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WEEKLY BULLETIN 25th APRIL – 1st May 2021

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR B

Saturday, 24th April	St Joseph's, Ollerton	5.00 pm Mass	<i>Rafael Samson Patag RIP</i>
	St Patrick's, Forest Town	6.30 pm Mass	<i>Arthur Boulton RIP</i>
Sunday, 25th April	St Patrick's, Forest Town	11.00 am Mass	<i>Parish Intentions</i>
Tuesday, 27th April	St Joseph's, Ollerton	10.00 am Mass	<i>Donal O'Leary Well-being</i>
Wednesday, 28th April	St Patrick's, Forest Town	10.00 am Mass	<i>Mick Diggin RIP</i>
Thursday, 29th April	St Patrick's, Forest Town	10.00 am Mass	<i>Private Intention</i>
Friday, 30th April	St Joseph's, Ollerton	10.00 am Mass	<i>Carolina Pietrzak RIP</i>
Saturday, 1st May	St Joseph's, Ollerton	5.00 pm Mass	<i>Parish Intentions</i>
	St Patrick's, Forest Town	6.30 pm Mass	<i>Holy Souls</i>
Sunday, 2nd May	St Patrick's, Forest Town	11.00 am Mass	<i>Parish Intentions</i>

ROTAS

Saturday, 24th April	Mass Stewards:	Jackie & Colin	Reader: Isobel
Sunday, 25th April	Mass Stewards:	Dilys & Linda	Reader: Ian
	Counters:	Angela & Andrew	
Saturday, 1st May	Mass Stewards:	Michael & Angela	Reader: James
Sunday, 2nd May	Mass Stewards:	Kevin & Sheila	Reader: Mary W
	Counters:	Ken & Rosie	

MASS BOOKINGS: To book a place at Mass in St Patrick's, please e-mail patrickftmass@gmail.com or telephone 01623 622705 and leave your details. Masses in St Joseph's can be booked on stjosephmassbooking@gmail.com or 07908 310044. No bookings required for weekday Masses.

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: Michael Ginniver; 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; John 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; Fr John C, 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 Paul 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.*

Bible in One Year is an app on which you can listen to or read or both if desired. Each day there is a psalm, readings from the New and Old Testament, some prayers and a resume of the readings. It lasts approximately 20 minutes and it can be a great source of solace in these very difficult times.

FOOD BANK: Thank you very much for the continued generous donations of goods and cash. Angela Grabowski will deliver any donations left at the back of Church to the foodbank. Alternatively, they can be taken directly to the foodbank on a Monday or Thursday between 1.30 and 3.30pm at the Stables Centre, Mansfield Woodhouse.

Items urgently needed: *cleaning materials (surface cleaner, fairy liquid), nappies sizes 3 and 4, toiletries (especially liquid soap, shampoo, roll-on deodorant and men's shaving foam), tins of hot and cold meat (tinned casseroles and meat pies, ham and corned beef), tinned spaghetti.*

FAITH IN FAMILIES: For those parishioners who may want to set up a standing order in favour of Faith in Families details are as follows, Faith in Families a/c no 4344 5860, sort code 30-96-18 and the reference will be s/o and your surname. Jackie and Colin Massey are still happy to collect boxes and bank the money as they have done for many years

"I HEAR MY LOVE" (Catholics and Scripture): This lovely book by Fr Anthony Pateman, one of our retired Diocesan priests, is available for a donation (£10 is suggested) to a charity working on providing wells in Uganda and Kenya. Please see Fr Paul if you wish to order a copy.

Upcoming Events: Day of Prayer for Victims and Survivors of Abuse (DPSA), **4th May 2021.**

Let us Dream - Eastertide Reflections: The Spirituality Committee of the Bishops' Conference has produced a series of reflections based on Pope Francis' book 'Let us Dream' for individual and parish use throughout the Easter Season.

FROM BISHOP PATRICK: Complete the survey: How has Covid-19 Affected You and Your Faith?

Bishop Patrick would like to hear from you! The Diocese of Nottingham has launched a short survey in order to deepen its understanding of Covid-19's impact on all Catholics across the diocese. Bishop Patrick is eager to know more about peoples' experiences of the pandemic, with a view to ensuring that the faithful are well supported and understood in the years ahead. Please visit <https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/whats-on/news/share-your-story-how-has-covid-19-affected-you-and-your-faith> and fill out the short questionnaire. Please encourage other parishioners to do so. **The deadline for submissions is 4th July 2021.**

The post of full time Roman Catholic Chaplain (priest, deacon, religious or lay person) for HMP Stocken is now being advertised. Please follow the link for more details or to apply:

<https://justicejobs.tal.net/vx/mobile-0/appcentre-1/brand-13/candidate/so/pm/1/pl/3/opp/42456-42456-Roman-Catholic-Chaplain-Full-Time-Roman-Catholic-Ordained-Priest-Ordained-Deacon-Religious-Brother-Sister-Lay-Person/en-GB>

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.

Lead Lay Chaplain Required: There are vacancies for two Lead Lay Chaplains within the Diocese of Nottingham, at the St Thérèse of Lisieux Catholic Multi Academy Trust and also the St Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi Academy Trust. Further details are available at www.stl-cmat.org.uk/vacancies or www.srscmat.co.uk/vacancies Closing date: 4th May 2021

EMILY HARRIS FOUNDATION: Cory March is continuing his fund-raising for this charity and is raffling off a 19" television set which has been kindly donated by a parishioner. Details in the church porch along with facemasks at £2 each.

PARISH FINANCES: Sunday, 18th April Envelopes £132.00 Loose Plate £ 207.50 Total £339.50
Holy Places of Palestine £8.00 Other Donations £40.00

Second Collection Next Sunday: Catholic Communications Network

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