

**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**

**TWENTY-FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME – 25 AUGUST 2024**

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
<b>Sat 24 August</b>	5.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Maggie Deane RIP (Anniversary)
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Philip Moore RIP
<b>Sun 25 August</b>	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Mary Walsh RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Dorothy Kurkowski RIP and Bridget Booth RIP (Anniversary)
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Patricia and John Levy 51 <sup>st</sup> Wedding Anniversary Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Sheila and Alan Howes Intentions
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Jimmy Durkin RIP
<b>Mon 26 August</b> Feria	<b>10.00am</b>	Mass - St Philip Neri	Hughie Byrne RIP
<b>Tue 27 August</b> Memorial   Saint Monica			
<b>Wed 28 August</b> Memorial   Saint Augustine	9.15am	Mass - St Patrick	Holy Souls
	12.10pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Sally Sludds RIP
	6.30pm	Exposition and Confession - St Joseph	
	7.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Members of Hambleton Family RIP
<b>Thurs 29 August</b> Memorial   The Passion of Saint John	10.30am	Exposition & Confession - St Teresa	
	11.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Fr Michael Butler RIP
<b>Friday 30 August</b> Feast   The Dedication of our Cathedral	12.10pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Josephine Smith and Allan Smith RIP (Anniversary)
<b>Sat 31 August</b> Feast   Memorial   Saint Aidan	10.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Margaret Dellar RIP
	10.30am – 11.30am	Exposition and Confession	
		<b>TWENTY-SECOND WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME</b>	
	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	Martin Hanley RIP
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Bridget and Eric Harrison RIP
<b>Sun 1 September</b>	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Jim Higgins Intentions
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Andrew Storey 60 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Doreen Dillon RIP
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Margaret Barker 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  
Twenty-First  
Sunday of Ordinary  
Time  
Year B**

**First Reading**  
Book of Joshua  
24.1-2.15-18

**Psalm Response**  
Taste and see that  
the Lord is good.

**Second Reading**  
St Paul to the  
Ephesians  
5:21-32

**Gospel  
Acclamation:**  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Your words are  
spirit, Lord, and  
they are life: you  
have the message  
of eternal life.  
Alleluia!

**Gospel**

**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 0BT

**St Teresa**  
High Street,  
Market Warsop,  
NG20 0LX

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

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## SAFEGUARDING

St Philip Neri: Danuta Allsop and Theresa Croll      St Joseph: Kate Gilbert      St Teresa: Margaret Booth  
St Patrick: Cath Henson      *Our representatives can be contacted through the parish office*

## HOSPITAL PATIENTS

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

**Those who have died recently:** especially, **Neil Harris** whose funeral service will take place at Mansfield Crematorium on Tuesday 27 August at 2.15pm. **Barbara Massey** whose funeral service will take place on Tuesday 3 September at 11.15am at Mansfield Crematorium. **Margaret McGee** whose funeral service will take place at St Philip Neri on Thursday 12 September at 11.00am. Please remember Neil, Barbara, Margaret and their families in your prayers.

**Holy Father's Prayer Intentions August 2024:** We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

## AUGUST 2024 PRAYER PREPARING FOR Theme: Lay Leaders in parishes



Every little task that makes a parish run well, that enhances the beauty of the liturgy or reaches those at the margins, is building the Kingdom of God on earth. If we do it all for God then our work will never go unnoticed or underappreciated, and it will never be done alone as the Holy Spirit will take our little offerings and make them bear much fruit. In this month of August let us give thanks for all those in our parishes who work so hard for God and help us to see how he is calling each one of us to serve him anew.

**Loving Jesus, we thank you for all those in our parish community who serve you.**

**Bless their work so that it prospers and bears much fruit. Help them see that all they do is bringing praise and honour to you. Fill them with your grace and love that they don't become weary. Stir the hearts of all our parishioners so they may recognise where you are calling them to serve you in the parish or in the world. Amen.**

## SACRAMENTS – CATECHESIS

**RCIA FOR THOSE WANTING TO BECOME CATHOLIC** – Will begin on Thursday 28 November at 7.00pm at St Philip Neri.

**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** – We wish all our students and staff a very happy Summer holiday.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** - Our Catechists will have a break over the school holiday period. Children's Liturgy will begin again in September.

**CATHOLICS EXPLORING OUR FAITH** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the Month at 7.00pm at St Philip Neri.

**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 September at 10.00am

## 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

## FINANCE: WEEKLY GIVING

Date	Community	Standing Orders	Envelope	Loose	Total	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection Diocesan Quota
18 August	St Joseph	£103.85	TBA	TBA	TBA	
18 August	St Patrick	£151.00	TBA	TBA	TBA	
18 August	St Philip Neri	£492.65	TBA	TBA	TBA	
18 August	St Teresa	£ 75.00	TBA	TBA	TBA	

**PLEASE NOTE** – the “Standing Orders” total from each community indicates the **average weekly sum** received.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** 14/15 September – Evangelii Gaudium Sunday

### THANKS!! Digital and Online giving to Our Lady and All Saints Parish

Many thanks to those parishioners, and visitors, who have over the last few weeks either used the electronic donation machine at St Philip Neri or the QR code to contribute to the parish. As you will have seen, it is not complicated.....

This additional way of giving to the weekly collection has seen an increase week on week over the short period since we adopted it as an additional method of giving for the increasing number of people who don't carry cash (these are in the main 'younger' people). As was said earlier, it works alongside our current method of collections – there is no need to change the way you currently give.

The QR code or machine can now also be used for **second collections** and **other donations** if you so wish. Either scan the code [below] on your smart phone or try the machine if you are in St Philip Neri.

The first time a person uses their card to donate, they are asked if they wish to gift aid the amount. If you are a tax payer we encourage this. The process takes less than 1 minute to complete.....

**Name; House number (not address); Post Code; Email address** ...That's it!..

Any future donations will be automatically gift aided and take 5 seconds to donate.



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](mailto: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.

**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, Tuesday 24 September via Zoom

St Patrick, Forest Town, Thursday 12 September in the hall.

St Philip Neri, Mansfield, Monday 16 September at 7.00pm in the hall.

St Teresa, Market Warsop, Tuesday 10 September at 7.00pm via Zoom.

**FR PAUL SMITH:** I am delighted to announce that Fr Paul, who served in this parish for one year between 2020 and 2021, is to return to us on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Fr Paul has been serving in the parish of St Bede in Newcastle-upon-Tyne for the past three years. During his last time of ministry here, we were entangled in COVID guidelines, restricted attendances in church and mask wearing. Fr Paul got to know a lot of voices but saw very few faces. I know we will give him a warm welcome.

**FR DAREN BROWN:** I would like to express my sincere thanks to Fr Daren for his invaluable assistance since Fr Marc's departure in February. We will continue to see Fr Daren in the parish in the future but his time of ministry with us will be completed at the end of August.

**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. **Next Meeting is on Monday, 9 September at 7.00pm.**

**HOLY HOUR:** Each Month, in one of our Parish Communities, there will be a HOLY HOUR on the Prayer theme of the month as we continue our preparation for the Jubilee Year.

**St Philip Neri, Mansfield, will lead the Holy Hour for September on Saturday 14 September 10.30am –11.30am.**

**The theme is for Schools.**

**Do come and give some time to prayer for our young people and staff in our schools.**

**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.

**ONE OF THE PRIORITIES OF SYNOD 2023 IS FORMATION.** In response to this priority, there are several opportunities for formation in the Parish. Please see list of dates on the noticeboard at the back of each church.

**SOCIAL EVENTS:** If anyone is organising social events in the parishes, please check with the parish office before confirming the date so that we don't have clashes of dates in the diary.

On **Monday, 4 November at 7.00pm** in St Philip Neri Church Hall, there will be an information evening about the new Lectionary for ALL those who exercise the **MINISTRY OF READER** in our Parish.

**PREPARING A FUNERAL:** On **Thursday 10 October** in St Philip Neri Hall at 7.00pm. Opportunity to reflect and share resources on "Preparing a Funeral" - whether it is for someone else or even leaving requests for what you would like at your own funeral with regard to readings, hymns, prayers, eulogy, burial or cremation.

**SERVICE FOR THE SICK:** On Sunday 15 September at 2.00pm in St Philip Neri Church. Everyone is welcome to come; please encourage others and if you can bring anyone who needs transport that would be great. Tea and coffee will be served afterwards.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR ST PHILIP NERI CHURCH AND HALL CLEANING:** Team of 3 or 4 people are required for the cleaning of the church and hall on alternate weeks. Please contact the office on 01623 623458 or email [OLAS@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:OLAS@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

**GENTLE WELL BEING EXERCISES WITH REFLECTIONS AND PRAYER.....** FIRST TUESDAY in August at 7.30pm in St Teresa's Church Hall – everyone welcome.....

**ST JOSEPH'S WEEKLY DRAW:** To be advised next week.

**ST JOSEPH'S CAKE BAKE SALE:** The next cake bake sale will be on Saturday 7 September.

**ST PATRICK'S AUTUMN FAIR ON SUNDAY 6 OCTOBER AT 12NOON TO 2.00PM:** Any donations for the stalls (bottles, groceries, gifts, toys & games etc) can be left in our church porch on a Sunday or a Wednesday or I could collect them from wherever is convenient? Thank you, Ken Daly.

**JUMBLE SALE AT ST PHILIP NERI HALL ON FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER AT 10.00AM TILL 1.00PM:** Refreshments will be available. Could you please bring your jumble to the parish office week commencing on 23 September. Any offers of help for sorting and serving would be appreciated. Please see Mary Smith.

**TEA AND COFFEE:** Served in the hall after Sunday Mass at St Teresa's and St Patrick's. Tea and coffee are served at St Philip Neri after 9.00am Sunday Mass. There will be no drop-in at St Philip Neri during the rest of August and we will meet again on Wednesday 4 September.

**LADIES RECOLLECTION:** On Tuesday 27 August from 6.30pm to 8.30pm at St Philip Neri. All are welcome.

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

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING:** On Friday 30 August at 1.00pm at St Philip Neri. If you are interested in joining St Vincent de Paul Society or would like to know about it, please come along. Everyone is welcome.

**MOUNT SAINT BERNARD ABBEY IS HOSTING A FAMILY PILGRIMAGE ON SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER:** Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2.00pm, followed by a Marian Procession, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic, enjoy the Abbey grounds: all are welcome. Contact James at [JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org](mailto:JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org)

**AS CATHOLICS WE MUST DO ALL THAT WE CAN TO DEFEND HUMAN LIFE,** in all forms and at all stages. But our belief that life is a sacred gift from God is not shared by all. Under the new government, decriminalisation of abortion and assisted suicide will both soon be debated in Parliament. On Saturday 7th September there will be an opportunity to witness to our belief in the value of life with the annual March for Life in Westminster. More information is available at [www.marchforlife.co.uk/2024-event-page](http://www.marchforlife.co.uk/2024-event-page). There will be a coach going from Nottingham; for information, and to book, contact [MarieLangford@live.co.uk](mailto:MarieLangford@live.co.uk) (07948 151 264).

**THIS YEAR'S DOWRY PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM:** On **Sunday 1 September**, will be led by Archbishop Malcolm McMahon OP. More information is available at [www.walsingham.org.uk/event/dowry-of-mary-pilgrimage-3/](http://www.walsingham.org.uk/event/dowry-of-mary-pilgrimage-3/)

**ADOREMUS:** Is a Eucharist centred event that was last held in Liverpool, in 2018. The focus of the day is on the Eucharist with Mass, Adoration and Benediction as well as keynote speakers; Bishop Alan McGuckian of Down and Connor; Sister Margaret Atkins OSA. It is being held at Saint Mary's, Oscott on **Saturday 14 September**. Tickets are £10.00 and are limited, being held for young adults, so it is first come first served. Use the QR code to sign up now, this is displayed on the church notice boards.

**INVOCATION AT ADOREMUS:** Is a day organised by the Bishops, Vocations Directors, and Catholic Youth Ministry Federation in England and Wales, on **Sunday 15 September** at Oscott College, Birmingham. As Jesus is at the heart of our Mass and Catholic Lives, Invocation invites us to reflect on how we follow Jesus and respond to the universal call to Holiness; to discern and embrace our vocation. This day will offer the time, resources, formation, and accompaniment to embrace what God is asking of you. Invocation is offered free of charge. Attendees must be aged 18 or over to attend: <https://cymfed.org.uk/invocation-at-adoremus/>

**THE SPANNED ANNUAL MASS:** Is being celebrated by Bishop Patrick at Saint Peter's Church, Leicester Road, Hinckley on **Saturday 21 September** with our five diocesan groups and many friends, at 2.30pm. SPANNED has been working on climate change over the last two years and will present their findings to the bishop at the Mass in the form of a Manifesto, called "If you want to change the world, then change your life". For more details contact Father Frank Daly after 25 August on 01455 634443 or at [hinckleypriory@gmail.com](mailto:hinckleypriory@gmail.com). Likewise, if you are coming we would like to know numbers so that you can stay with us for some refreshments afterwards. All are very welcome.

**NOTTINGHAM AND LEICESTER/LEICESTERSHIRE CITIZENS ARE LOOKING TO RECRUIT A SENIOR ORGANISER:** To start work in 2024. We're looking for a motivated person, driven by a desire for social justice and a serious interest in working pragmatically with people to make change. Could this be you? If so, you probably have some questions. What does it mean to be a senior organiser with Citizens UK? What kinds of people and organisations would you be working with? What kind of change could you make happen? We're available to have an informal conversation about the role. Please contact [daniel.mackintosh@citizensuk.org](mailto:daniel.mackintosh@citizensuk.org)

**THE SAINT COLETTE'S PREGNANCY SUPPORT CENTRE** is seeking to appoint a part time paid coordinator. The centre which is based in Nottingham supports women who are pregnant in challenging circumstances, by offering practical, financial and emotional support through pregnancy. An individual is sought to coordinate weekly activities from September, on a part time, paid basis; hours are negotiable. For more information please contact John by email at [pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

**A REFLECTION FROM POPE FRANCIS FOR THE YEAR OF PRAYER, FOR THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR:** In the final **WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE DIOCESAN CURIAL TEAM?** Or do you know someone who might be interested? Find out more here: [www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers)