

The Catholic Church of St Peter & St Paul Lincoln

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Eleventh Week of Ordinary Time, Psalter Week 3	INTENTIONS
Saturday 12th June 6pm Mass streamed	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial) Rev Fr Brian Saddler RIP 30.03.21
Sunday 13th June 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed 12.30pm	ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR People of the Parish Repose of the Soul of Ronald Thornton Baptism of Alicja Urbanaviciute
Monday 14th June NO MASS	Feria -
Tuesday 15th June 9.30am Mass streamed	Feria Repose of the souls of Robin Scoley and Theresa Scoley
Wednesday 16th June NO MASS	Feria -
Thursday 17th June 9.30am Mass streamed	Feria Mass for Breda Evans RIP
Friday 18th June NO MASS	Feria -
Saturday 19th June 6pm Mass streamed	Feria Rev Fr James Earley RIP
Sunday 20th June 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed 12.30pm	TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Day of Special Prayer for Life Issues Anne Frattarolli RIP (Cousin in USA died 12.04.21) People of the Parish Baptism of Alex Pomykala

Readers	This	S Collingham	T Rowlett	F Bean
	Next	H Levey	J Clarkson	E Neal
Church Flowers	12/6	Pat		
	26/6			
Cleaners	This	SUSPENDED		
	Next	SUSPENDED		
Footsteps	This	SUSPENDED		
	Next	SUSPENDED		
Exposition	This	SUSPENDED		
	Next	SUSPENDED		
Stewards	This	6pm – Ted and Nat	9am – Alison, Val and Philomena	11am – Stan, Jude and Sue
	Next	6pm – Ted and Nat	9am – Alison and Jon	11am – Stan, Jude and Sue

WEEKLY COLLECTION		 Hello all you LS challengers, the total for May for our Live simply challenge is 923! Well done, an excellent result, as of a few days ago it was only 650! Keep up the good work, many of the points achieved this month were for saying the Rosary.	HUNGRY BOX Suspended
Standing Orders	529.00		
Envelopes	138.70		
Loose Plate	51.40		

300 CLUB: Forms to join the club are on the side table in the church by the display. NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

ENTERING HOSPITAL: Please let us know if you or a relative enter hospital, we will do what we can to assist you
SUNDAY OBLIGATION: A reminder that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is suspended in the dioceses of England and Wales
PASTORAL VISITS: Resumed
CONFESSIONS: By arrangement, please call 01522 696838
PARISH SECRETARY: Will be in the office on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 10am-4pm
CANON GEOFFREY: For information Canon Geoffrey will generally take Mondays as his day off

IF SOMEONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD DISPLAYS ANY OF THE SYMPTOMS OF COVID19, YOU MUST STAY AT HOME!

If shielding, please continue to protect yourself by staying at home.

Our Stewards will assist you in managing arriving and leaving our church safely. Face coverings MUST be worn unless you are exempt from doing so.

Please sanitise your hands on entry to the church and you **MUST** keep your distance inside and outside the building. Thank you.

MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTIES: The first stage of the works to the drain pipes, gullies and gutters has been completed. I have received the invoice for £2,610 including VAT. A report and recommendations is awaited from the contractor regarding future maintenance and control of tree roots which are causing problems.

I have received a quotation for new notice boards outside the Church and Parish Centre, hopefully illuminated and thus advertising more our presence. Work on this project will commence in September 2021. Any donations would be gratefully received. Canon Geoffrey

REFURBISHMENT OF PARISH ARTEFACTS: Thank you to all who have made donations towards the refurbishment of our artefacts. To date some £3126.25 including Gift Aid has been donated towards the cost.

Total to be Raised	£6515.00
Sum Raised	£3126.25
To be raised	£3388.75

Please do consider making a donation. Sincerely, Canon Geoffrey

REMEMBERING YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL: We are most grateful to those who over the years have remembered SSPP Parish, Lincoln in their Wills. SSPP Parish, Lincoln is certainly an option as a beneficiary from an estate. Should you wish to consider a legacy to SSPP Parish in your Will the recommended form of wording is as follows:

"I GIVE free of tax the sum of (insert the amount you wish to give here or the percentage of my residuary estate) to NOTTINGHAM ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESAN TRUSTEES (Charity Number 1134449) of Nottingham Roman Catholic Diocese Company Number 7151646 / Charity Number 1134449. Postal Address: Willson House, 25 Derby Road, Nottingham NG1 5AW" generally without imposing any binding trust or legal obligation but with the wish that it be used for St Peter and St Paul's Parish, Lincoln AND I DECLARE that the receipt of the Financial Secretary or other proper officer for the time being of the said charity shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.

Canon Geoffrey

300 CLUB: Application Forms are available by the display board in the Church. If you are not a member please consider becoming a member the subscription is £5 per number per month, which is paid via Standing Order. The Cash Prizes are: £100.00 weekly £200.00 monthly £1500.00 yearly

COVID-19 PANDEMIC – RELAXATION OF RESTRICTIONS AN UPDATE:

The guidance issued by the Bishops' Conference of England following the move in to Step 3 indicates the following:

- A reassessment of seating capacity – hopefully, this weekend we will be able to increase the permitted people attending Sunday and Weekday Masses.
- Incense can be resumed.
- Congregational Singing – still prohibited, other than a Cantor.
- Readers are now permitted to read from the Lectionary, with minimum of touch.
- Prayers of the Faithful can now resume from the Lectern.
- Offertory Procession can now resume, with those involved sanitizing their hands beforehand.
- Sign of Peace remains suspended.
- Holy Communion under one kind. Communion is recommended to be received in the hand. However, should those who wish to receive on the tongue they should wait until the end of the Communion Line. ***(NB. Communion on the tongue exposes the Priests' hand to your aerosol emissions and saliva and increases the possibility of viral infection – please do consider your Priest before requesting Communion on the tongue.)***
- Celebration of Baptism - 30 People
- Celebration of Marriage - 30 People
- Celebration of Funerals - dependent upon reassessed Church capacity
- Home visits can now take place by Priests, Deacons and Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. It is recommended that one morning and one afternoon visit is made in any one day.
- Veneration of Statues: they can be touched, but not kissed.
- Holy Water Stoups to remain empty.
- Votive Candles available, but not tapers or lighters, please light from a lit candle. Please do not leave spent matches on the votive stand! Thank you!

G7 SUMMIT THIS WEEKEND: This weekend the G7 leaders will be meeting in Cornwall from **11th-13th June**. If you feel you could write to Mr. Johnson encouraging him to urge the leaders to be courageous and make sure that the developing countries have access to free Vaccines for Covid until all the world's population is protected for the sake of the poor and also to make sure the entire world is safe, for the producers to waver the patent rights for a brief period of time to enable the countries to develop the vaccine in their own nation. However, please pray for the weekend that all the leaders will be moved to act with wisdom, justice, mercy and integrity for all those in such desperate need of help to recover from the pandemic.

NEWSLETTERS: If you currently receive the weekly newsletter by post or email, but no longer require this service as you now attend Church, please advise the Parish Office.

WOOL AVAILABLE: Parishioner, Teresa, has kindly left 2 balls of yellow wool (on 'CTS' table) for people who would like to be involved in **Grow and support your Parish** and knit/crochet a sunflower. See parish website or email: plantapray@yahoo.com for more information. A knitting pattern for the sunflower is available from the office.

VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESAN CURIA:

Formation, Communication and Website Administrator This role will support the work of the Communications, Formation for Mission and other outreach departments of the Diocesan Curia. The role entails providing communication assistance, course & event coordination and general office duties. Salary: £20-£23,000 per annum dependant on qualifications and experience.

Finance Assistant (OPAS) This role is primarily concerned with supporting parishes with the production of financial information using the Diocesan Online Parish Administration System (OPAS). This is not technical IT support. The objective is to help parishes to record financial data in a timely and compliant manner. Training in OPAS and Diocesan financial procedures will be provided. Frequent travel across the Diocese will be required. Salary: £22-£25,000 per annum dependant on qualifications and experience For information and an application pack email: office@dioceseofnottingham.uk
Closing date 20th June.

PLANT A PRAYER: Calling parishioners willing to commit to praying for the future of the parish and mission/witness of the Catholic community in our area, as part of **Grow and support your Parish** (see parish website). Each person will commit to pray initially for 3 months about one theme eg identity, community, gifts. If interested, or for further information, please email Jo at: plantapray@yahoo.com

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY INTENTION FOR JUNE IS THE BEAUTY OF MARRIAGE. Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

DIARY DATES

SECOND COLLECTIONS: Weekend of **20th June**, Day for Life and weekend of **27th June**, Peter's Pence - collections to be taken at all Masses.

ST PETER & ST PAUL'S PRAYER GROUP: Meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month on Zoom. You would be very welcome to join us. Next meetings **22nd June** from 7.30-9pm at the latest. **ID- 498 066 3426 Password- 999198.**

LOOKING AHEAD: 21st June, please God will see further relaxations of Corona Virus restrictions. 29th June is our Patronal Feast Day, and I am more than hoping that the weekend before after the 11am Mass on the **Sunday, 27th June** we will be able to gather together, complying with any remaining restrictions to celebrate and give thanks to God and enjoy each other's company in the Parish grounds – please put this in your diaries and watch this space! **Canon Geoffrey**

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen