

WE WOULD LIKE TO START SENDING INFORMATION ELECTRONICALLY TO KEEP YOU INFORMED OF MASS CHANGES, BULLETIN ETC. If you would like to be on the parish email circular, please send an email to:

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Every Day Evangelising – Explore sharing your faith Join Bishop Patrick on Saturday 25th January (10.00am-3:30pm) at Holy Trinity Parish, Newark, for a day focused on how we can share our faith in simple ways every day! The day will be led by Deacon David Palmer (Birmingham Archdiocese) who will help us develop ways to live our baptismal calling to be Jesus' ambassadors in the world. There is no cost to the day but please bring a packed lunch. Book your place here: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/every-day-evangelising

CANDLEMASS – SUNDAY FEBRUARY 2ND – PROCESSION AND BLESSING OF CANDLES at the 10.00am mass. This is a mass of light and marks the end of Christmastide

- Jubilee Year Themed Candles are available to be purchased and kept in your homes £3.50
- 1.30PM Tea, coffee in the hall and a competition for the best decorated candles. We are suggesting for this that families purchase their own candle as this will influence how they decide to decorate them. For those who wish there will be a short procession after the Polish Mass at 1.00pm to Our Lady's statue.

Face Book



DONATIONS: Just scan the QR code with your phone to donate to our parish. Don't forget to gift aid if you can.



In the Parish of Saint Mary's Our Lady of the Rosary



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Prison: HMP North Sea Camp

If you know of a parishioner who is an in-patient at the Pilgrim hospital, please contact Father at the Presbytery (01205 362056) or Deacon Martyn .

Liturgical calendar					
Day	Date	Time		Liturgical Calendar	Mass Intention
Saturday	18	4.00pm	Eng	Vigil	<i>Ann Chambers rip</i>
Sunday	19	8.30am 10.00am Noon 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Pol	Second Sunday (of the Year)	<i>Parish (Ken Hilton)</i>
Monday	20	12.30pm	Eng	Feria	<i>M C Thomas RIP</i>
Tuesday	21	9.30am	Eng	St Agnes	<i>Perp E</i>
Wednesday	22	7.00am	Eng	Feria	<i>Priests</i>
Thursday	23	7.00pm	Eng	Feria	<i>Dec of Parish</i>
Friday	24	7.30pm	Pol	St Francis de Sales	<i>Friends/ Benefactors</i>
Saturday	25	9.00am 4.00pm	Eng Eng	Conversion of St Paul Vigil	<i>Alaba Akerele</i>
Sunday	26	8.30am 10.00am 12.00 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Pol	Third Sunday	<i>Parish</i>

Divine Mercy: Wednesday 2.00pm

Benediction:

Adoration/Holy Hour: Tuesday 8.15am and Thursday 6.00pm

Confessions: Saturday 3.20pm-3.50pm Sunday 7.50am-8.20pm and 9.30am-9.50am and before weekday masses and on request.



Dates for the diary:

18TH/19TH JANUARY: Visiting Priest for annual Mission Appeal this weekend: Fr Stephen from the St Patrick's Missionary Society (formerly Kiltegan Father's) Each year we have two mandated appeals for mission; one from a particular missionary society nominated by the Congregation of Bishops and the second the World Mission Sunday appeal.

African Mass - There will be an African Mass held at St Hugh's Catholic Church, Broadgate, Lincoln LN2 5AQ on Sunday the 19th January 2025 at 3pm. The Mass will be in English. All are welcome and we look forward to seeing you and normally on 3rd Sunday of the month.

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GIFT AID: The quarterly return for September amounting to £6,114.75 had been submitted to HMRC, and as a result a refund of £1528.69 has been received by the Parish. Thank you all who gift aid your donations to the Parish. If you have recently joined our parish or started to pay income tax, please consider completing a declaration. For further info contact me on 07778840886 or email "giftaid.bt@dioceseofnottingham.uk". Many thanks. Chaz Mayhew

Sunday Collection: January Envelopes £ Loose £

If donating by cheque please make it payable to Boston Roman Catholic Parish. Thank you for your financial support and those too who pay through the bank. We have now received repayment from HMRC in respect of your Gift Aid claim for the 2nd Quarter to 30/09/24. The amount due to the parish is £1528.69

Second Collections: FLOWERS £145 Christmas Collection: £800

OF YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR

- The sick and housebound and for those who need your prayers, Sadie Wheate, Rosalyn, Mary, Fay Cowell, David Locking. Michael Campbell; Kathleen Bedford Sally Wallington; Coco.
- Linda O'Neill

