

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention in October: That the breath of the Holy Spirit engenders a new missionary "spring" in the Church.

Diocesan Justice and Peace Assembly is on Saturday 2 November at St Thomas More's, Leicester, opening with Mass with Bishop Patrick at 10.15am. Hear two inspiring Catholic women with a timely message of reconciliation for our nation:

Jenny Sinclair, founder of Together for the Common Good, and Theresa Alessandro, director of Pax Christi. In the afternoon help to shape Faith into Action, the five-year initiative here in the diocese of Nottingham enabling Catholics to make a difference, locally and globally. Space is limited, so book your place now. Visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/jpassembly, email justice.peace@dioceseofnottingham.uk or call 07470 907656.

Saturday 2nd November 2019 Father Simon Robson OP will celebrate Mass for LGBT Catholics, their families and friends at 2 pm at Sacred Heart Church 25 Mere Road, Leicester, LE5 3HS.

Mass for deceased clergy of the diocese: Mass for Altar Servers Mass - Annual Guild of St Stephen Mass - Saturday 9th November 2019 Bishop Patrick invites all Altar Servers and their families across the Diocese of Nottingham to this Mass. Servers should bring their cassock and cotta or alb and be vested in Cathedral Hall at 10 am. There will be an opportunity for renewal of promises, to meet other servers and to pray for our ministry as Altar Servers. This year is a special year as the Cathedral marks 175 years and its 50th Anniversary of affiliation to the Archconfraternity Guild of St Stephen in Westminster. For more information contact mail@nottinghamguildofststephen.co.uk. After Mass in the Cathedral Hall there will be Refreshments and a time to socialise informally together.

Interfaith week, 12th November 2019 7.30 pm start: Bishop Patrick McKinney will be joined by people from different faiths to discuss how (and why!) they feel called to make the world a better place. The event will be held at St Martins House, Leicester LE1 5PZ on 12th November 2019 7.30 start. This is a free event but registration is essential - [https:// www.eventbrite.com/e/will-faiths-save-the-world-paneldiscussion-with-bishop-patrick-mckinney-tickets-75999425327](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/will-faiths-save-the-world-paneldiscussion-with-bishop-patrick-mckinney-tickets-75999425327), or e-mail [Katharina.Smith-Muller @cbcew.org.uk](mailto:Katharina.Smith-Muller@cbcew.org.uk)

OLSP Brunch Morning Sunday 17 November 2019: OLSP will be holding a brunch morning on Sunday 17th November, sausage or bacon cob and will also have a cake stall, book stall and raffle. Tickets to go on sale shortly, everyone welcome - both parishes and all schools. Any donations of prizes will be much appreciated.

Corpus Christi Christmas Fayre will take place on Saturday 30th November, 11am-2pm. Raffle tickets will shortly be available at the back of church for you to buy and sell. In order to make this event the success it should be for our parish, we are asking that each parishioner attends on the day and donates a new gift and/or a bottle of spirit, wine etc so we can have a really successful bottle stall.

OLSP - Praying the rosary after Mass each Sunday. All are welcome to join the small group of Parishioners who stay to say a decade of the rosary.

Parish Newsletter

Thirtieth Week of Ordinary Time

27th October 2019



Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows
Parish Priest: Fr Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ
Br John Dawson SCJ

Corpus Christi Presbytery, 127 Listowel Crescent,
Clifton NG11 9BP

Parish Secretary: Catherine Daly

Tel. No. 0115 921 2964 email: secretaryccolsp@gmail.com
Website: <https://olspnottingham.com>



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In the month of November, we remember and pray for the departed souls. As we live out our everyday life, we are aware of the short span of our life here on earth. Death of our loved ones brings familiarity with the thought of the reality of death. This may be a negative reaction but it also can be a very positive experience. Thinking about death makes us to appreciate how great our love of life is. The month of November, the cold winter, trees sheds their leaves as if nature goes to sleep. This is good time to set aside to remember. I remember when I was speaking to an elderly man who was housebound and he told me that his greatest fear was that no one would pray for him after he dies. "I am the last in my family, there will be nobody coming behind me to pray and remember me". The month of remembrance is an opportunity for all of us to reach out in faith to all who have passed away from this life.

From the tradition of earliest times, there is a belief in praying for the Holy Souls. We may so often wonder and ask why? What are we going to get praying for someone who has died? The Church teaches us that we pray for the dead for the same reason as we pray for the living. We all know of our need to pray. Praying to God does us good and helps us. When we pray for the dead it brings comfort and consolation to us and praying especially for our dead can help heal our relationships with them. In Jesus, we have eternal life if we do this and keep his word. Though we all will die, death is not the end of life for all those in Christ. Finally let us remember that this coming Friday is All Saints Day and it is a Feast Day. Celebrate it by doing something special in a happy way. Experience the joy of knowing that our loved ones have gone home to God our Father to see Him as God is.

God Bless. Fr. Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ

27th October 2019 - 3rd November 2019	Holy Mass & Services Intention of Mass	Church	Other Events
Saturday 26th October 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time Si 35:12-14.16-19; 2 Tm 4:6-8. 16-18; Lk 18:9-14	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm First Holy Communion 1st Session 5.15 pm—5.45. pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Agnes O'Shea RIP	CC CC CC	2nd Collection Diocesan Quota
Sunday 27th October 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time Si 35:12-14.16-19; 2 Tm 4:6-8. 16-18; Lk 18:9-14	9.30 am: Mass: People of the Parish 11.00 am Mass: Joseph Kottaram RIP 2.00 pm Latin Mass	OLSP CC OLSP	2nd Collection Diocesan Quota
Monday 28th October Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles (Feast)	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass:	CC CC	
Tuesday 29th October Feria	9.00 am Mass: 6.00 pm Reception of Marlene Sims	CC OLSP	
Wednesday 30th October Feria	10.30 am Funeral Mass of Marlene Sims RIP	OLSP	
Thursday 31st October Feria	9.00 am Mass	CC	
Friday 1st November All Saints (Solemnity) Holy Day of Obligation	9.30 am Mass: 7.00 pm Mass:	CC OLSP	
Saturday 2nd November All Souls Commeration of All the Faithful Departed	9.00 am Mass 10.15 am Mass 10 - 12.30 pm Baptism Course	CC OLSP CC	
31st Sunday of Ordinary Time Wis 11:22-12:2; 2 Th 1:11 - 2:2 Lk 19:1-10	5.15 pm—5.45. pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Teresa Wigley RIP	CC CC	
Sunday 3rd November 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time Wis 11:22-12:2; 2 Th 1:11 - 2:2 Lk 19:1-10	9.30 am: Mass: Martin & Nora Oates - Anniversary 11.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	OLSP CC	
Response: This poor man called; the Lord heard him.			

There will be a 2nd Collection for the Diocesan Quota at both masses at Corpus Christi this weekend.

Please pray for Marlene Sims whose funeral mass will be on Wednesday, 30 October 2019 at 10.30 am at OLSP. Her body will be received into OLSP on Tuesday, 29 October at 6.00 pm. Please remember her family in your prayers. May she rest in peace.

All Saints day and All Souls day Masses

All Saints Day (Friday 1st November): is a Holy Day of Obligation: Mass will be at 9.30 am at Corpus Christi and 7.00 pm at Our Lady and St Patrick's.

All Souls Day (Saturday 2nd November): Mass at 9.00 am at Corpus Christi and 10.15 am at Our Lady and St Patrick's . There will no confessions in the morning at OLSP.

Letter from Bishop Patrick: copies available at the back of both churches on the Catholic Church's current position with regard to safeguarding, in preparation for the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse which will turn its attention to the present situation in the Catholic Church in England and Wales from 28 October to 8 November 2019.

November Dead List: It is a lovely tradition to have mass offered for the departed. If you wish your relatives to be included in the intention during Mass, you can take one of the November Dead List envelopes at the back of church, put in it a piece of paper with the names of those who have died on it, include a donation and hand it in to Fr Wilfred . The names will be kept in a basket on the sanctuary. Each of these Masses will be offered for 'Holy Souls RIP' so even though each person is not remembered by name, our intention will include all those whose names have been put forward.

The next Baptism Course will be held on Saturday, 2nd November 2019 at Corpus Christi in the Sacristy from 10 am to 12.30 pm. Please complete a Baptism application form & hand it in to Fr Wilfred.

Parish Social Evening: Thank you to everyone who helped to make this event such a success; to everyone who brought food, set up, tidied away and participated in any way - thank you!

Extraordinary Month of Mission Prayer

Heavenly Father, when your only begotten Son Jesus Christ rose from the dead, He commissioned His followers to 'go and make disciples of all nations' and you remind us that through our Baptism we are made sharers in the mission of the Church. Empower us by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be courageous and zealous in bearing witness to the Gospel, so that the mission entrusted to the Church, which is still very far from completion, may find new and efficacious expressions that bring life and light to the world. Help us make it possible for all peoples to experience the saving love and mercy of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen