

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention in February: Listen to the Migrants' cries:

We pray that the cries of our migrant brothers & sisters, victims of criminal trafficking may be heard and considered.

CORONAVIRUS: Following concerns from parishioners, Bishop Patrick has issued the following advice regarding the sign of peace & receiving from the chalice at Mass. Bishop Patrick offers the obvious common-sense precautions as advised by Public Health England to parishioners, namely covering one's mouth and nose while sneezing or coughing & regular washing of hands. If anyone feels uncomfortable about shaking hands at the sign of peace, then they could bow to the other person and say: 'Peace be with you'. If anyone feels uncomfortable, for the moment, about receiving from the chalice, then they could refrain from doing so.

Nottingham Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage under the leadership of Bishop Patrick McKinney: will take place from 12th to 17th July 2020 with the Lourdes theme for 2020, "I am the Immaculate Conception". Travel will be by air & train & is being organised by www.tangney-tours.com/nottingham tel: 01732 886666. Please see posters in both Churches.

Year of the Word: Day of Prayer - The Nottingham Diocesan Spirituality Network Encounter Jesus & be Missionary Disciples. Saturday, 29th February 2020 at St Mary's Boston, PE21 9BU. Day begins @ 10am & ends with Liturgy at 3 pm. See poster in Church for other dates. All Welcome.

Outside the Walls', The director & distributor of the film documentary, Mount St Bernard Abbey ' Nick Harmer, has received enquiries about its release on DVD but has advised that this is too costly (about £2.5k) & is looking for funding: Future showings are as follows: The Century Theatre Coalville, Sat 29th February, 2.30pm, www.centurytheatre.co.uk The Venue Cinema, Lincoln, Fri 6th March, 7.30pm, www.thevenueincoln.co.uk The Ritz Cinema Belper, Thu 12th March, 7.30pm, www.ritz-belper.co.uk QUAD Cinema Derby, Wed 18th and Thu 19th March (times tbc), www.derbyquad.co.uk



Times of Services:

9.30 am **Corpus Christi Clifton:** Mass and Distribution of the Ashes

9.30 am **St. Patrick's School, Wilford:** Ash Wednesday Service and Distribution of the Ashes


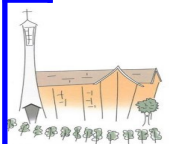
2.00 pm **Blessed Robert Widmerpool School:** Mass and Distribution of the Ashes

7.30 pm **Our Lady and St. Patrick's Meadows:** Mass and Distribution of the Ashes

Parish Newsletter

Sixth Week of Ordinary Time

16th February 2020



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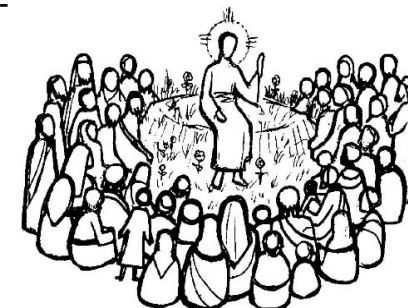


Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As we are now in the month of February, the Gospel reading of Ordinary time leading up to Ash Wednesday, beckons us to take on the characteristics of a disciple. Last Sunday we were invited to be salt and light, this Sunday we are asked to live out the spirit of the law, and on the following Sunday we will be asked to be holy and forgive our enemies. If we really work on these points over the next few weeks, we will be prepared to enter into the season of Lent. Ash Wednesday is on February 26th. The word of God during these weeks will continue to challenge us to move from believers to disciples. In 2018 Bishop Patrick proposed that for three years we should reflect on three spiritual foundations for the diocese and they are Encounter, Discipleship and Missionary Discipleship. In the Pastoral letter Bishop Patrick says: "DISCIPLESHIP: because of that personal encounter with Christ, I would like to encourage each of us to hear and respond to His invitation to be His DISCIPLES, to follow Him more closely, and to seek to serve Him generously in our daily lives. " Are we ready to take up that challenge? Are we ready to be counted among the saints? We can say, "Yes" to the Lord and become His disciples and follow the ways of the Lord.

God Bless,

Fr. Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ



16th February 2020 – 23rd February 2020	Holy Mass & Services Intention of Mass	Church	Other Events
Saturday 15th February 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time Sir 15:15-20; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Ma 5:17-37	5.00 pm - 5.45 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Chris Farrelly	CC CC	
Sunday 16th February 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time Sir 15:15-20; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Ma 5:17-37	9.30 am Mass: Christina Tank RIP 11.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	OLSP CC	OLSP after Mass: Open Day meeting
Monday 17th February Feria	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Isabella Fanning	CC CC	
Tuesday 18th February Feria	9.00 am Mass: Holy Souls	CC	
Wednesday 19th February Feria	9.30 am Mass: Foundation Mass: Rev Leo Bermingham 10.00 am Adoration 6.30 pm Reception of Body of Mary Agnes O'Brien	OLSP OLSP CC	
Thursday 20th February Feria	9.00 am Funeral Mass: Mary Agnes O'Brien RIP	CC	CC NO RCIA
Friday 21st February Feria	9.00 am Mass: 9.30 am Adoration	CC CC	10.30 am—1 pm Notts Bell Ringers
Saturday 22nd February Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle (Feast) 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time Lev 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Ma 5:38-48	9.30 am Confession 10.00 am Mass: Joseph Gaten & Family (Birthday) 5.00 pm - 5.45 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Pauline Farrelly	OLSP OLSP CC CC	
Sunday 23rd February 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time Lev 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Ma 5:38-48	9.30 am Mass: People of the Parish 11.00 am Mass: June & Horace Lynes	OLSP CC	

Response: Blessed are they who follow the law of the Lord!

Mary Agnes O'Brien of Corpus Christi, who died on Monday, 3rd February 2020. The Reception of her body into Church will be on Wednesday, 19 February 2020 at 6.30 pm at CC. Her Requiem Mass will be on Thursday, 20 February 2020 at 9 am, followed by burial at Wilford Hill. Please remember her & her family in your prayers. May she rest in peace.

Baptism: the next course will be held at Our Lady & St Patrick's Hall on Saturday, 7 March & Saturday 14 March 2020 from 10.30 am to 12 noon. You need to attend both sessions. Parents please complete an application form available in both Churches & give to one of the Priests. Details will then be confirmed to you by email or telephone. Any queries, please contact the secretary on 0115 921 2964 or secretarycolsp@gmail.com.

There will be NO Lead Kindly Light RCIA Session this week due to half-term. The next & 15th Session will take place on **Thursday, 27th February 2020** at 7 pm in the Corpus Christi Lady Chapel. All are welcome to join and also those who wish to refresh the catholic faith are welcome.

Many thanks to the cleaning team at OLSP for their hard work. Please note cleaners should have received an email copy of the new rota. Copies are also available on the notice board.

Year of The Word: National Scripture Tour:

will be in the Diocese of Nottingham on Saturday 22nd February 2020 at the Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Newark, Notts NG24 4AU, visit anytime between 10 am and 4.30 pm. The artist Pete Codling will be explaining his artwork at 12.30 with other presentations before and after on Mary & The Word, Seeing The Word, Exploring The Word, Sharing The Word, Living The Word with food and refreshments available. Visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk There will also be a chance to win 'The God Who Roars' lion, see Cardinal Vincent Nichols' trailer <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/home/events/the-god-who-speaks/>

Opportunity to work for Marriage Care

Part-time Team Leader to head our Appointment Service. You will help us support adult relationships through our marriage preparation & relationship counselling services & will support our gifted team of 600 volunteers across England and Wales. For more information please visit www.marriagecare.org.uk/get-involved. Closing date for applications 27th February 2020.

Nottinghamshire Ringers will be attempting a peal on **Friday, 21 February 2020** at CC Bell Tower from 10.30 am to 12.30 pm.

J.S. Bach - St John Passion

Join Bishop Patrick in this Year of the Word event on Saturday 7 March at 7.45 pm: "Experience the spiritual and artistic grandeur of Bach's great reading of Christ's passion in St Barnabas Cathedral". Tickets: £16, £12, £10 from Nottingham Tourism Centre underneath the Council House or online from www.nottinghamcathedralmusic.com

Palms to be burned for Ashes: Please bring your old Palms to make the ashes for Ash Wednesday. There will be a basket at the back of each Church next weekend.