
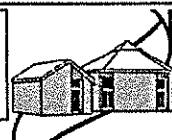



Corpus Christi Church, Mass/Service Times 17th May– 24th May 2026



Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Saturday 16th May SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day	11.30am FHC First Reconciliation 5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: People of the Parish	Second collection: Catholic Communications
Sunday 17th May SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day	10.30 am Mass: Ana Maria Pacheco RIP	Second collection: Catholic Communications
Monday 18th May Easter Feria	11.00 am Funeral Mass for Penny Morton No Mass at 7pm	If you would like to donate, please scan the QR code
Tuesday 19th May Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: Deceased members of the Quigley Family	
Thursday 21st May Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: For the First Holy Communion young people and their families	
Friday 22nd May Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: Saylor Esme McHugh	
Saturday 23rd May PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Robert McMillan RIP	
Sunday 24th May PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)	10.30 am Mass: People of the Parish	

Our Lady & St Patrick's, Mass/Service Times 17th May—24th May 2026



Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Sunday 17th May SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER World Communications Day	9.00 am Mass: Mary Irwin RIP 3.00 pm Latin Mass	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass Second collection: Catholic Communications
Wednesday 20th May Easter Feria	9.30 am Adoration and Benediction 10.00 am Mass: Thanksgiving for our Priests and Brothers	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass
Saturday 23rd May Easter Feria	10.00 am Mass: Special Intentions	
Sunday 24th May PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)	9.00 am Mass: Tony Joe Sweeney RIP	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass



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Parish Newsletter Seventh Week of Eastertide

Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and
Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows
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Congratulations to all our First Holy Communion young people and their families at both our churches. A total of 42 young people made their First Holy Communion on Saturday. A big thank you to everyone who was involved in making it such a special day.

Please pray for Penny Maria Jane Morton who has died recently. Penny's funeral mass will be at Corpus Christi on Monday 18th May at 11am. Please pray for her and her family.

Catholic National Shrine of Our Lady

Tickets are still available for the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham, Norfolk, on Saturday 20th June 2026.

Coaches leave Sacred Heart Church, Carlton at 8am and then Good Shepherd, Woodthorpe at 8.15am. Seats cost £25 payable in advance. Please email ccen@dioceseofnottingham.uk or telephone 0115 9118266 to book your place. Payment will be either cash to your church or by BACS – bank details will be sent. Places will be confirmed once payment is received.

You are invited to join Caritas and other faith groups to learn how to support your neighbourhood through challenges and emergencies
This Monday 18th May from 5.30pm to 8.30pm at the Derek Randall Suite, Trent Bridge Cricket Ground, West Bridgford, attendees will explore how parishes can respond to emergencies. There will be a free finger food buffet and lots of cake.
You will learn about risk factors, get practical training and how to work with other groups and agencies.
Book at: <https://shorturl.at/hioSM>

There will be no 7pm mass on Monday 18th May at Corpus Christi. Please check the timetable opposite.

The annual Day for Life will be held on Sunday 21st June. In preparation for this a Novena will run from Saturday 23rd May until Sunday 31st May. This is the third year in which the Dioceses of England and Wales will join with those of Scotland and Ireland to pray this Novena. The Novena can be accessed at <https://prayforlife.ie/>

Sale of baby clothes, toys and equipment in aid of St Colette's

There will be a sale of good quality and very reasonably priced baby items at St Paul's Church Hall, Lenton Boulevard, NG7 2BY on: Saturday 30th May 12.30pm - 3pm; and Sunday 31st May (after Mass) 10.45am - 1pm

Go, make disciples

In response to the Bishop's 5-year mission plan to 'Go Make Disciples', members of the evangelising group at OLSP are keen to meet parishioners at Corpus Christi who would like to hear more about how they too can become involved. Please can interested parishioners contact the parish secretary.

The Funeral of Deacon Martin Swaby will be celebrated in Our Lady of Perpetual Succour church, Bulwell, to which all are invited: Reception of Deacon Martyn's body – Wednesday 27th May, 6.30pm; and Requiem Mass – Thursday 28th May, 10.00am.

World Day of Social Communications

The Holy Father Leo XIV has marked the 60th World Day of Social Communications 17th May 2026, with a letter warning of the dangers of AI. Please see the letter on the websites.

The Pope's monthly intention for May: That everyone might have food. Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Baptism Course

The next baptism course for parents wishing to baptise their child is on Saturday 6th June, 9.30 am until noon, at Corpus Christi Church. At least one parent must attend the course prior to baptism. Please keep this date free.

The next Dominican Young Adults Study Day, under the title Human Origins - Creation and Evolution is being held on Saturday 23rd May, from 10.00am until 4.00pm, in the Frassati Centre, Leicester LE1 6HW. How do we reconcile the claims of modern science with the teaching of the Catholic Church? Are human beings nothing more than products of an aimless evolutionary process? Join the Dominican Young Adult Study Day led by Father Robert Verrill OP on 'theistic evolution': how to make sense of Modern science's theory of evolution in light of Catholic teaching on God, creation, and the human person. The day will include talks, workshops, prayer, fellowship, and discussion, and lunch will be provided. There is no cost to attend, but booking is essential, at dya@english.op.org

Parish Pastoral Council

Please consider joining the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC). The PPC meets around 3 times a year and as members, we discuss a wide range of issues which affect our parishes. The nomination forms should be returned by this weekend to the white box at the back of the Church.

Young adults aged 18-35 are invited to join a special overnight Pilgrimage to Walsingham (Saturday 20th to Sunday 21st June), taking place alongside the annual diocesan pilgrimage, with dedicated time, space and community for young adults. Staying at Elmham House (half board) pilgrims will share in the wider celebrations while also enjoying moments specifically for the young adult community and encounter. For any questions, contact Charles Archer, Young Adult Ministry Lead charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk. Bookings at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/walsingham-2026.

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OLSP - Bernadette Davey & John Fryer telephone: 07513 725557. Everyone who volunteers in our Churches should check whether they need a DBS check.

All Young Adults are warmly invited to join the Diocese of Nottingham and Pope Leo in Seoul, South Korea, for World Youth Day 2027: a week of Encounter and Discipleship with 100,000s of other Young Catholics ready to hear the Lord speak into their lives. Please contact charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information! As numbers are limited please do this by 31st July 2026.

200 club

For those of you who pay their subscription to the 200 Club annually, the subscription of £24 is now due. There are numbers available if anyone would like to join. The subscription is £2 per month payable in advance or £24 for an annual payment. There is a draw each month for a prize of £100.

Celebrate Trust is running a webinar for parents & carers of teenagers to help them gain confidence and provide some practical ideas to support their children at home, Raising teenagers in a Catholic family Tuesday 2nd June, 8.00pm To book a place, visit www.celebratetrust.org/faith-parenting

Hospitals: If you have a relative or friend who goes into QMC or City please inform the Chaplaincy Department, the ward or your priest and request a visit. Do not assume that your priest or the chaplaincy team know that you are in hospital. QMC 0115 924 9924 ext 63799, City 0115 969 1169 or email: nuhnt.contactachaplain@nhs.net

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE

17th May 2026 125a



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you;
of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face;
hide not your face from me, alleluia.

COLLECT

Graciously hear our supplications, O Lord,
so that we, who believe that the Saviour of the human race
is with you in your glory,
may experience, as he promised,
until the end of the world,
his abiding presence among us.
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

FIRST READING

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.
'All with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer.' 1:12-14
After Jesus was taken up into heaven the Apostles returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey away. And when they had entered, they went up to the upper room, where they were staying, Peter and John and James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot and Judas the son of James. All these with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers and sisters.
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 27(26)

I believe I shall see the LORD's goodness in the
land of the living.

or: Alleluia.
The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom shall I fear?
The LORD is the stronghold of my life;
whom should I dread? R.

There is one thing I ask of the LORD,
only this do I seek:
to live in the house of the LORD
all the days of my life,
to gaze on the beauty of the LORD,
to enquire at his temple. R.

O LORD, hear my voice when I call;
have mercy and answer me.
Of you my heart has spoken,
'Seek his face.' R.

SECOND READING

A reading from the First Letter of Saint Peter
'If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed.' 4:13-16
Beloved: Rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed. If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. But let none of you suffer as a murderer, or a thief, or an evildoer, or as a meddler. Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia.
I will not leave you as orphans, says the Lord.
I am going away and I will come to you, and your hearts will rejoice.
Alleluia.

GOSPEL

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

'Father, glorify your Son.' 17:1-11a
At that time: Jesus lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, 'Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do. And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed.'

'I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you.'

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

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Accept, O Lord, the prayers of your faithful
with the sacrificial offerings,
that through these acts of devotedness
we may pass over to the glory of heaven.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Father, I pray that they may be one
as we also are one, alleluia.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Hear us, O God our Saviour,
and grant us confidence,
that through these sacred mysteries
there will be accomplished in the body of the whole Church
what has already come to pass in Christ her Head.
Who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.