

PARISH NEWS

- Deacon Martyn Chambers has been appointed as Parish Administrator and I am delighted that he has taken up this role. He will be instrumental in the governance of the parish. He is now the Chair of the PPC.
- We have now reached the stage in the development of the parish infrastructure and church where the project stages and costs need to be approved. The rough timetable is issuing of tenders at the end of September, the receipt of tenders and approval by the diocese in November. Potential start of the work mid-January 2026 lasting about 5 months.
- The Syro-Malabar have decided that understandably they need a weekly Sunday liturgy and so are now using Centenary Church, hence the drop in numbers. With the Polish moving to Saint Christopher's, this gives us time to regroup as a parish and it has become clearer now who makes up the stable parish congregation.
- Diane and Martyn successfully completed their sponsored walk on behalf of The Butterfly Hospice and with your kind generosity and support, raised £514.00. Thank you so much from us personally and a sincere thank you from The Butterfly Hospice.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

- Please see Father if you have children or young adults for the sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation.
- If there is anyone who would be prepared to help with these programs please see Father.

CHILDREN/YOUTH CHOIR

If any children/youth are interested in joining a choir please see Fr.

Thank you for your support!

We are delighted to announce that we have now secured £110,538 in pledges for the Enabling Our Mission Campaign, against a target of £150,000, as the initiative comes to an end in the parish. My heartfelt thanks to each and every one of you. I know there are some families out there who are still considering their pledge and I would be delighted to have your support. Once we reach our target of £150,000, our parish will receive over £90,000 and so we have much to benefit from. Thank you for your support and please pray for the continued success of the Enabling Our Mission Campaign in our parish

If you would like to be on the parish email circular, please send an email to:

info@saintmarysboston.org.uk

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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	27	4.00pm	Eng	Vigil	<i>Paul Edwards RIP</i>
Sunday	28	8.30am 10.00am Noon 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Pol	26th Sunday	<i>Sr Mary Michael Parish</i>
Monday	29	12.30pm	Eng	Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael	<i>Gosia Heller+fam.</i>
Tuesday	30	9.00am	Eng	St Jerome	<i>Sabu Jacob RIP</i>
Wed.	1	7.00am	Eng	St Therese	
Thurs	2	7.00pm	Eng	Guardian Angels	
Friday	3	9.30am 7.00pm	Eng Eng	Annv. Of the Dedication of the Church/1st Fri	<i>CONFIRMATIONS</i>
Saturday	4	4.00pm	Eng	St Francis/1st Sat Vigil	
Sunday	5	8.30am 10.00am 12.00 4.00pm 7.30pm	Eng Eng Pol Latin Pol	27th Sunday	<i>Parish</i>

Divine Mercy: Wednesday 2.00pm

Stations of the Cross:

Adoration/Holy Hour: Tuesday and 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

Friday 3rd October 7.00pm Confirmations with Bishop Patrick

Saturday 4th October trip to our Jubilee Church, St Norberts, Spalding. Fr Woodall is organizing a coach from Skegness to visit the Jubilee Church. The coach can pick up any of our parish who wish to join the trip. We would be arriving for 10.00am Mass and Adoration with a chance for confessions. This is a good chance to gain the Jubilee indulgence. Please let Fr know if you are interested. Cost £10

Weekend 25/26th October Harvest Festival

FINANCE

"GIFT AID: Further to the quarterly return for Gift Aid to the 5th June 2025 amounting to £6,652.10; a REFUND from HMRC of £1,515.53 together with £147.50 for contactless donations 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 income 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

"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. "

"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."

SECOND COLLECTIONS: 5th Oct Cafod; 19th October World Mission Sunday; 7th December Poor and Needy parishes.

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 Msg David Forde RIP
- Confirmation Candidates