

Saint Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham will host the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco on Sunday 12th and Monday 13th October, in commemoration of the Centenary of the Five First Saturdays devotion. The Visitation will include a procession and enthronement of the Fatima statue, followed by Mass; opportunities to venerate the saints' relics; praying the Rosary for world peace; and talks and videos about the Fatima messages. A book table with devotional materials will be available, and attendees can enrol in the Brown Scapular devotion. For further details visit: worldfatima-englandwales.org.uk or email: membership@waf-ew.org.uk

Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) – 'Join the Fightback' Campaign Meeting — 7.30pm Wednesday 24th September at Saint Peter and Saint Paul's Church Hall, Lincoln, LN6 7RB.

Bishop's Enabling Mission Appeal
I'm pleased to let you know that the parish is now about to reach £100,000 – well done. With outstanding pledge forms out we may be heading towards £120,000 Fr.

SPONSORED WALK

Martyn and Diane are taking part in a sponsored four mile walk on Sunday 21st September. All monies will be going to the Buttery Hospice. Donations and sponsorship most welcome.

On **Saturday 6th September** the annual **UK March for Life 2025** will take place in London. Join with thousands of others from all over the UK who believe that all life is sacred, as we march through the streets of London to the Houses of Parliament. The Walk is peaceful, legal and always spiritually uplifting. There will be a coach from Nottingham, picking up from Good Shepherd Arnold and Cathedral Derby Road, costing adults £30, unwaged including students £15, under 16s £10. To book on the coach or for more information contact Marie (marielangford@live.co.uk, 07948 151264). *"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.."*

If you would like to be on the parish email circular, please send an email to: infoatsaintmarysbt@gmail.com

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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	30	4.00pm	Eng	Vigil	
Sunday	31	8.30am 10.00am Noon 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Pol	Twenty-Second Sunday	<i>Parish</i>
Monday	1	12.30pm	Eng	St Gregory the Great	<i>Baptismal Mass For Elisha</i>
Tuesday	2	9.30am	Eng	Feria	
Wed.	3	7.00am	Eng	Feria	
Thurs	4	7.00pm	Eng	Feria	<i>Bisho Varghese RIP</i>
Friday	5	9.30am 7.30pm	Eng Pol	1 st Fri	
Saturday	6	9.00am 4.00pm	Eng	1 st Sat Vigil	<i>John Quinn RIP</i>
Sunday	7	8.30am 10.00am 12.00 4.00pm 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Latin Pol	Twenty-Third Sunday	<i>Dr. E.I.Ikhenia RIP Parish</i>

Divine Mercy: Wednesday 2.00pm

Stations of the Cross:

Adoration/Holy Hour: Tuesday + Friday 8.15am

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:

Monday's Mass will have Elisha's baptism during the mass.

"Those donating using the GIFT AID envelopes, please only use the yellow envelopes, all other colours will not be accepted and should be destroyed / recycled. If there are any problems I will be happy to help, and my contact details are published here in the bulletin each week."

MEDJUGORJE 13-20 MAY 2026

A pilgrimage to this important Marian pilgrimage site of past and present apparitions. 7 nights and 8 days, to include excursions to Dubrovnik, Mostar and Surmanci. Organised by Myra Boon at All Saints Travel, with Fr Kevin Athaide as spiritual leader. Special price of £897 pp if booked by 29 August 2025 (with a short leeway on this; £929 pp thereafter). Deposit of £350 required, with final balance paid 2 months before travel (or pay instalments). Twin-sharing, single room supplement. Departing London Luton (Easyjet). Half-board buffet breakfast and evening dinner in 4-star Hotel. For enquiries, phone Myra Boon on 07743 980771. To book online and see full itinerary please go to: <https://www.allsaintstravel.co.uk/MJ1083>

Sunday Collection: Rather than weekly, a monthly report will be made.

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.

Further to the quarterly return for Gift Aid to the 5th April 2025 amounting to £8,424.00; a REFUND from HMRC of £1,611.38 has been received into the Parish bank account. Thank you for all your gift aid donations to our parish.

If you have recently joined our parish or started to pay tax on personal income, please consider completing a Gift Aid declaration. For further information please contact me on 07778840886 or email giftaid.bt@dioceseofnottingham.uk
Many thanks. Chaz Mayhew"

Second Collections:

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; Sally Wallington; Coco, Margaret Lilley; John Tilley;
- Fr Slawomir RIP Colin Johns RIP

