

# The Catholic Church of St Peter & St Paul Lincoln

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Third Week of Lent - Psalter Week 3	INTENTIONS/LITURGIES/OTHER
<b>Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March</b> 5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT</b> Confessions Eric Mason and the dead of the Mason family
<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March</b> 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed 12.30pm	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT</b> People of the Parish Recovery to health of Margaret, Dinny and Sean McCullagh (Donegal, Ireland) Baptism of Jasmine Marie Martin
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March</b> -	<b>Lenten Feria</b> No Mass
<b>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b> 10am – 12noon 7pm Mass streamed	<b>Lenten Feria</b> Exposition in The Lady Chapel Joseph and Florence Hunton RIP
<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March</b> 9.30am Mass streamed 10am – 12noon	<b>Lenten Feria</b> Joe Brennan RIP Followed by Tea and Coffee Exposition in The Lady Chapel
<b>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March</b> 9.30am Mass streamed 10.45am Funeral streamed	<b>Lenten Feria</b> Charlotte Hinch RIP Funeral Service for William Smith RIP
<b>Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March</b> 10am – 12noon 12 Noon Service of Word & Communion 6.30pm	<b>The Annunciation of the Lord (Solemnity)</b> Exposition in the Church  Lunches in the Parish Centre on the 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fridays  Stations of the Cross
<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March</b> 10am – 12 noon 11am  5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	<b>Lenten Feria</b> Exposition in The Lady Chapel Confessions <b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT</b> Confessions Gordon Clarkson RIP (21.3.2018)
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March</b> 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT</b> People of the Parish Eamon Dillon RIP  <b>Mothering Sunday</b>

Readers	This	6pm – H Levey	9am – J Clarkson	11am – N Mankwa
	Next	6pm – Y Buckingham	9am – P Porter	11am – G Hughes
Weekend Coffee	This	9am – 11am –		
	Next	9am – 11am –		
Wednesday Coffee	This	10am – For Water Fund and Parish Funds		
	Next	10am – For Water Fund and Parish Funds		
Footsteps	This	Fiona Carroll, Eileen Cooper		
	Next	Hannah Bownes, Mary Moore		
Weekend Stewards	This	6pm – Ted	9am –	11am – Stan
	Next	6pm – Ted	9am –	11am – Stan

WEEKLY INCOME		POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH - A Christian Response to Bioethical Challenges: We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action	<b>300 CLUB:</b> We need a further 33 members to bring us up to 300. If you are not a member, please do consider becoming a member. Thank you, Canon Geoffrey	Artefacts: Total £9125.00 Raised £6657.17 Balance £2467.83
Standing Orders	£ 579.53			
Envelopes	£ 123.20			
Loose Plate	£ 353.10			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£1,055.83</b>			
Second Collection	-			
Friday Lunches	-			
Sunday Coffee	£142.38 Ukraine			
Weds Coffee	£ 15.30			
Donations	£ 3.00			
Mass Stipends	£ 30.00			
Funerals	£300.00			
Hall Fees	£ 60.00			
Newsletters	£ 7.00			
<b>Please do consider leaving your Parish a Legacy in your Will</b>				<b>Please keep in your prayers Mgr. Tom McGovern who is poorly at the moment.</b> Thank you Canon Geoffrey

**Please note the Parish Administrator is in the office on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday next week 9am-5pm**



**Start of British Summer Time  
Clocks go forward one hour at  
2am on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March**

**SUNDAY COLLECTION ENVELOPES:** The new boxes will start on 10<sup>th</sup> April and will be available for collection later in the month. If you do not already use envelopes, but would like to do so, please let the parish office know. If you previously had a box of envelopes but haven't used them since March 2020 you will also need to apply for a box via the Parish Office. Thank you.

**CAFOD Family Fast Day envelopes are on the Display Table in the Church for the voluntary retiring collection at all Masses this weekend.**

**READERS - NEW ROTA** available on the side table in the Church. Also, a copy is on the notice board in the Lady Chapel.

**LENTEN INITIATIVES:** Lent is a time of prayer, reconciliation, fasting and almsgiving, it has been suggested that we as a parish support ourselves and a charity by praying daily for our parish and parishioners, and PACT, The Prisoners Advice Care Trust, linked with this is that we all give up something for the forty days of Lent, e.g., a drink, chocolates, biscuits, etc., and over the forty days of Lent donate forty pence a day to be shared equally between PACT and Parish Funds. The second initiative is for forty hours of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament spread over 2 hours per day spread over 20 days. Envelopes for the Parish/PACT idea and a sign-up sheet for the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament are available on the CTS Table.

**TUESDAY MASS:** Perhaps with the lighter evenings and during Lent more of you may wish to come along. Canon Geoffrey

**FRIDAYS - EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this coming Friday will be from 10am followed by a Service of Word & Communion at 12 noon. May I encourage Parishioners who are able to take the opportunity to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament, in particular may I encourage our Eucharistic Ministers to come along, Canon Geoffrey.

**PROPOSED PLANS for 2a Skellingthorpe Road** are on display in the Church; please do take the time to view them. Canon Geoffrey

**REMEDIAL WORKS AND REPAIRS TO OUR PROPERTIES:** Over the past week and over the coming weeks essential remedial and repair work has been and will continue to be done to our properties. To keep you in the picture the following works have been completed:

- Insulate Roof at 2a
- Lag exposed pipes at 2a
- Make up byelaw kit for redundant tank at 2a
- Fit a Surestop in the Sacristy Kitchen
- Inspect, seal and repair lead over the Parish Centre Kitchen
- Repairs to verge mortar
- Replace flue basket and glass tiles around the Lady Chapel
- Inspect and push back loose tiles at 240 Boultham Park Road
- Replace corroded heating pipes at 240 Boultham Park Road
- The total cost for the above was £3354.00 inc. VAT**
- Other works to be attended to:**
- Repositioning 6 block pavers
- Replacing frost damaged tiles at the rear of 240 Boultham Park Road
- Repairs to a crack in the Sanctuary Wall
- The estimate for these works is: £1980.00 inc. VAT**

**NEW HEATER FOR THE LADY CHAPEL:** Donations would be very welcome towards the costs of installing the new heater, the total cost is: £3027.19. Please put any donations in an envelope marked "Heater Lady Chapel". Thank you. Donations received: £260.00. Canon Geoffrey

**BACKPACKS – URGENT:** After much reflection and prayer Mary's Meals have made the decision to discontinue the Backpack Project for the time being. The rising cost of storage and transport due to the Pandemic has become prohibitive and the need to concentrate on feeding the hungry children is the first principle of their charity. They will be collecting until the week after Easter. You have all been so very, very generous to this project and so far you have provided 335 bags in 3 years! Most of which has been during Lockdown and the Pandemic. If anyone has bags either full or almost

there, please leave them under the table at the back of church and we will collect them each day. Thank you all again for your kindness.

**STUDENT CROSS 2022:** Do you want to do something different for Holy Week? Why not join the Pilgrim Cross Walking Pilgrimage to Walsingham? held over Holy Week from various destinations in the country. From our diocese the 'legs' start from Nottingham and Leicester. It is an ecumenical pilgrimage but has a very strong Catholic ethos. It's both spiritually uplifting and great fun. The group lives and walks in community for one, three, or seven days before spending an amazing weekend celebrating Easter in the Walsingham Basilica. For information, contact Deacon Chris Stevens at [c.stevens@lboro.ac.uk](mailto:c.stevens@lboro.ac.uk) or visit the pilgrimage website at <https://pilgrimcross.org.uk/> Deacon Chris will be walking the over 18s Midland Leg as one of the Chaplains, so come and join us!

**IN MEMORIAM BOOK:** Should you wish to see your loved one's name in the anniversary book, details of insertion are below the display cabinet.

**PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE HYMN BOOKS IN THE LADY CHAPEL; PLEASE RETURN THEM TO THE SHELVES AT THE REAR OF THE MAIN BODY OF THE CHURCH. THANK YOU.**

**AFRICAN MASS:** Join us for the next African Mass on **20<sup>th</sup> March**, at St Hugh's from 3pm. The Mass will be in English. All are very welcome.

**ST PETER & ST PAUL'S PRAYER GROUP:** The next Prayer Group is on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March** from 7.30-9pm in the Parish Centre. All are welcome.

**POTTERSHEART** at Our Lady of Lincoln on **Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March** 1-3pm in the Church Hall for refreshments with Guest Speaker Janet Leeson highlighting how Lincoln based support helps those most in need in rural Kenya. Come and find out more and see the poster on the Lady Chapel noticeboard.



**THE PEOPLE OF THE UKRAINE NEED OUR HELP, PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MAY BE LEFT IN THE LADY CHAPEL**

- Medication (paracetamol/ibuprofen for adults and children and cough medicine for children)**
- Thermals (but no other clothes)**
- Dry and canned food**
- First aid items (especially dressings and bandages)**
- Power banks and batteries**
- Antibacterial gels and sprays, Sanitary items**
- Disposable gloves Soap, toothpaste, and toothbrushes**
- Baby toiletries nappies, wipes, milk, bottles, dummies, food**
- Torches/head torches**
- Any military surplus equipment especially head torches with red light, helmets, ear defenders, military boots and bulletproof vests, night vision glasses,**
- Sleeping bags (suitable for minus temperatures).**

**UKRAINIAN APPEAL:**

Sincere thanks to all who supported last weekend's retiring collection the total raised was £1,625.04, plus £142.38 was raised from the coffee mornings. A cheque will be sent to the Ukrainian Catholic Church here in England who are distributing funds to the following charities: Caritas Ukraine, Red Cross Ukraine and Medicin Sans Frontiers who are assisting the people of Ukraine and those who have been displaced because of the war. Two very large loads of goods donated by you have been collected, are being sorted at a central point in Lincoln to be transported on to The Ukraine and distributed there and to those who have fled to neighbouring countries. The Lady Chapel will remain open during the coming week if you wish to leave donations. Please do continue to pray for peace in our continent of Europe.

Canon Geoffrey