

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention in July: Our Families:** We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

**Live Stream Mass for the Sick, their Families and Care-givers:** Nottingham Diocese, recognising that the COVID-19 pandemic is affecting everyone, special Masses are being celebrated for the sick, their families, care workers and NHS staff by one of our diocesan Bishops of England and Wales, in his Cathedral every Thursday at 7pm.

**The First Holy Communion Children** at both Churches are being invited to send in a prayer or a piece of work about their 'Community' which is one of the themes of their FHC workbooks. These are being displayed on the respective Church website under the section of Newsletters. We thank the children & their parents for their efforts and they are all being remembered in our prayers. Prayers written by children from St Patrick's School will be read out during the streamed masses.

**Prayer Resources for Young People: The 'Be Inspirational' website**

(<https://beinspirational.co.uk/>) is the Chaplaincy Website for The Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Multi-Academy Trust. Everyone welcome & we hope you enjoy exploring the Be Inspirational website & YouTube channel

(<https://www.youtube.com/user/TheBecketSchool>)

**Weekly or monthly donations to the Church through your bank account:** there is information on both websites from the Diocese about making a weekly or monthly donation through your bank account. In the event of another pandemic or other emergency, your contribution to the Church can then continue if Masses are suspended. Please read the information on the website & follow the method that suits you best. If you have any queries, please speak to Fr Wilfred, one of the Parish Pastoral Council or the secretary.

**Any Mass stipends** should be posted through the Presbytery door, 127 Listowel Crescent NG11 9BP or contact Catherine, the secretary via email for bank details ([secretaryccolsp@gmail.com](mailto:secretaryccolsp@gmail.com)). During this period when there are no public services in Church, Fr Wilfred & Fr Peter will continue to say Mass in private & will offer your intentions if you have already requested a mass & had it confirmed.

**Mass for your intentions:** Please try & email your Mass Intentions to Catherine on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 9.30am-3pm. There are now spaces for intentions at all masses including Sunday masses. **Planned Giving** If you usually have planned giving envelopes, please consider switching to a Standing Order instead. For more information about this, please contact Catherine Daly, Parish Secretary on the above email or leave a message on the answerphone 0115 921 2964. Thank you.

**CAFOD are providing on-line Children's Liturgy every Sunday.** Go to: <https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy>

**The Catholic Universe including the Catholic Times** newspaper can be delivered direct to your home: POST FREE is available. Please go to the website: [catholicuniverse.com](http://catholicuniverse.com) or call them on 0161 820 5722.

**Visit the Briars—the Nottingham Diocese Catholic Youth Service at <https://ndcys.com>** who have lots of activities and opportunities for young people.

## Parish Newsletter

**15th Week of Ordinary Time 12th July 2020**  
**Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows**  
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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Most of us like to hear stories or to read novels, poetry and literature. A good story has a wonderful way of touching our hearts. From childhood on, we love to hear them. When we start to read or listen, we enter into the imagination of the composer, writer or story teller. On this Sunday, we hear from the Gospel where Jesus tells his disciples and people the parable of the sower. He captures their attention. Jesus knew how to get their attention because He is the Greatest story teller. He touched the hearts of ordinary people with a message of hope and love, his words challenged them and brought them to accept it in order to change the world.

We continue to hear Jesus' story and He invites us to show his message through the testimony of our lives, as we bring, freedom, healing, and hope to others. Pope Francis once said that 'Always there are doors that are not closed. Look for the doors that are at least a little bit open, enter and talk about common things and go on. Step by step.' Yes, step by step we shall live the story of Jesus opening a door, another door....and another door. We can be grateful to God for telling us His story and inviting us to share it with others. Jesus tells us that the seed is God's word. That seed is small but it has the potential for limitless growth. The same is true for God's word at work in us. No matter what shape the soil of our hearts is in, we can approach our Heavenly Father with confidence that He can do great things within us.

God Bless ..... Fr. Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ



12th July - 19 July 2020	Holy Mass & Services Intention of Mass	Other Events
<b>Saturday 11th July</b> <b>15th Sunday of Ordinary Time</b> <b>Isaiah 55:10-11; Romans 8: 18-23; Matthew 13:1-23</b>	6.00 pm Mass: Private Intention	
<b>Sunday 12th July</b> <b>15th Sunday of Ordinary Time</b> <b>Isaiah 55:10-11; Romans 8: 18-23; Matthew 13:1-23</b>	9.30 am Mass: In Thanksgiving 11.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	
<b>Monday 13th July</b> <b>Feria</b>	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: For all cancer sufferers whose treatment has been delayed	
<b>Tuesday 14th July</b> <b>Feria</b>	9.00 am Mass: Kathleen Hilda Mooney RIP	
<b>Wednesday 15th July</b> <b>Feria</b>	9.30 am Foundation Mass: Rev Michael Griffin	
<b>Thursday 16th July</b> <b>Feria</b>	9.00 am Mass: SCJ Sick and Elderly	
<b>Friday 17th July</b> <b>Feria</b>	9.00 am Mass: John Bosco Doherty RIP	
<b>Saturday 18th July</b> <b>Feria</b> <b>16th Sunday of Ordinary Time</b> <b>Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Romans 8: 26-27; Matthew 13:24-43</b>	6.00 pm Mass: Muriel Harte RIP	
<b>Sunday 19th July</b> <b>16th Sunday of Ordinary Time</b> <b>Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Romans 8: 26-27; Matthew 13:24-43</b>	9.30 am Mass: For the safe return to Mass for all Parishioners 11.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	

**Response: The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.**

**Please remember Kathleen Hilda Mooney** of Corpus Christi Church and **John Doherty** of Our Lady & St Patrick's Church and their families in your prayers. Their funerals will take place this week. May they rest in peace.

**St Barnabas Cathedral is now open for Private Prayer and Public Mass:** All advice given in their newsletter. Attendance is by pre-booking only. Do not just turn up unless you have booked a place at Mass. This is due to a limit on the numbers permissible in the Cathedral. Bookings for attendance this weekend, and for weekday Masses next week, can be made by emailing: [stbarnabasnottingham@gmail.com](mailto:stbarnabasnottingham@gmail.com) or telephoning 0115 9539839. **The following Churches are also open,** Our Lady & St. Thomas of Hereford, Ilkerton. St. Paul's, Lenton Boulevard. The Good Shepherd, Thackeray's Lane. Check parish websites for timings.

**Live streaming of the Mass from Corpus Christi and Our Lady and St Patrick's:** Masses for the 15th Week of Ordinary Time shall continue to live stream at the times advertised in the newsletter. It is through an application called **Periscope** which can be downloaded from the App Store for iPhone/iPad and from google play for android phones/Tablets. Please click the link provided which will take you to the app <https://www.pscp.tv/#share>. We have created an account where you will be able to follow live stream, please find below the link to follow. <https://www.pscp.tv/CCOLSP>. Or Search CCOLSP in the search button in Periscope.

**Re-Opening of Our Lady & St Patrick's Church:** Following the meeting of Fr Wilfred, Fr Peter & members of the Parish Pastoral Council last week to discuss the reopening of OLSP, a meeting for volunteer stewards & cleaners has been arranged on Saturday, 11 July 2020 at 10 am at OLSP. If you are interested in helping out but cannot attend the meeting, please contact Fr Wilfred, the secretary or any PPC member. We are grateful to the CC parishioners who have come forward to volunteer to help out at OLSP & encourage as many of you as possible to sign up. The Diocese has issued extensive, detailed instructions & checklists in order to ensure that reopening of the Churches is done safely & ensures against further spread of the Coronavirus. We will update you next week on progress of the opening of OLSP.

**SCHOOL PLACES AVAILABLE at Blessed Robert Widmerpool Catholic Academy** which is an outstanding school in Clifton. Spaces are currently available in Foundation Stage 1(Nursery) Class for 2020-2021 (children born in September 2017 to August 2018). For more details, contact the school office on 0115 915 2392 or email [admin@brw.nottingham.sch.uk](mailto:admin@brw.nottingham.sch.uk)

**Corpus Christi Planned Giving Envelopes for this financial year are now available to collect from the Presbytery.** Please ring the bell & someone will answer. It may be necessary to give you a different number this year as we have reduced the number of boxes to avoid waste & to save money. Any envelopes containing offerings can be posted through the Presbytery letterbox. Thank you for your generosity.

**Grapevine:** the essential bulletin for missionary disciples in Nottingham Diocese is available now (4th edition and back copies). Go to: <https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/whats-on/grapevine-e-bulletin>