

The Catholic Church of St Peter & St Paul Lincoln

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OUR LADY OF LINCOLN		Date/Time of Mass SSPP	Intention	Psalter Week I	
12 th - Mass 9.30am, 11am 13 th -Mass 9.30am 14 th - Mass 9.30am 16 th - Mass 9.30am 17 th - Mass 7.30pm 18 th - Mass 9.30am, Confessions 10.15-10.45am, Vigil 6.30pm 19 th - Mass 9.30am and 11am ST HUGH'S 12 th - Mass 8.30am, 10am, 12.15pm Mass in the Polish language, 4pm Latin Mass, Vigil 6pm 13 th - Mass 10am 14 th - Mass 10am 15 th - Mass 10am, 6pm Reception of Josie Harris RIP 16 th - Requiem Mass 10am Josie Harris RIP 17 th – Mass 10am, 10.30am-12 Noon Devotions 18 th – Mass 10am and confessions till 11.30am, Exposition 10.30am-12 Noon 19 th - Mass 8.30am, 10am, 12.15pm Mass in the Polish language, 6pm		11 th / 12 th January 5.15-5.45pm 6pm 9am 11am	FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD Sacrament of Reconciliation Harry O'Leary RIP (Christmas Wishes) Anthony & Nora Cafferkey RIP People of the Parish		
		Monday 13 th January -	Feria No Mass		
		Tuesday 14 th January -	Feria No Mass		
		Wednesday 15 th January 9.30am Afterwards 6.30-7.30pm	Feria Service of the Word and Holy Communion Tea and coffee in the Parish Centre for Fr Vincent's Clean Water Project Eucharistic Adoration		
		Thursday 16 th January 9.30am	Feria Service of the Word and Holy Communion		
		Friday 17 th January -	Saint Anthony, Abbot (Memorial) No Mass		
		Saturday 18 th January -	Feria No Mass		
		18 th / 19 th January 5.15-5.45pm 6pm 9am 11am	SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME Sacrament of Reconciliation Maureen Batchelor RIP Peter Barrett RIP People of the Parish		
	Readers	This	J Hughes	M Ellicott	Young People
		Next	M Costello	P Porter / J Masters	E Neal / F Bean
Tea & Coffee	This	The Briars			
	Next	CCJ			
Cleaners	22/01	A/D: H Belbin, L Aldridge, G Parton, L Reeves, P Davis, G Martin, C Palmer, J Power, M Robinson, J Murphy			
	05/02	B/C: M Hardy, B Harrington, M & B Flannigan, E Cooper, D Rooney, T & A Rowlett, C & T Scanlon			
Footsteps	This	M Moore, E Baker, K O'Connor			
	Next	F Carroll, G Lakshman			
Exposition	This	Mavis Pearman			
	Next	Chris Scanlon			
Welcome	This	R Naile / K Collingham	J, I & M May & M York	T Silva / D Rooney / L Roberts	
	Next	Y Musson / K Collingham	M Hardy & M York	T Silva / D Rooney / L Roberts	
Flowers		Alison			
COLLECTION last week		300 CLUB		Sunday Coffee Morning	
Standing Orders	429.00	£100 w/d 05/01/19 Paul Baldwin No 211 Forms to join the club are in the Parish Centre. <u>NEW MEMBERS WELCOME</u>		- raised £	
Envelopes	489.70	Hungry Box: £63.72 Uganda Coffee (Wednesday) 2019/20: £783.97 Weekly Giving Envelopes: If you do not already use envelopes but would like to, please add your details to the list at the back of the church (on the hymn book shelves). Gift Aid forms are also available. If you pay tax please give this some consideration. <i>Sincere thanks for your kind donations. The parish relies upon your generosity!</i>			
Loose Plate	379.24				
TOTAL	1,297.94				
SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: Baptism of infants under the age of 5 usually takes place at 12 Noon on a Sunday after the completion of a baptism preparation course. The next course will be held on 25 th January from 2-4pm in the Parish Centre. Application forms are on the CTS table. Please return to the parish office. For the baptism of children over 5 please speak with Fr Eddy. RCIA: The RCIA team (Eleanor Neal, Sue Mitchell, and Fr Eddy) welcome enquiries from adults who are seriously interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic Church. Suitable advice and support will always be offered to new enquirers. Marriage: Any couples wishing to get married, including those couples who live in the parish but plan to marry elsewhere, must give six months' notice. Marriages for 2020 can now be booked in the parish diary. ENTERING HOSPITAL: Let us know if you or a relative enter hospital. If you do not, we will not know you have been admitted and will not be able to bring you the sacraments during your stay. PARISH SECRETARY: Will be in the office on Tuesday and Friday next week					

FR EDDY is away till 23 January. Weekend masses will be celebrated by Father Richard Edey. There will be services of the word and Holy Communion on Wednesday and Thursday mornings at 9.30am, otherwise please see details of daily worship at St Hugh's and Our Lady's. The parish office will be open as advertised in the newsletter. If you need a priest for the urgent administration of the sacraments then please ring St Hugh's on 528961 and either Fr Matthew or Fr Patrick will respond.

FR MATTHEW, parish priest of St Hugh's, sends a very big thank you to the parishioners of St Peter & St Paul's who organised, helped and supported the recent coffee morning held at SSPP for St Hugh's Tower Fund. This is very much appreciated.

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REQUEST FOR HELP: Mother with student daughter, both working, are looking for a quiet room for rent in Lincoln. We are tidy, quiet, non-partying, non-smoking persons, therefore we are looking also among the parish community. If you can help ring 07587 791087.

MEDICAL DETECTION DOGS: This is a reminder to you all to save used postage stamps for the above charity. This charity raises money by the sale of these used stamps to British and foreign stamp collectors and this money is used to train dogs to detect medical conditions which is in the forefront of the research into the fight against cancer and helping people with life threatening disease. There is a box and a basket on the CTS Table to collect your stamps. To get maximum benefit from your efforts there is guidance as to how the stamps must be prepared. Please see the pictures by the box for useable and unusable examples. It is very important the stamps are trimmed correctly before you put them in the box. Thank you.

FAITH IN FAMILIES: Can all box holders please bring your boxes in for the December collection. Thank you. Pauline

CAMEO: To start the New Year, on **14 January** we have Nigel Plant a representative from the Nat West Bank talking about FRAUD. I am sure we will all learn much from his talk. As usual in the Parish Centre at 2pm, all men and ladies very welcome.

SSPP PRAYER GROUP: Meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Praise and worship in the Sacristy 7.30-8.30pm. Next meetings: **14th and 28th January**. All are most welcome.

ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP will meet again on **16th January** at 2.15pm at the Convent, 65 Nettleham Road, Lincoln LN2 1RT. During this month dedicated to the Holy Family join in Adoration and devotion, through St Padre Pio's intercessions for Peace throughout the World, especially in these troubled times. The Relic will be available for veneration.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 18-25 January - Unusual Kindness Churches Together in Lincoln & District has planned the following:
20th January 12.30pm The Friends Meeting House (Quakers), *corner of Park Street and Beaumont Fee*.

21st January 12.30pm Lincoln Hospital Chapel, *near Main Entrance*.

also on 21st January 7.30pm St. John the Baptist, Ermine East, LN2 2EF

22nd January 12.30pm The Salvation Army, High Street, LN5 7PY

23rd January 12.30pm United Reformed Church, Ermine East LN2 2EF

also on 23rd January 7.30pm Bridge Central Church, Portland St LN5 7NN
Lincoln City Prayer Evening – praying over each sphere and sector of Lincoln

24th January 12.30pm St. Hugh's Catholic Church, Monks Road, LN2 5AL
Parking in St.Hugh's car park off Friars Lane, via Unity Square, LN2 5AL

There will be an additional Service for Christian Unity on

26th January 4pm Moorland Methodist Church, Skellingthorpe Rd, LN6 7RB

You can find further information and downloadable resources on the Churches Together in Great Britain and Ireland website: www.ctbi.org.uk.

For his Church and all people comes to fulfilment. As Paul will proclaim in Rome, this salvation of God has been sent to all peoples (see Acts ch.28).

SECOND COLLECTION: Sick and Retired Priests Fund to be taken at all Masses over the weekend of **18th / 19th January**.

JUSTICE & PEACE MEETING, 20th January 7pm at Our Lady of Lincoln, Jubilee Room: (*entry via the Office door between the Church and the house*). Newcomers are very welcome. You may raise any concerns you have about the environment, the homeless, or social action in Lincoln.

SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN (SPUC) - Lincoln branch meeting - 7-8.45pm **21st January** at Our Lady of Lincoln Parish Centre, Laughton Way, Lincoln. All welcome. For further information contact Julie Rogers on 07465 440171.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY: A service will take place at Moorland Park Methodist Church on **26 January at 4pm**. This service will hopefully bring together members of the 3 neighbouring churches on Skellingthorpe Road (Holy Cross, Moorland Park, and ourselves) and is also being advertised across the city as part of the programme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE: This year's service will take place at Our Lady of Lincoln on **26 January at 6.30pm**. This year marks the 75th anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz.

Please note the above two events have been scheduled so that it is possible for people to be able to attend both.

CWL Coffee Morning on the **2nd February** in aid of the victims of the Australian bush fires.

SAVE THE DATE! As part of the Year of the Word: The God Who Speaks initiative, the Nottingham Diocese will be hosting the National Scripture Tour on **22nd February** in Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Newark.

22nd February: SSPP Parish Centre, 7pm for 7.30pm. To raise funds for the parish and Lincoln Heart Centre. Tickets £10 and includes a 2 course meal (meat and veg options), door raffle, bingo and quiz. Bar available. All welcome. Contact Therese Silva ([01522 856590](tel:01522856590)) or Jo Franks for tickets.

FUNDRAISING CURRY NIGHT - WITH LIVE MUSIC 22nd February 5-9pm: My name is Ingrid Fernandes, I am a parishioner at St Hugh's Church, and an altar server. I am fundraising for the Tower Fund and for my upcoming expedition to India where part of it includes working with The Snow Leopard Conservancy. We will have a raffle and cake stall, and performing on the night is local musician George Shelley. But we need more local talent young and old to also perform on the day. Performances include: singing, dance, music, poems etc. If you, or your child would like to take part please contact Maclina Fernandes by email: maclina@icloud.com or tel: 07576 220563. Tickets for the Curry Night: £7, under 12 £3, group (4) £24 available from Maclina, in the church hall after both morning Masses this Sunday, or you can contact her direct (details as above). (*You're welcome to bring your own drinks and nibbles, also donations for the raffle would be appreciated. Thank you*).

OFFICIAL PRAYER FOR THE YEAR

Living God, you walk alongside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures.

Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another.

Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world Amen