

St Norbert's Parish Church



HYMNS for Sunday — 18/08/19 (Play List 120)

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| Entrance: O God renew our vision | 626 |
| Offertory: Take our bread we ask you | 387 |
| Our Father | 687 |
| Communion: I am the bread of life | 183 |
| Our Lady's Anthem: Salve Regina | 357 |
| Recessional: Now thank we all our God | 284 |



Diocesan Annual Spanned Mass (Supporting People with Additional Needs) Bishop Patrick will preside at this special Mass on Saturday 14th September at St Peter's, Hinckley at 2.30pm. For more information please contact Fr Frank Daly at hinckleypriory@gmail.com. All are welcome.

Rosary Rally - 1st September 2019: The 33rd Rosary Rally will take place on Sunday 1st September at Mount St Bernard Abbey in Leicestershire, beginning with Mass at 2.00 pm.

The Story of the Queenship of Mary: Pope Pius XII established this feast in 1954. But Mary's queenship has roots in Scripture. At the Annunciation, Gabriel announced that Mary's Son would receive the throne of David and rule forever. At the Visitation, Elizabeth calls Mary "mother of my Lord." As in all the mysteries of Mary's life, she is closely associated with Jesus: Her queenship is a share in Jesus' kingship. We can also recall that in the Old Testament the mother of the king has great influence in court. The feast is a logical follow-up to the Assumption, and is now celebrated on the octave day of that feast. In his 1954 encyclical *To the Queen of Heaven*, Pius XII points out that Mary deserves the title because she is Mother of God, because she is closely associated as the New Eve with Jesus' redemptive work, because of her preeminent perfection, and because of her intercessory power.



Altar Serving: If anyone who has made their Holy Communion would be interested in training to be an Altar Server - please speak to Fr. Neil .



Fund Raising for our 150th Anniversary Celebration: The coffee morning held at Freda Robinson's house raised **£341.00**. A big **THANK YOU** to all who supported this event, and to those who helped on the day.

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.

Parish Finances:- 11/08/19

Thank you for your offerings.

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| Weekly Envelopes | : £ 74.46 |
| Standing Orders | : £ 140.77 |
| Loose Plate | : £ 70.57 |
| Quota Envelopes | : £ 13.50 |
| Quota Loose Plate | : £ |
| " Standing Orders | : £ 8.31 |
| Bulletins | : £ 11.83 |
| Miscellaneous: | |
| (Hall rent, candles) | : £ |
| Total | : £ 319.44 |
| Second collection | : £ |

Why not join us in the church hall after Mass for tea/coffee & biscuits



FOODBANK: Next collection for the Epworth foodbank will be November ready for Christmas

Pope Francis' Tweet of the Week: Let us ask for the grace to remember each day that we are not forgotten by God, and that we are His beloved children, unique and irreplaceable. Calling this to mind gives us the strength not to surrender before the adversities of life.

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

ROTAS:-

READERS
18/08: Helen Condliff
25/08: Karena Knight
Co-ordinator: Jane - 01724711434

COUNTERS
18/08: Margaret & Kevin
25/08: Alicia & Alan Keen
Co-ordinator: Maureen - 01724710610

TEA & COFFEE
18/08: Glenys Pender & Bill Godson
25/08: Helen Fowler & Melania Flack
Co-ordinator: Kate - 01724711572

CHILDREN'S LITURGY
None during the school holidays
Resume Sunday 8th September

CHURCH CLEANING (2 Wkly)
19/08—Helen Mellers & Siobhan Worthing
02/09—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

PARISH CLERGY: Fr. Neil Peoples and Deacon Sebastian Grab
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| MASS TIMETABLE | | | | |
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| Date | Day | Time | Liturgical Celebration | Mass Intention |
| 18th Aug | Sunday | 11.15am | 20th Sunday of Ord Time C | Sean Rabbitte, RIP McIntyre Family |
| 19th Aug | Monday | | Feria or St. John Eudes | |
| 20th Aug | Tuesday | 10.00am | St. Bernard | Mary Laura Brears, RIP Simon Brears |
| 21st Aug | Wed'day | | St. Pius X | |
| 22nd Aug | Thursday | | The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary | |
| 23rd Aug | Friday | 10.00am | Feria or St. Rose of Lima | Yannick Boichut's Intention Pauline & Jeff |
| 24th Aug | Saturday | | St. Bartholomew | |
| 25th Aug | Sunday | 11.15am | 21st Sunday of Ord Time C | Barbara & Kevin Proctor, RIP Alicia Keen |
| Sacrament of Reconciliation: On Request | | | | |



The month of August is dedicated to **The Immaculate Heart of Mary**

Date for your diary: Next Coffee morning will be held on Saturday 7th September.

Lloyds bank has had an equipment upgrade which now means all cheques for the church need to be made out to the full account name: **St. Norberts Crowle RCP**

DIARY OF EVENTS - AT A GLANCE: 2019:

29th Aug - Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi—pilgrim mtg, 7pm

1st Sep - World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
7th Sep - Coffee Morning at Melania's 9.30am
7th Sep - Marriage Care Course, Our Lady of Lincoln, Lincoln
7th Sep - Mass for Catholics Working in Healthcare, Nottingham
8th Sep - Education Sunday
8th Sep - Second Collection for Catholic Education Service
10th Sep - '150th Ann. Think Tank' meeting, church hall, 7.00pm

Pope Francis's Prayer Intention for August: Families, Schools of Human Growth: That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth".



20th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

First Reading

Jeremiah 38:4-6.8-10

Theme: You have borne me to be a man of dissension for all the land.

The kings leading men spoke to the king. Let Jeremiah be put to death: he is unquestionably disheartening the remaining soldiers in the city, and all the people too, by talking like this. The fellow does not have the welfare of this people at heart so much as its ruin. He is in your hands as you know, King Zedekiah answered for the king is powerless against you. So they took Jeremiah and threw him into the well of Prince Malchiah in the Court of the Guard, letting him down with ropes. There was no water in the well, only mud, and into the mud Jeremiah sank.

Ebed-melech came out from the palace and spoke to the king. My lord king, he said, these men have done a wicked thing by treating the prophet Jeremiah like this: they have thrown him into the well where he will die. At this the king gave Ebed-melech the Cushite the following order: Take three men with you from here and pull the prophet Jeremiah out of the well before he dies.

The word of the Lord.

R/. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, come to my aid!

Second Reading

Hebrews 12:1-4

Theme: We shall keep running steadily in the race we have started.

With so many witnesses in a great cloud on every side of us, we too, then, should throw off everything that hinders us, especially the sin that clings so easily, and keep running steadily in the race we have started. Let us not lose sight of Jesus, who leads us in our faith and brings it to perfection: for the sake of the joy which was still in the future, he endured the cross, disregarding the shamefulness of it, and from now on has taken his place at the right of God's throne. Think of the way he stood such opposition from sinners and then you will not give up for want of courage. In the fight against sin, you have not yet had to keep fighting to the point of death.

The word of the Lord.

R/. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Open our hearts, O Lord,

to accept the words of your Son.

Alleluia!

Gospel Reading

Luke 12:49-53

Theme: I am not here to bring peace, but rather division.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I have come to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were blazing already! There is a baptism I must still receive, and how great is my distress till it is over!

'Do you suppose that I am here to bring peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division. For from now on a household of five will be divided: three against two and two against three; the father divided against the son, son against father, mother against daughter, daughter against mother, mother-in-law against daughter-in-law, daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

R/. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon:

With the Lord there is mercy;
in him is plentiful redemption.

In his homily during Mass at the Casa Santa Marta, Pope Francis reflected on the gift of peace promised by Christ to His Apostles as He prepared to leave them. That peace does not come from the world, but from the Holy Spirit. It remains during trial, and even gives us courage to go forward with a smile in our hearts.

The person who lives this peace never loses their sense of humour. They know how to smile at themselves, at others, even when things are dark they know how to smile at everything... this sense of humour which is very close to the grace of God. The peace of Jesus in daily life, the peace of Jesus in tribulations and with that little sense of humour that helps us breathe easier. May the Lord grant us this peace that comes from the Holy Spirit, this peace that comes precisely from Him, and that helps us to endure, to carry, the many difficulties in life.



Food for Thought:

In the Mass, we pray not only with our lips, but with our bodies as well.

We stand when the priests enter. In Western culture, standing is a sign of attention, a mark of respect: all stand when the judge enters the courtroom, for example. Standing is also an ancient posture of prayer, mentioned frequently in the Old Testament.

When the readings begin, we sit down: a listening posture. Mary sat at Jesus's feet to listen to his teaching; the crowds sat on the hillside or the seashore to hear his words.

Kneeling is another posture that is full of meaning. It expresses adoration and worship, but it can also express humility and contrition.

We bow: a sign of honour and reverence, acknowledging the presence of God, especially when we receive the Eucharist.

And there are other ritual gestures as well - striking the breast, genuflecting, and of course making the sign of the cross.

The liturgy invites us to pray with our whole person - with heart and mind, voice and body.



Upcoming Music Concerts



Saturday 21st September:

Irish Country Music Singer, Michael English will be performing at the Plowright Theatre. He will be joined by his super band along with special guests Keith & Lorraine McDonald

Friday 11th October:

Irish country music singer, Daniel O'Donnell will be performing at the Barbican Centre in York. A coach will be leaving from St Bernadette's Church. There are 15 tickets still available. For further information contact Marie on 07825160469

Dowry Tour 2019

The statue of Our Lady of Walsingham is currently on a tour around the Cathedrals of England and Wales. The statue will be in St Barnabas Cathedral Nottingham from the 10th-12th October.

As yet the Cathedral has not yet released details of the programme. It would be good to have a trip down to the Cathedral for this historic occasion. Once we have details they will be published.



REFLECTION:

Do not lose sight of Jesus. The path to heaven is like a race and we must keep our eyes on Jesus our leader. The saints too are praying for us so that we will win. With so many cheering us on to the finish how can we lose? We must never give up even when the going is hardest. We are bound to suffer for our faith just as Jeremiah the prophet did but the Lord will deliver us.

Prayer: Lord, I know that when I am weak you are my strength. You understand that these are the times when I need to be carried by you. I pray that you would gently renew my strength, speak your words of encouragement into my mind, hold me tight in your embrace, so that I can be stronger than the challenges in my life. Amen

