interested in supporting pilgrims, deepening faith, and coming together as a community, contact charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk or visit www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-pilgrimages/diocese-nottingham-ya/

COULD YOU BE A BRIARS AMBASSADOR FOR 12 MONTHS? The Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service (NDCYS) has a wonderful group of volunteers who support The Briars Catholic Youth Retreat Centre through practical support, prayer and fundraising. The Friends of The Briars is hosting an Ambassadors' Day for those interested in becoming a Briars Ambassador, on Saturday 7th June between 10.00am and 3.00pm at The Briars, DE4 5BW. See the poster in church or visit ndcys.com/friends-of-the-briars/ for more.

LOURDES 2025 - We currently have about nine young people, from the parish and school, who have showed a commitment to serving the Diocese as volunteers for the 2025 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. We will, once again, be looking for your support and are seeking sponsorship for these excellent volunteers. If you or your business or someone you know is/are able to sponsor the young people, please contact Clare and Luke via c.lund@lolcatholicmat.co.uk). The young people will be running stalls and fundraising events over the coming months, so watch this space! As ever, we are so very grateful for all you do as a parish to support the young people, both financially and through your prayers and encouragement.

TAKE PART IN THE JUBILEE 2025 YOUTH WEEK IN ROME AND ASSISI: With the Kenelm Youth Trust, led by Bishop Timothy Menezes between **Thursday 31 July and Wednesday 6 August**. For more information visit: www.allsaintstravel.co.uk/RM0973/

NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN YEARBOOK 2025: Available at each church and are on sale priced at £6.00 each.

BISHOP PATRICK INVITES PARISHIONERS: To join the **Nottingham Diocesan Jubilee Lourdes Pilgrimage** taking place between **Monday 14th and Friday 18th July**. The Pilgrimage includes a full liturgical programme, with Mass each day; return direct flights from East Midlands Airport to Lourdes; full board for four nights in a three- or four- star hotel; assistance (for those who need it) from the Diocesan Hospitalité and Health Team. Prices start from £899, and more details are at: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/lourdes

HISTORIC PADLEY CHAPEL NEAR GRINDLEFORD: Is a Designated Pilgrim Place for the 2025 Jubilee Year, and more people are needed to help with the Chapel opening on Sunday afternoons and the occasional weekday during the Jubilee Year of Hope. Volunteers will be part of a team of two – four people with full guidance and support given. For more information email friendsofpadley@hallam-diocese.com or telephone Sheila: 07855 039711.

THE JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM WITH BISHOP PATRICK: Takes place on **Saturday 14th June**, gathering at the Anglican Shrine with procession to Catholic Shrine starting at 1.00pm. Mass will be celebrated at 4.00pm followed by departures. More information about events for young people to come soon.

NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN CATHOLIC YOUTH SERVICE (NDCYS) Invites young people aged 16-18 in full time education, who are unable to join the **Diocesan Jubilee Lourdes Pilgrimage** as part of a school or parish group, to join them in taking part in the Pilgrimage. Meet like-minded young people from across the diocese, be encouraged in your faith and serve others. You will be accompanied by our experienced staff and join with the youth contingent of the Lourdes pilgrimage with young people from across the diocese. For more information contact events@ndcys.com Bookings close on 1st May.

THE NDCYS is also organising a **Lourdes Reunion** on **Saturday 26 July** at Saint Mary's Church, Derby DE1 3AU. Young people are invited from 1pm, with Mass at 3pm, followed by refreshments for all pilgrims. For more information and to register visit ndcys.com/events-and-opportunities.

CELEBRATE THE JUBILEE AT WEBELIEVE: A festival of Catholic Life gathering the Church to share the hope that we have in Christ. From **Friday 25th – Monday 28th July**, join us for four days of music, keynotes, conversation and worship at Saint Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham. Featuring Dr Gianna Emanuela Molla (daughter of Saint Gianna Molla), Father Paul Murray, Monsignor Michael Nazir-Ali, AnMari, Father Toby Lees OP and many more. Early Bird Tickets are available now at www.webeliefefestival.com

CALLED TO LOVE: MASCULINE AND FEMININE, FRIDAY 9TH – SUNDAY 11TH MAY. A weekend for young adults, whether single, dating or engaged, exploring the nature of masculinity and femininity. The retreat, at the Christian Heritage Centre, Lancashire, will consider the contemporary challenges to being a man and a woman and the Church's wisdom for this, drawing particular inspiration from Saint John Paul II. For more information and to book visit <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/called-to-love/>

THE NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN MISSIO MASS: In thanksgiving for all Missio's volunteers and supporters will be celebrated at Saint Winefride's Church, Charnwood Road, Shepshed LE12 9QF on Saturday 10th May at 3.00pm. Bishop Patrick will celebrate the Mass, joined by Father Anthony Chantry (Missio National Director) and Father Patrick Bassey (Diocesan Director for Missio). All are warmly welcome, and to stay for the refreshments after the Mass also.

THE LESTER FAMILY WILL BE HOSTING A JUBILEE ART EXHIBITION FUNDRAISER: Over the weekend of **10th and 11th May** in the church hall at Saint Pius X, Narborough. This will be a significant event for the two local parishes as many non-parishioners are expected. Opening times are 10.30am until 3.30pm on Saturday 10th and 10.30am until 4.30pm on Sunday 11th May.

THE HEALTH TEAM WHO SUPPORT THE NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE: Is in need of some additional experienced team members for this year's pilgrimage. If you, or someone you know, is a currently Registered Nurse or trained and experienced Care Worker, who may be interested and can commit to being available for this year's Jubilee Pilgrimage between **Monday 14th and Friday 18th July**, as well as for a couple of training days on Sunday 15th and Saturday 28th June, please contact Deacon David Knight (david@sthughslincoln.org.uk) for more details.

THE SOCIETY OF SAINT GREGORY IS HOSTING A SUMMER SCHOOL BETWEEN WEDNESDAY 30TH JULY AND SATURDAY 2ND AUGUST: With the theme of Jubilee and Hope reflected in the liturgies and music, providing an opportunity to reflect on how to take the message of hope back to our parish communities. Further details from summerschool@ssg.org.uk