

**World Day of Prayer for Migrants & Refugees** will be celebrated this Sunday, 27th September 2020. Please take a look at the letter of Pope Francis:

Message link: [http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/migration/documents/papa-francesco\\_20200513\\_world-migrants-day\\_2020.html](http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/migration/documents/papa-francesco_20200513_world-migrants-day_2020.html)

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention in October - The Laity's Mission in the Church:** we pray that by virtue of Baptism, the Laity, especially women, may participate more in the areas of responsibility in the Church.

**Sacred Heart Fathers and Brothers Annual Sponsored Walk** in aid of the Indian Missions took place on 26th of September 2020 at Droitwich and was a great success. Fr. Wilfred, Fr. Peter and Brother John all did the sponsored walk and thank you all for your donations. Any further donations can be given to the Parish office or to Fr. Wilfred. If you would like to donate through gift aid envelopes, these are available to collect from Fr. Wilfred. Thanks for your continued support to SCJ.

**Diocesan Caritas Newsletter:** You're welcome to sign up for Grapevine, the newsletter for Adult Formation, Justice & Peace and Caritas. Please let us have your email address and name, and any other data you wish to share. Your data will be held in accordance with Mailchimp's [privacy policy](#) and that of the [Diocese](#).  
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**Friday, 9th October 2020 will be the Feast Day of St John Henry Newman** in England & Wales, following his canonization on 14 October 2019.

**The Diocesan Archive Team are looking to recruit some volunteers.** The Diocesan Archives are currently based in the centre of Nottingham, and the collection contains a wealth of material covering the history of the Catholic Church in the East Midlands. Contact [Joanna Matthews](#) on 0115 953 9800 for details.

**Keep vulnerable parishioners warm this winter** - do you know any parishioners whose homes are cold in the winter, or who struggle to pay their heating bills? The government's Green Homes Grant Scheme is offering vouchers of up to £5,000 which can pay for two-thirds of the cost of energy efficiency improvements - or even more for people on a low income or benefits. Of course the people who most need the help are least likely to be able to access it. That's where you come in. Please take a moment to think of any parishioners you normally visit - especially where you've thought how chilly the house is. They could be just the kind of person the scheme is for.

**THANK YOU** for your generosity in last week's collection, Envelopes can continue to be left through the door of the Presbytery House, for those not attending Mass. Thank you also to those who contribute by Standing Order.

**CAFOD Family Fast Day** - Friday, 9 October 2020 - Envelopes available at back of Church. CAFOD are providing on-line Children's Liturgy every Sunday. Go to: <https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy>.

	<h2>Parish Newsletter</h2> <h3>26th Week of Ordinary Time 27th September 2020</h3>	
	<p>Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and Our Lady &amp; St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows</p> <p>Parish Priest: Fr Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ Assistant Priest: Fr Phairote Nochatchawan SCJ, Br John Dawson SCJ</p> <p>Corpus Christi Presbytery, 127 Listowel Crescent, Clifton NG11 9BP Parish Secretary: Catherine Daly</p>	
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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On this World Day of Prayer for Migrants and Refugees, we as parish community to lift up the cry of our sisters and brothers who have been forced to migrate beyond their home borders or within their own country due to health, social, political, environmental, and economic conditions. We pray through the words of Pope Francis on this day; *"Father, you entrusted to Saint Joseph what you held most precious: the child Jesus and his Mother, in order to protect them from the dangers and threats of the wicked. Grant that we may experience his protection and help. May he, who shared in the sufferings of those who flee from the hatred of the powerful, console and protect all our brothers and sisters driven by war, poverty and necessity to leave their homes and their lands to set out as refugees for safer places.*

*Help them, through the intercession of Saint Joseph, to find the strength to persevere, give them comfort in sorrows and courage amid their trials. Grant to those who welcome them some of the tender love of this just and wise father, who loved Jesus as a true son and sustained Mary at every step of the way. May he, who earned his bread by the work of his hands, watch over those who have seen everything in life taken away and obtain for them the dignity of a job and the serenity of a home.*

*We ask this through Jesus Christ, your Son, whom Saint Joseph saved by fleeing to Egypt, and trusting in the intercession of the Virgin Mary, whom he loved as a faithful husband in accordance with your will. Amen.*

[Excerpt from "Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the 106th World Day of Migrants and Refugees 2020"]

Fr. Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ



27th September - 4th October 2020	Holy Mass & Services Intention of Mass		Other Events
Saturday 26th September 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time World Day of Prayer for Migrants & Refugees Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32	5.30 pm Confession 6.00 pm Mass: People of the Parish 6.00 pm Mass: Nathan James Williams RIP 13th Anniversary	CC CC  OLSP	CC stands for Corpus Christi Church, Clifton  OLSP stands for Our Lady and St Patrick's, Meadows
Sunday 27th September 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time World Day of Prayer for Migrants & Refugees Ezekiel 18:25-28; Philippians 2:1-11; Matthew 21:28-32	10.00 am Mass: Thiyokupillai Mary Thresa RIP 10.00 am Mass; People of the Parish (Live-streamed)	CC  OLSP	FHC session after Mass at OLSP
Monday 28th September Feria	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Well Care Agency	CC	
Tuesday 29th September Saints Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels (Feast)	9.00 am Mass: Sick and Infirm	CC	
Wednesday 30th September Saint Jerome, priest and doctor (memorial)	10.00 am Mass: Fr Neil Brett (Live-streamed)	OLSP	
Thursday 1st October Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin & doctor (memorial)	7.00 pm Mass: Young People of our Parish (Live-streamed)	CC	
Friday 2nd October (Memorial) The Holy Guardian Angels	9.00 am Mass: Thanksgiving	CC	
Saturday 3rd October Feria 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4: 6-9; Matthew 21:33-43	5.30 pm Confession 10.30 am FHC session and Par- ents Meeting at Corpus Christi 6.00 pm Mass: People of the Parish 6.00 pm Mass: Benefactors	CC CC  OLSP	2nd Collection: Peter's Pence RCIA after 6pm Mass
Sunday 4th October 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4: 6-9; Matthew 21:33-43	10.00 am Mass: Annamkuty Devasy RIP 10.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	CC  OLSP	2nd Collection: Peter's Pence FHC Class after 10 am Mass

**Response: Remember your mercies, O Lord.**

**CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH REOPENING:** Corpus Christi Church reopened very successfully last weekend. **There will be a 6 pm Mass on Saturday evening & a 10 am Mass on Sunday morning at Corpus Christi Church and at Our Lady & St Patrick's. There will be the normal weekday Mass at 10 am at OLSP & and at Corpus Christi on Thursday evening at 7 pm . We urgently need volunteer stewards at Corpus Christi Church.** If you'd like to volunteer as a steward at either Church or to help in any other way, please speak to Fr Wilfred or contact the parish office via email or telephone on Monday, Wednesday and Friday during office hours  
**CHURCH OPEN FOR PUBLIC MASS Guidelines in Advance**

Points for everyone's safety from the National Guidelines and diocesan guidelines:

1. There is no obligation to attend Mass at present. The Diocese strongly advises those over 70 and in a high risk category to think very carefully about attending Mass at the moment. Following the change in Government guidelines, it is now **compulsory to wear a mask in the Church**. Please come to Church Early.
2. Our space is very limited, so please consider attending a weekday Mass on Wednesday instead of on a Saturday or Sunday.
3. Keeping a 2-metre distance, in Our Lady and St Patrick's there are about 45 spaces, (plus 3 spaces for Stewards plus 3 spaces for the Clergy) either for 45 individuals or families and 'bubbles'.
4. In Corpus Christi there are 141 spaces, (plus 3 spaces for Stewards, plus 3 spaces for the Clergy ) either for 45 individuals or 16 families and 'bubbles' (96 people maximum).
4. It is ESSENTIAL at this stage to book a place for Mass, Wednesday 10.00 am (OLSP) Thursday, 7 pm (CC) Saturday Vigil Mass at 6.00 pm and Sunday Mass at 10.00 am by booking via <https://massbooking.uk>. Please go to the website and register your details and sign up. Once you have signed up, you can start a booking by first selecting the Church at which you want to attend Mass. (You can also save your favourite Churches to speed things up). You can then book one or more places at Mass. Please do not book any more than you need. **If you are booking for a family of up to 5/6 people, please only book ONE pew & you will be asked to say how many people are in the bench.** Bookings for our church close 10 hours 00 minutes before the start of Mass. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. This would seem to be the fairest way of doing this with such restricted numbers. If the church is not full, there will be places available at the Mass on a first come, first served basis. If you do not have access to the internet, you can ring the parish secretary who is now back in the office on 0115 921 2964 on Monday, Wednesday & Friday between 9.30 am and 2.30 pm to book a place for Mass.



**New Online Donation Portal:** The diocese has recently signed up to an online donation platform. By scanning a QR code with a smart phone camera, the smart phone will immediately open your donation page. Please find below the donation portal QR Code for our Churches: CC and OLSP

