Corpus Christi Church, Clifton Mass/Service Times 30th June - 7th July 2024



Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Saturday 29th June Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (Solemnity)	Day of Special Prayer for the Holy Father, Pope Francis & Holy Day of Obligation 5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Foundation Mass; Eileen Keohane RIP	2nd Collection: Peter's Pence Baptism Course in Sacristy 9.30 am - 12 noon
Sunday 30th June Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (Solemnity)	Day of Special Prayer for the Holy Father, Pope Francis & Holy Day of Obligation 10.30 am Mass: Luiz Nobor Camara Takahashi RIP	2nd Collection: Peter's Pence
Monday 1st July Feria	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Robert Rdzanek RIP	
Tuesday 2nd July Feria	9.00 am Mass: Merlin Raju - Special Intention	
Thursday 4th July Feria	9.00 am Mass in CHURCH: Jose Joseph RIP BRW Classes 3 & 4 attending	
Friday 5th July Feria	9.00 am Mass: Private Intention - Anonymous	If you would like to make a donation, please scan the QR code for CC Church
Saturday 6th July 14th Sunday of the Year	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Terry Williamson RIP	
Sunday 7th July 14th Sunday of the Year	10.30 am Mass: People of the Parish	

Our Lady & St Patricks, Meadows, Mass/Service Times 30th June -7th July 2024



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Sunday 30th June Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (Solemnity)	9.00 am Mass: Gerry Bourke RIP 2nd Collection: Peter's Pence	Celebration of the Life of Patrick Madu in the Hall after Mass
Wednesday 3rd July Saint Thomas, Apostle (Feast)	9.30 am Adoration 10.00 am Mass: Intentions of the Harvey Family	Coffee & Tea after the morning Mass.
Saturday 6th July Feria	9.25 am Fatima 1st Saturdays Devotion 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 7th July 14th Sunday of the Year	9.00 am Mass: Anniversary Mass	Tea & coffee after the morning Mass.

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Parish Newsletter 13th Week of Ordinary Time

Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows Parish Priest: Fr Pitak David SCJ, Assistant Priest: Fr Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ

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Visit of the Apostolic Nuncio As you know His Excellency Archbishop Miguel Maury Buendía will be visiting our diocese between Monday 1st and Wednesday 3rd July. As the opening event of his time amongst us, Bishop Patrick would like to invite all clergy and faithful to a Mass of Thanksgiving on Monday 1st July, in our Cathedral, at 12.00 noon, and will have opportunity to greet the Nuncio

immediately afterwards in the Cathedral garden.

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, on the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul: We consider those times when our prayers appear to go unanswered. We think, for example, of the heartfelt prayers we offer for our sick children, or for our friends who experience great pain. A mature faith trusts in the Lord's providence, his greater plan for our lives and our world, yet we naturally feel deep disappointment when our petitions seem to go unheard. Jesus shows us by his own example that God understands our sufferings, yet does not always immediately grant our wishes. In Gethsemane, Jesus offered a prayer that seemed to go unanswered; yet his complete trust in the Father's will led to our salvation and the glory of the resurrection. Evil never has the last word. To read the full reflection and find more resources at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer Our Lady and St Patrick fund raising event in celebration of the life of Patrick our young parishioner who died recently, this Sunday, 30th June 2024 after the 9.00 am Mass. Burgers, hotdogs, refreshments, raffle, cake stall, book stall, wine or water lucky pick etc. Donations welcome. Cakes can be brought along early on Saturday or Sunday morning. Please come and support.

The Fatima Five First Saturdays Devotion will take place again at Our Lady and St Patrick's church on Saturday 6th July 2024, from 9:25 am promptly, when the Rosary plus meditation will begin. The devotion involves Holy Communion, Confession, and the Rosary, plus a 15 minute meditation. Our Lady asked for this devotion in 1925 as a means of making reparation to her Immaculate Heart and for bringing about peace in the world. She also promised that those who carry out this devotion will be assisted by her at the hour of death with all the graces necessary for salvation, a promise of heaven. For more information, please email: donalf@waf-ew.org.uk

Lourdes Pilgrimage 2024: Lourdes from Home, Last year our Lourdes From Home initiative allowed hundreds of viewers to join the Lourdes Pilgrimage from home. This year it's back, and even bigger! Registrants have the option to receive a physical 'Pilgrim Pack' posted to their own home, complete with 1) a Pilgrimage Booklet 2) a candle lit in Lourdes 3) prayer intentions taken to the Grotto 4) a live Zoom call with Bishop Patrick 5) daily updates via e-mail 6)... and more! This is an excellent opportunity to engage with the housebound and less-physically-able of our communities, and schools who may wish to embark on a virtual pilgrimage in the last weeks of term. Register today at dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/lourdes or by emailing communications@dioceseofnottingham.uk

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 NGI 7BQ.Please note also that a special grant can be awarded at any time of the year if an unforeseen educational opportunity arises.

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The Pope's Monthly Intention, July 2024: Let us pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope.

SYNOD ON SYNODALITY: Synod Synthesis: PART I - THE FACE OF THE SYNODAL CHURCH. 3. Entering the Community of Faith: Christian Initiation Convergences; Proposals m) A third step consists in the pastoral commitment to widen community prayer beyond the celebration of Mass. Alternative forms of liturgical prayer, as well as practices of popular piety, in which the distinctiveness of local cultures is reflected, are elements of great importance in fostering the involvement of all the faithful. They introduce the faithful to the Christian mystery and bring those less familiar with the Church closer to an encounter with the Lord. Among the forms of popular piety, Marian devotion stands out because of its ability to sustain and nourish the faith of many.

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 rafffle, cake stall, gift & bottle tombolas, a plant stall & children's games. Entrance 50p on the door. Raffle tickets are now available at the back of Church. 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.

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· General Election 2024: Consider how to vote at the General Election (4th July): some thoughts from the Bishops of England and Wales about Migration. As Catholics, caring for people on the move has always been an important aspect of how we live out our faith. We recognise the innate worth of every person. We are therefore called to welcome, protect and integrate migrants and refugees. As the Bishops of England and Wales emphasised in The Common Good, published in 1996: "our neighbourhood is universal; so loving our neighbour has global dimensions." We are also reminded that we are fortunate to live in a part of the world that is relatively rich and that we should not, if it can be avoided, exclude others from enjoying those riches through migration to our own country. Of course, the Church recognises that countries have a right to control their own borders and it is legitimate to limit migration. However, as our own bishops have said in the document Love the Stranger: "The starting point for public policy should involve respecting a broad right to migrate and restricting it only when demonstrably necessary, rather than beginning with sealed borders and facilitating immigration only when desired." When discussing migration, politicians should speak with compassion for those travelling to new lands and avoid inflammatory rhetoric. Although we should not assume that there is a single correct way to manage migration, our immigration policy must have the person at the centre. For more information visit: www.cbcew.org.uk/migration-election24/

Cafod and SVP: With the General Election fast approaching, CAFOD and the St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) have come together to produce resources to help Catholics and their parishes reach out to local candidates to find out more about their views on some of the issues that we, as people of faith, care about. More information via .https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/cafod-and-svp-produceresources-for-the-general-election

SVP Vinnie Summer Camp, Mablethorpe. Sat 17th - Sat 24 August 2024: Applications are now open for boys & girls aged 10 & 11, currently in years 5 & 6. The cost is £80 which includes transport, accommodation, meals & activities. For more information, please visit our website: https://svp.org.uk/microsite/ mablethorpe-childrens-camp. Or email: Mablethorpe@svp.org.uk To apply go to: https:// svp1.formstack.com/forms/childrens application form mabelthorpe.

Mount Saint Bernard Abbey is hosting a Family Pilgrimage on Sunday 1st September. Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2pm, followed by a Marian Procession, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic, enjoy the Abbey grounds: all are welcome. Contact James at JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org

SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the Church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God

O God, who on the Solemnity of the Apostles Peter and Paul give us the noble and holy joy of this day, grant, we pray, that your Church may in all things follow the teaching of those through whom she received the beginnings of right religion. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FIRST READING

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Now I know the Lord really did save me from Herod.

King Herod started persecuting certain members of the Church. He beheaded James the brother of John, and when he saw that this pleased the Jews he decided to arrest Peter as well. This was during the days of Unleavened Bread, and he put Peter in prison, assigning four squads of four soldiers each to guard him in turns. Herod meant to try Peter in public after the end of Passover week. All the time Peter was under guard, the Church prayed to God for him unremittingly.

On the night before Herod was to try him, Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, fastened with double chains, while guards kept watch at the main entrance to the prison. Then suddenly the angel of the Lord stood there, and the cell was filled with light. He tapped Peter on the side and woke him. 'Get up!' he said 'Hurry!' - and the chains fell from his hands. The angel then said, 'Put on your belt and sandals.' After he had done this, the angel next said, 'Wrap your cloak round you and follow me." Peter followed him, but had no idea that what the angel did was all happening in reality; he thought he was seeing a vision. They passed through two guard posts one after the other, and reached the iron gate leading to the city. This opened of its own accord; they went through it and had walked the whole length of one street when suddenly the angel left him. It was only then that Peter came to himself. 'Now I know it is all true,' he said. 'The Lord really did send his angel and has saved me from Herod and from all that the Jewish people were so certain would happen

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

From all my terrors the Lord set me free.

- I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. R.
- 2 Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us praise his name. I sought the Lord and he answered me; from all my terrors he set me free. R.

- Look towards him and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed. This poor man called; the Lord heard him and rescued him from all his distress. R.
- The angel of the Lord is encamped around those who revere him, to rescue them. Taste and see that the Lord is good. He is happy who seeks refuge in him. R.

SECOND READING

30th June 2024

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy. All there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen,

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew. Glory to you, O Lord.

You are Peter, and I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven

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When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi he put this question to his disciples, 'Who do people say the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say he is John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' 'But you,' he said, 'who do you say I am?' Then Simon Peter spoke up, 'You are the Christ,' he said 'the Son of the living God.' Jesus replied, 'Simon son of Jonah, you are a happy man! Because it was not flesh and blood that revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven, so I now say to you: You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: whatever you bind on earth shall be considered bound in heaven; whatever you loose on earth shall be considered loosed in heaven.

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

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

May the prayer of the Apostles, O Lord, accompany the sacrificial gift that we present to your name for consecration, and may their intercession make us devoted to you in celebration of the sacrifice. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Peter said to Jesus: You are the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus replied: You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant us, O Lord, who have been renewed by this Sacrament, so to live in the Church, that, persevering in the breaking of the Bread and in the teaching of the Apostles, we may be one heart and one soul, made steadfast in your love. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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