

THE PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS, NORTH NOTTINGHAM

SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF BESTWOOD, BULWELL AND HUCKNALL.

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SCHOOLS SERVING OUR PARISH:

PRIMARY SCHOOLS:

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell		
Head Teacher — Mrs. Fiona Wadsley		
		0115 9150500
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Head Teacher — Mrs Sarah Sweeney McGinty		
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Head Teacher—Mr Paul Tibble		
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Trinity School, Aspley		
Head Teacher — Mr. Matthew Shenton		
		0115 9296251
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Head Teacher — Miss Jo Love		
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THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT - 21ST/22ND FEBRUARY 2026 MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK					Suggested Donation for Newsletter 20p
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT	21st	11.00am 5.00pm	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Baptism of Elijah Cooke, Hariet Imrie and Theo Smedley Kath and John Staniland RIP	
SUNDAY - THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT	22nd	9.00am 11.00am 12.30pm 6.00pm	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS	Paddy Hallam RIP Catherine and John Heraghty RIP Baptism of Nora O'Dowd Stations of the Cross	
MONDAY - LENTEN FERIA	23rd				
TUESDAY - LENTEN FERIA	24th	9.30am	OUR LADY'S	Mrs Sylvia Satur RIP	
WEDNESDAY - LENTEN FERIA	25th	12noon	HOLY CROSS	Mother Francis RIP	
THURSDAY - LENTEN FERIA	26th	9.30am	OUR LADY'S	Mother Francis O'Connor RIP	
FRIDAY - LENTEN FERIA DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR THE NEEDY AND HUNGRY OF THE WORLD	27th	7.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Stations of the Cross	
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	28th	5.00pm	OUR LADY'S	Brendan O'Boyle RIP	
SUNDAY - THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	1st	9.00am 11.00am 6.00pm	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S HOLY CROSS	Bashir Attah RIP Paul Singleton RIP Stations of the Cross	

RECONCILIATION - Our Lady's - Saturdays 4.15 - 4.45pm Holy Cross - after Mass on Wednesdays

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS IN OUR PARISH

HOLY CROSS
at Michael Hallam's house **Sunday at 4.00pm.**
If you require a lift please ring 0115 9630925.

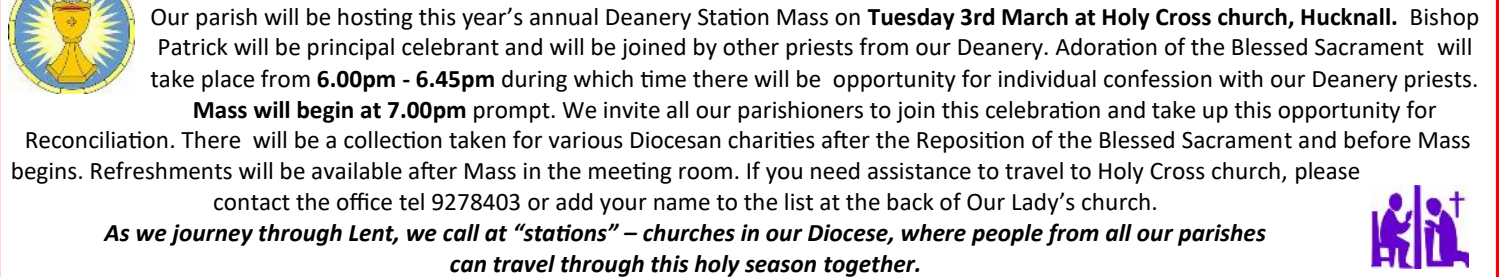
FRIENDS OF JESUS OF NAZARETH COMMUNITY
at Our Lady's church - **Sunday at 4.00pm.**

If you are unable to attend, you can join in by saying the Rosary and the following prayer to the Holy Spirit in your homes:
O Holy Spirit, pull down the barriers and take away those inhibitions that prevent or hold back those whom God the Father has chosen, and whom His Son Jesus has called to follow Him to serve in His Vineyard. Empower them with courage and steadfastness in Faith to respond to His call, to the glory and praise of the Most Holy Trinity.
Amen.

SCRIPTURE GROUP on St. John's Revelation, Chapters 15 and 16, will be on Tuesday 24th February 2026 @ 7.00pm in Our Lady's parish hall.	BIBLE STUDY MEETING HOLY CROSS No meeting this week because of Scripture Group.	THE LEGION OF MARY Our Lady's - Every Sunday after 11am Mass. Everyone welcome to join.
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WORD OF THE WEEK: PRAYER. *Prayer is a conversation with God. It is a way of opening our hearts to him and sharing our thoughts and feelings with him. Prayer can be done in many different ways, such as through words, music, or silence. During Lent, we can use prayer to reflect on our relationship with God, and to ask for his guidance and strength.*

Take a moment this week to pray. Think about what you want to say to God and what he might be saying to you.



Works continue on the installation of a new and improved heating system at Our Lady's church. This upgrade is part of our ongoing commitment to ensure a comfortable environment for all who attend our services and events. We are working closely with contractors to minimise inconvenience but some services may be relocated, temporarily suspended, or adapted as needed. We kindly ask for your patience and understanding during this time. If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact the parish office. Please wrap up warmly for the weekend Masses.

Thank you for your continued support and co-operation.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS 14TH / 15TH FEBRUARY HOLY CROSS £471.93 S/O £233 OUR LADY'S £568.40 S/O £498	BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS TO DONATE OUR LADY OF PERP SUCC BULWELL RCP S/C: 30-96-18 A/C: 01642187 HOLY CROSS HUCKNALL RCP S/C: 30-96-18 A/C 01697003
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MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉS

HOLY CROSS will be open again on **Wednesday March 18th**, at the new time of **10.30am**, in the meeting room.

OUR LADY'S meets every **Thursday 10am—12.30pm** in the parish hall. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**

HOLY CROSS HEATING FUNDRAISING.
Total raised to date: **£10,669.34.**
There will be no further second collections but donations can still be made using the envelopes at the back of church or via our Dona machine.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH
READER
Sunday 1st March– Vivien Flynn
WELCOMERS
Sunday 1st March - Nnamdi and
Fum Anyameluhor
CHURCH CLEANING
Sunday 1st March - Coleen and Rose Cash

OUR LADY'S CHURCH

READERS Saturday 28th February - Filipino community
Sunday 1st March - Ngozi Okochi

WELCOMERS Saturday 28th February - Filipino community
Sunday 1st March - Jason Young and Monica Cassidy

OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANSING FOR MARCH

Team C (Monica, Jane, the Muchene family, Gladys & Alexander)

REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS

Sunday 1st March - Emmanuel & Nana

A hearing loop system is available in both churches.

Please set your hearing aid to 'T' (Telecoil) setting in order for it to work.



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