

St Norbert's Parish Church



HYMNS for Sunday — 18/11/2018 (Play list 60)

Entrance:	In fear and in hope	606
Offertory:	In bread we bring you, Lord	197
	Our Father	687
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Charity Evening for Lindsey Lodge. There is a Charity Bollywood Evening on December 8th at the Old Brumby United Church with Indian themed dances, songs and a fashion show. All funds raised will go to support Lindsey Lodge Hospice. Tickets £5 (single) and £15 (family). A meal is also available at a cost of £10 (under 5's eat for free). Please contact Jefin for more details (07397160859).

Date for your diary:

Parish Festive Lunch will be held after Mass on the 2nd December. Tickets £5, under 12's free. Tickets available soon.

Children's Liturgy: Lynne Crewe, after a number of years of being involved with the Children's Liturgy, is stepping down due to work and home commitments. Volunteers are needed to help with this important work with our younger parishioners. If you can help please speak to Lynne.

The Maridon Bookshop on Netherhall Road, Doncaster has **closed**. A search is being made for new premises. An update will be included as and when further information is available.

**The Forge—
Homeless Project Scunthorpe:**
Thank you, your support and generosity has been over whelming. No further collection will be taken.
Elizabeth

Today:
Blessing of
Graves at Epworth
Cemetery, 3.00pm

Parish Finances:- 11/11/18

Thank you for your offerings.

Weekly Envelopes	: £ 124.00
Standing Orders	: £ 140.77
Loose Plate	: £ 80.09
Quota Envelopes	: £ 21.00
Quota Loose Plate	: £
“ Standing Orders	: £ 8.31
Bulletins	: £ 6.16
Miscellaneous (including Hall Rents):£	
Total	: £ 380.33
Second Collection	: £

18th December at 6.00pm Carol Service led by St. Norbert's School followed by a Supper (£4) in the school hall. Money raised split between the Parish and school PTA.

FOODBANK DONATIONS: For the next two Sundays (25th and 2nd) we will be collecting for our Christmas donation to the foodbank. Please be generous. Thank you

Pope Francis' Tweet of the Week: Sunday is a holy day for us, sanctified by the celebration of the Eucharist, which is the living presence of the Lord among us and for us.

Articles for inclusion in the Newsletter by **Wednesday midday** please. Either ring Jane on 01724 711434 or email: jane.sarsfield@talk21.com

ROTAS:-

READERS

18/11: Karena Knight
25/11: Alan Gidney
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COUNTERS

18/11: Maureen Lyons & Pauline Garrity
25/11: Pam & Ian Tonge
Co-ordinator: Maureen - 01724710610

TEA & COFFEE

18/11: Kate & Margaret
25/11: Crewe Family & Pat Flanagan
Co-ordinator: Kate - 01724711572

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Lynne Crewe & Margaret Daniels

CHURCH CLEANING (2 Wkly)

12/11—Helen Mellers & Siobhan Worthing
26/11—Liz Hasselby & Rebecca Kirk
Co-ordinator: **Pauline - 01724489517**

Church Hall, Liturgy Room

Margaret Daniels & Leah Shipley

CHURCH HALL:

Bookings: Bill Flanagan-01427874557
Keys: Ray & Margaret Bassindale

Hospital:

If you wish to receive a visit from a priest while in hospital, or know someone who wishes to receive a visit, you must explicitly request this. The clergy do not have access to patient lists produced by the hospital

If you are housebound, unable to attend Mass, and would like to receive Holy Communion please contact Father Neil on 01724 842197 to arrange a visit.

Please remember in your prayers all those in our parish who are sick or housebound, and those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

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MASS TIMETABLE

Date	Day	Time	Liturgical Celebration	Mass Intention	Ordinary Time 
18th Nov	Sunday	11.15am	33rd Sunday in Ord Time B	Tom Lydon, RIP	Robbie Pender
19th Nov	Monday		Feria		
20th Nov	Tuesday	10.00am	Feria	Margaret Chambers, RIP	Karena & Anne
21st Nov	Wed'day		The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary		
22nd Nov	Thur'day		St. Cecilia		
23rd Nov	Friday	10.00am	Feria or St. Clement I	Private Intention.	Elizabeth Hasselby
24th Nov	Sat'day		St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions		
25th Nov	Sunday	11.15am	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	Maura & Trevor Hey, RIP	Carolyn Hey

Sacrament of Reconciliation: On Request

The month of November is dedicated to **The Holy Souls in Purgatory**

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of November:
Universal: In the Service of Peace. That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

DIARY OF EVENTS - AT A GLANCE: 2018:

18th Nov - Blessing of Graves at Epworth, 3pm.
21st Nov - Knit'n'Natter, St Bede's, 1.00pm.
24th Nov - Quiz & Curry Night, St Bernadette's, 7.30pm
25th Nov - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
25th Nov - National Youth Day
25th Nov - Blessing of Graves at Luddington, 1pm.
25th Nov - Blessing of Graves at Crosby Cemetery, 3pm.
28th Nov - Red Wednesday. Make a stand for Faith & Freedom. Wear Red.

A selection of Christmas cards for sale at the back of church.

Blessing of Graves:
See noticeboard for dates and time for Epworth, Luddington, Winterton, and Scunthorpe



33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

First Reading:

Daniel 12:1-3

Theme: When that time comes, your own people will be spared.

At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.

The word of the Lord.

R/. Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm:

Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.

Second Reading:

Hebrews 10:11-14.18

Theme: By virtue of one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying.

All the priests stand at their duties every day, offering over and over again the same sacrifices which are quite incapable of taking sins away. Christ, on the other hand, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place for ever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven, there can be no more sin offerings.

The word of the Lord.

R/. Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Stay awake and stand ready,
because you do not know the hour
when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading:

Mark 13:24-32

Theme: He will gather his chosen from the four winds.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

R/. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Prayer for Vocations can be found in the front of the hymn book.

Communion Antiphon:

To be near God is my happiness,
to place my hope in God the Lord.



The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Temple as a young girl is based not on the New Testament but on an account in the apocryphal Gospel of James. According to that text, Mary's parents, Joachim and Anne, who had been childless, received a heavenly message that they would have a child. In thanksgiving for the gift of their daughter, they brought her, when still a child, to the Temple of Jerusalem to consecrate her to God. In being presented in this way, the Blessed Virgin dedicated herself to the service of God and kept herself open to God's will. The feast prepares us for Advent and Christmas, when we celebrate the coming of her Divine Son into the world.

St Bede's - Knit'n'Natter.

The students and staff at St Bede's Knit'n'Natter invite you for an afternoon of knitting and cake on Wednesday 21st November at 1.00pm

Quiz and Curry Night. St Bernadette's will be hosting a quiz and curry night on Saturday 24th November in their Parish Hall from 7.30 pm. Tickets £7 and can be purchased on the night.

Extract from the Pope at Mass: Jesus invites us to the banquet of the Kingdom.

The Kingdom of God is often seen as a banquet. Jesus invites us to be with Him at the feast - but, the Pope asks, how often do we make up excuses in order to refuse His invitation? Jesus, Pope Francis says, is good, and offers us a second chance, but He is also just. Pope Francis continued saying, in the end, those who do not reject Jesus, and are not rejected by Him, will enter the Kingdom of God. But the Holy Father had a warning for those who think to themselves "Jesus is so good, in the end He forgives everything":

Yes, He is good, He is merciful - He is merciful, but He is also just. And if you close the door of your heart from within, He cannot open it, because He is very respectful of our heart.

Refusing Jesus is closing the door from within, and He cannot enter.

Pope Francis concluded. "May the Lord grant us the grace to understand this mystery of hardness of heart, of obstinacy, of rejection, and [grant us] the grace to weep."

Peoples Ponderings:

As many of you will be aware, I am still struggling with my back. I have been to see the doctor and have been given more painkillers which will hopefully solve the problem. I would like to thank Fr Wlodek for stepping in and saying the Masses in English during the week; his assistance has been much appreciated.

This weekend I will be laying low - literally - and so am grateful to Fr Benedict who will be covering the Sun-day evening Mass, and Bishop Patrick, who will be covering the Sunday morning Masses. So don't panic, the Bishop has not come to close the parish!!!! I'd also like to thank Mgr McGovern and Liam Carpenter for their help and care for me over the past few weeks. Liam will be leading the prayers at the cemetery in Epworth this weekend.

I hope this week to start celebrating Mass again and that normal service will soon resume. Thank you for all the offers of help and prayers - please keep them going. God bless.

Fr. Neil



Reflection: In the Gospel Jesus is telling us about the end of the world. But he is also talking about the end of his life - and about the end of our lives, too. He wants us to know - that God love us very much and that he takes our lives very seriously. God made each one of us for a reason. It doesn't matter when the world will end, or when our lives will end. What's important is what we are doing right now. How are we living right now? What are we doing with our lives? Jesus wants us to be ready when he comes again. He wants us to be ready to live with him forever in Heaven.

Prayer:

O gracious and holy Father,
Give us wisdom to perceive
you,
intelligence to understand you,
diligence to seek you,
patience to wait for you,
eyes to see you,
a heart to meditate on you,
and a life to proclaim you,
through the power of the spirit of
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen
St. Benedict: A prayer for Guidance

