

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-THIRD WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME – 8 SEPTEMBER 2024

Date	Time	Service	Intentions
Sat 7 Sept	5.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	Zdzisław Goławski RIP (2 nd Anniversary)
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Jim Higgins Intentions
Sun 8 Sept	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Norma O’Gorman RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Aidan Walter Fagan RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Rob Bonsall RIP (2 nd Anniversary)
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Simona Sajan – Thanksgiving
	12.45pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Aoife Kemp
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	SVP Intentions – Holy Mother Church
	6.00pm	Mass – St Philip Neri	David and Margaret Dennis RIP
Mon 9 Sept Feria			
Tue 10 Sept Feria			
Wed 11 Sept Feria	9.15am	Mass - St Patrick	Jane Boulton RIP (2 nd Anniversary)
	12.10pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Michael Conroy RIP
	6.30pm	Exposition and Confession - St Joseph	
Thurs 12 Sept Memorial Most Holy Name of Mary	7.00pm	Mass – St Joseph	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Exposition & Confession - St Teresa	
	11.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Paddy Flynn RIP
	11.00am	Funeral Service - St Philip Neri	Margaret McGee RIP
	12.10pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Maurice (Anniversary) and Nita Gracias RIP
Friday 13 Sept Memorial Saint John Chrysostom			
Sat 14 Sept Feast The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	10.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Christopher Page RIP
	10.30am – 11.30am	Exposition & Confession (Holy Hour) – St Philip Neri	This is the monthly Holy Hour for preparation for the Jubilee Year
	1.00pm	Baptism – St Philip Neri	Andrej Novikov
TWENTY-FOURTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME			
	5.00pm	Mass - St Joseph	David Fewell RIP (Remembering Golden Wedding Anniversary)
	6.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Claire Grady-Lennon RIP
Sun 15 Sept	9.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	John Burgess RIP
	9.00am	Mass - St Teresa	Sr Catherine O’Neill RIP
	11.00am	Mass - St Patrick	Anne and Mick Fenlon Intentions
	11.00am	Mass - St Philip Neri	Gilly and Dave Humphrey Intentions
	2.00pm	Service - St Philip Neri	Anointing of the Sick
	5.00pm	Mass - St Philip Neri	Sarah Hormis Intentions

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-Third
Sunday of Ordinary
Time
Year B**

First Reading
Prophet Isaiah
35:4-7

Psalm Response
My soul, give praise to the Lord.

Second Reading
Letter of St James
2:1-5

**Gospel
Acclamation:**
Alleluia, alleluia!
Jesus proclaimed the Good News of the Kingdom, and cured all kinds of sickness among the people.
Alleluia!

Gospel
Mark
7:31-37

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, **Margaret McGee** whose funeral service will take place at St Philip Neri on Thursday 12 September at 11.00am. **Josephine Kirby** who died on Sunday 25 August of St Philip Neri and formerly of St George's, Rainworth. Please remember, Margaret, Josephine and their families in your prayers.

Holy Father's Prayer Intentions September 2024: We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

PLEASE, LIGHT A (battery) CANDLE: Each day and pray for peace – especially for the Holy Land and Ukraine.

The Theme for September 2024 in SCHOOLS

SCRIPTURE – “Let the children come to me.”



The Church's involvement in education goes back many centuries. The Catholic Church was the first provider of schools and universities in England. The Church has always viewed education as vital to the formation and development of the whole person. Catholic schools for the Catholic community were set up ahead of building Churches, often using its schools in the early days as the place for worship for the parish. Service to those who are among the most disadvantaged in our society has also always been central to the mission of Catholic education.

Almighty God, You sent forth your Son as a beacon of hope for all people.

As a Teacher, He has given us the prime example of the importance of education. As disciples, we look to him for inspiration and strength. Thank you for the many people who have dedicated their lives in service to our Catholic Schools. Thank you for the teachers and administrators who sustain our schools. Thank you for the parents who have given support and witness to the importance of Catholic education. Thank you for the students who work hard to further their education. Bless all our Catholic Schools and the many people who advance our mission. May our schools be a home for those who seek to grow in openness, faith, love, intellect and commitment to justice. In your name, we pray. 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 – Our schools are now reopening after the Summer break and we wish all our pupils and staff the very best for the new academic year.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – in all Churches, beginning in September. SPN during the 11.00am Mass only.

CATHOLICS EXPLORING OUR FAITH – 2nd Monday of the Month from 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 4 October 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 nd Collection
1 Sept	St Joseph	£103.85	£ 5.00	£ 42.61	£ 151.46	
1 Sept	St Patrick	£151.00	£ 90.00	£ 80.20	£ 321.20	
1 Sept	St Philip Neri	£492.65	£179.50	£958.27	£1,630.42	
1 Sept	St Teresa	£ 75.00	£ 35.00	£ 80.66	£ 190.66	
1 Sept	St Philip Neri	Digital Giving			£ 84.00	
1 Sept	St Teresa	Digital Giving			£ 5.00	

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

SECOND COLLECTIONS: 14/15 September – Evangelii Gaudium Sunday (Formerly Home Mission Sunday).

CAFOD FAMILY HARVEST DAY: Will be on Friday 4 October.

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) 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.

AN EVENING FOR ALL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS IN THE PARISH: On **Monday 23 September at 6.45pm** in the hall following the evening Mass.

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.

FR PHILIP SEED: My good friend Fr Philip, has now taken up his new appointment as Parish Priest of Our Lady and St Peter, 15 Victoria Drive, Wimbledon, London, SW19 6AD. A priest of the Archdiocese of Southwark, Fr Philip came to stay at St Philip Neri in January as part of a rest sabbatical from ministry following an accident he suffered last Summer. During this period of “rest” he gave tremendous service to our parish. He celebrated Mass at St Philip Neri several times every week, heard confessions every Saturday and gave invaluable support to our catechetical programmes. I know many parishioners are very grateful for his support, advice and tuition. I know he will begin his new ministry with our thanks and good wishes. Canon John.

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.

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

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

ST JOSEPH'S WEEKLY DRAW: Saturday 31 August national lottery Bonus ball number was 54. We have a winner who receives £20.00.

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.

HELP REQUIRED AT ST PHILIP NERI: To sort the Tote office on Tuesday 17 September at 10.00am. Please come to the Presbytery if you can help.

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. The drop-in at St Philip Neri after Mass every Wednesday.

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 4 October 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.

SEASON OF CREATION 2024: Come and bring a picnic to have on the lawn at St Philip Neri Church on Sunday **29 September from 2.00pm to 3.30pm.** There will be prayer and activities.

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.** 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. <https://cymfed.org.uk/invocation-at-adoremus/>

LADIES RECOLLECTION: On Tuesday **24 September from 3.00pm to 5.00pm** at St Philip Neri. All are welcome.

THE MARY POTTER HERITAGE CENTRE: Is excited to be part of this year's Heritage Open Days, and all are welcome to visit the Mary Potter Heritage Centre at 32 Regent Street, Nottingham NG1 5BT, on **Saturday 14 September**, between 1.00pm and 5.00pm. It is a wonderful opportunity to learn and explore the life and Mission of Venerable Mary Potter through the interactive screens, quotations, and artefacts.

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. 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

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