





Diocese of Nottingham
Nottingham

Synod
2021
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Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Saturday 1st June The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - Corpus Christi (Solemnity)	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: People of the Parish	
Sunday 2nd June The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - Corpus Christi (Solemnity)	10.30 am Mass: Paul Packer RIP	
Monday 3rd June Saints Chales Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs of Uganda	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Special Intention (JG)	
Tuesday 4th June Feria	9.00 am Mass: For Pope Francis	
Thursday 6th June Saint Norbert, bishop (memorial)	9.00 am Mass: For the Sick	
Friday 7th June The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity)	9.00 am Mass: Sacred Heart Fathers & Brothers	If you would like to make a donation, please scan the QR code for CC Church
Saturday 8th June 10th Sunday of the Year	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Maureen Cooke RIP	
Sunday 9th June 10th Sunday of the Year	10.30 am Mass: People of the Parish	

Our Lady & St Patricks, Meadows, Mass/Service Times 2nd - 9th June 2024



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Sunday 2nd June The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - Corpus Christi (Solemnity)	9.00 am Mass: Kevin Mulhern RIP	Tea & coffee after the morning Mass. 
Wednesday 5th June Saint Boniface of Crediton, bishop & martyr (memorial)	9.30 am Adoration 10.00 am Mass: Tim Conlan RIP	Coffee & Tea after the morning Mass.
Saturday 8th June The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (memorial)	9.30 am Confessions 10.00 am Mass: Private Intention	If you would like to make a donation, to the Church please scan the QR code above.
Sunday 9th June The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - Corpus Christi (Solemnity)	9.00 am Mass: Kevin Mulhern RIP	Tea & coffee after the morning Mass.

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, Corpus Christi: Following the example of Jesus, whenever we pray in silence, so as better to listen to the Lord, we open our hearts to the needs of others. Although often hidden from the world, our intercessions are never hidden from God, who always hears those who cry to him. Like Christ the Good Shepherd interceding with his heavenly Father for all his children, may our own prayer always be attentive to those most in need.

To read the full reflection and find more resources at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

The Sacred Heart Fathers and Brothers (Betharram) invite you to a 'Come and See Weekend' to Explore the Gift of Vocation to the Religious Life and Priesthood.

The Weekend will take from Friday (Evening) 21 to after lunch on Sunday 23 June 2024 at the Dupuis Retreat Centre. St. Paul's Convent., 94 Selly Park Road, Selly Park, Birmingham. B29 7LL. For more information please speak in person with or you can email:

Br Andrew Ferris, SCJ andrewferris@hotmail.co.uk

Our Lady and St Patrick fund raising event in celebration of the life of Patrick our young parishioner who died recently.

Saturday 8th June, 12 noon to 2 pm: Burgers, hotdogs, refreshments, raffle, cake stall, book stall, wine or water lucky pick etc.

Donations welcome. Raffle prizes, tombola prizes etc. can be left at church Wednesday after Mass, cakes early morning Saturday 8th or delivered/picked up Friday by arrangement. Please come and support.

Next week 3rd - 9th June is National Volunteering Week.

Clifton Advice Centre, based in Clifton Cornerstone is seeking administrative support for the Adviser. The administrator can do a variety of activities including telephone reception, maintaining the computer database and providing monitoring reports, photocopying, filing and archiving, letter writing and form-filling etc.

Hours are flexible to suit the volunteer. As a guide the telephone line is open on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays from 10.30am - 12.30pm, so cover is needed from 10 - 1 three hours on three days a week.

Please contact Les Michalak on 07765227337 or the Advice Centre on 0115 9405551 for further details and an interview.

CARTERS EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Carter's Educational Foundation is a local charity offering financial grants to young people under the age of 25, who are resident or have a parent resident in Wilford, Silverdale, parts of the Meadows or West Bridgford. This could be help with school uniform, school trips, university costs, educational visits abroad, or preparing to enter a profession or trade through apprenticeship. The deadline for applications is extended this year to 30th June 2024. Details and Application Forms can be accessed via the website www.wilford-carters-education.org.uk or from The Clerk to the Trustees, Carter's Educational Foundation, 8 Stanford St., Nottingham NG1 7BQ. Please note also that a special grant can be awarded at any time of the year if an andunforeseen educational opportunity arises.

The next Baptism Course will be held on Saturday, 29th June at Corpus Christi Church and there will be a 3rd course at OLSP in October 2024. Please complete an application form available at both Churches & hand it in to Fr David. You will then be contacted by the Parish Office with further details.

The Pope's Monthly Intention, June 2024: Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY: Synod Synthesis: PART I – THE FACE OF THE SYNODAL CHURCH, 3. Entering the Community of Faith: Christian Initiation Convergences; Proposals I) A second step refers to the widely reported need to make liturgical language more accessible to the faithful and more embodied in the diversity of cultures. Without calling continuity with tradition and the need for better liturgical formation into question, deeper reflection is needed. Episcopal Conferences should be entrusted with a wider responsibility in this regard, according to the *Motu Proprio Magnum principium*.

Corpus Christi Summer Fayre: Saturday 20th July from 11.00 am to 2.00 pm.

There will be a BBQ with burgers & hot dogs, refreshments, a raffle, cake stall, gift & bottle tombolas, a plant stall & children's games. Entrance 50p on the door. Raffle tickets will be available shortly. Please donate any items eg: cakes for cake stall, bottles and gifts, raffle prizes and prizes for children's activities. If donating plants, please label what they are.

The Bishops of England and Wales are hosting a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress, Adoremus, on Saturday 14th September. As well as being part of the Year of Prayer, this will be a continuation of the Eucharistic Congress held in Liverpool in 2018, and a time of preparation for the Jubilee 2025. Information will be made available over the coming months to help all our parishes and communities prepare for this occasion. As we celebrate today the solemnity of Corpus Christi we are invited to marvel afresh at the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament, Jesus who lives with us always.

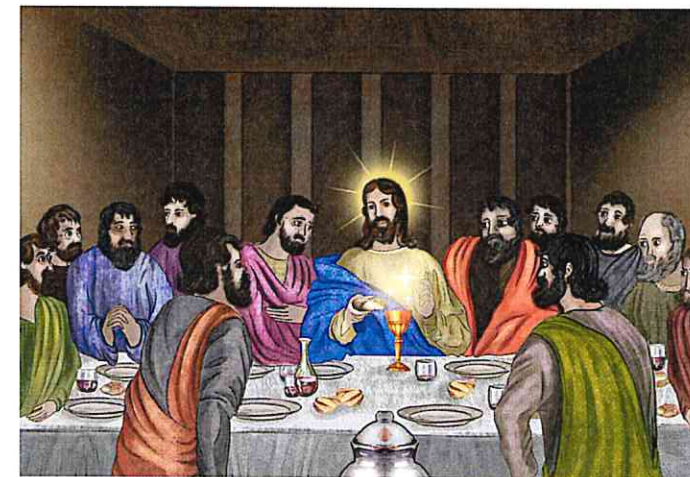
The National Network of Pastoral Musicians is holding its biennial conference at the Hayes in Swanwick between Friday 26th and Sunday 28th July. Places are available for residential and day visitors with subsidies available to 18-25 year olds. More information is on the poster, or contact Jennifer Burrige for bookings: 01792 775598 or jburrige@mac.com

Young Adults in the Diocese of Nottingham For all the latest Young Adult events (aimed at 18-35 year olds) visit dioceseofnottingham.uk/events or contact charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Young Adults in Walsingham: The diocesan young adult group is travelling to Walsingham overnight on 15th/16th June, joining the Diocese of Nottingham on the annual pilgrimage. For costs and more information visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/walsingham-2024-young-adults-pilgrimage

Calling Foundation Governors. A virtual information session about being a foundation governor in one of our Catholic schools is taking place on Thursday 27th June from 7.00pm – 8.00pm. See the poster on the parish notice board, or contact: Julie Sweeney at julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk

Vacancies in the Diocese: Outreach Development Worker in Caritas supporting parishes in faith-inspired social action, justice and peace and care of the environment. Governance, Admissions & Appeals Manager within the Diocesan Education Service is seeking to appoint a highly professional, motivated Governance, Admissions, and Appeals Manager. The post will start on 1st September, at a salary between £38k and £42k, closing date 10th June and an Outreach & Programme Development Co-ordinator to develop new ways of enabling the young people of the Nottingham diocese to encounter God, grow in discipleship and facilitate opportunities for mission in the context of the Briars retreat centre and outreach to schools and parishes. Salary £28-£34,000 p.a. For all these opportunities, please see the Diocesan website for more details dioceseofnottingham.uk/careers.



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

He fed them with the finest wheat
and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

COLLECT

O God, who in this wonderful Sacrament have left us a memorial of your Passion, grant us, we pray, so to revere the sacred mysteries of your Body and Blood that we may always experience in ourselves the fruits of your redemption. Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Exodus.
This is the blood of my covenant that the Lord has made with you.

24: 3-8
Moses went and told the people all the commands of the Lord and all the ordinances. In answer, all the people said with one voice, 'We will observe all the commands that the Lord has decreed.' Moses put all the commands of the Lord into writing, and early next morning he built an altar at the foot of the mountain, with twelve standing-stones for the twelve tribes of Israel. Then he directed certain young Israelites to offer holocausts and to immolate bullocks to the Lord as communion sacrifices. Half of the blood Moses took up and put into basins, the other half he cast on the altar. And taking the Book of the Covenant he read it to the listening people, and they said, 'We will observe all that the Lord has decreed; we will obey.' Then Moses took the blood and cast it towards the people. 'This' he said 'is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you, containing all these rules.'

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The cup of Salvation I will raise;
I will call on the Lord's name.

- 1 How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me?
The cup of salvation I will raise;
I will call on the Lord's name. R.
- 2 O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful.
Your servant, Lord, your servant am I;
you have loosened my bonds. R.
- 3 A thanksgiving sacrifice I make:
I will call on the Lord's name.
My vows to the Lord I will fulfil
before all his people. R.

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.
The blood of Christ can purify our inner self from dead actions.

9: 11-15
Now Christ has come, as the high priest of all the blessings which were to come. He has passed through the greater, the more perfect tent, which is better than one made by men's hands because it is not of this created order; and he has entered the sanctuary once and for all, taking with him not the blood of goats and bull calves, but his own blood, having won an eternal redemption for us. The blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer are sprinkled on those who have incurred defilement and they restore the holiness of their outward lives; how much

more effectively the blood of Christ, who offered himself as the perfect sacrifice to God through the eternal Spirit, can purify our inner self from dead actions so that we do our service to the living God.

He brings a new covenant, as the mediator, only so that the people who were called to an eternal inheritance may actually receive what was promised: his death took place to cancel the sins that infringed the earlier covenant.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

If the sequence *Send Forth, O Zion (Lauda Zion)* is said or sung remain seated.

SEQUENCE (Optional)
(Shorter form)

Behold the bread of angels, sent
For pilgrims in their banishment,
The bread for God's true children meant,
That may not unto dogs be given:

Of in the olden types foreshowed;
In Isaac on the altar bowed
And in the ancient paschal food,
And in the manna sent from heaven.

Come then, good shepherd, bread divine,
Still show to us thy mercy sign;
Oh, feed us still, still keep us thine;
So may we see thy glories shine
In fields of immortality;

O thou, the wisest, mightiest, best,
Our present food, our future rest,
Come, make us each thy chosen guest,
Co-heirs of thine, and comrades blest
With saints whose dwelling is with thee.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the living bread which has come down from heaven,
says the Lord.
Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.
Glory to you, O Lord.

14: 12-16. 22-26
This is my body. This is my blood.
On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb was sacrificed, his disciples said to Jesus, 'Where do you want us to go and make preparations for you to eat the passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city and you will meet a man carrying a pitcher of water. Follow him, and say to the owner of the house which he enters, The "Master says: Where is my dining room in which I can eat the passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large upper room furnished with couches, all prepared. Make the preparations for us there.' The disciples set out and went to the city and found everything as he had told them, and prepared the Passover.

And as they were eating he took some bread, and when he had said the blessing he broke it and gave it to them. 'Take it,' he said 'this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and when he had returned thanks he gave it to them, and all drank from it, and he said to them, 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many. I tell you solemnly, I shall not drink any more wine until the day I drink the new wine in the kingdom of God.'

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Grant your Church, O Lord, we pray,
the gifts of unity and peace,
whose signs are to be seen in mystery
in the offerings we here present.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood
remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, O Lord, we pray,
that we may delight for all eternity
in that share in your divine life,
which is foreshadowed in the present age
by our reception of your precious Body and Blood.
Who live and reign for ever and ever Amen.