

**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for September 2022:** We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.  
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**The next Baptism course** will be held at OLSP on Saturday 10th & 17th September from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon **(please note revised times)**. Both parents are encouraged to attend and you must come to both sessions. Please contact the Parish Office on 0115 921 2964/email secretaryccolsp@gmail.com if you wish to attend or collect a Baptism Application form from either Church & hand it in to Fr Wilfred. Your child/ren can come with you if you have no childcare.

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**Sponsored Walk for SCJ Missions: Saturday, 24th September 2022 from 11.30 am.** The starting point will be OLSP Church & hall and we will walk in a loop to Holme Pierrepont, home of the National Watersports Centre and back again - a total of 7.8 miles (3.9 miles each way). A shorter walk can be done if you wish. Refreshments (tea, coffee, soft drinks & cakes) will be served in OLSP hall on your return. If you are unable to take part, please sponsor the walkers by pledging your donation on the sheets available in both Churches. Please Gift Aid if you can and thank you for your generosity

**The Relics of Saint Bernadette of Lourdes** will visit our diocese for the first time ever on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th October, at Saint Bernadette's Church, Scunthorpe, and the Cathedral, Nottingham. Come along to this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, to have a little experience of Lourdes here amongst us. To book, follow the link: <https://stbernadette.org.uk>

**RCIC : St Barnabas Cathedral parish** is planning to run their next RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) Course which is a program for children age 7 to 15 years who have not been baptised & open to cathedral parishioners and non-parishioners who wish to prepare for the Sacraments. All are welcome. Please contact the Cathedral Office for more information on 0115 953 9839.

**Springboard**, a hands-on workshop from Caritas, is coming to Saint Barnabas Cathedral Hall on **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September**, 10.30am - 3.30pm. Following the *Here: Now:* *Us* workshop and Synod consultations last autumn, the pandemic is giving way to a time of crisis for the poorest in society and for the planet. At Springboard we'll discern our call to mission in the cost-of-living crisis, celebrate the potential of our parishes, build local collaboration for the Common Good, and establish a county-based Caritas Hub as a platform for action – all inspired by Pope Francis's *The Joy of the Gospel*. You will be very welcome. For bookings and further information visit <http://bit.ly/2022Springboard>, email- [caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk) or call 0115 648 1509.

As part of the **Heritage Open Days at Saint Barnabas Cathedral**, the Friends of the Cathedral will be offering guided tours, an exhibition, access to the crypt and lectures on our 19<sup>th</sup> century Cathedral designed by Pugin, between Friday 9<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September. The events provide an opportunity to explore the history, architecture, decoration, furnishings and objects of our Cathedral and to hear about current investigations and plans to restore some of the original decorative schemes. More details are available at [www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events)



## Parish Newsletter

### 23rd Week of Ordinary Time

### 4th September 2022

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## Season of Creation

### From September 1st to October 4th Feast of St Francis

"If we learn how to listen, we can hear in the voice of creation a kind of dissonance. On the one hand, we can hear the sweet song in praise of our beloved Creator; on the other, an anguished plea, lamenting the mistreatment of our Common Home." Pope Francis Sept. 2022

*Our goal should be to live life with radical wonder. Get up in the morning and look at the world in a way that doesn't take anything for granted. It's all great; Everything is awesome; never treat life lightly. To be spiritual is to be in awe.*  
 Abraham Joshua Heschel

### Prayer Reflection

How is the flame of love in each of us doing? God's Love... Family Love...  
 Mutual love in community... Love to the Church... The love of those in our care... foreign love... Love of those who suffer... Love of those who are different.  
 Love of enemies.. Love for the land, the trees, the water, the animals, Love to our common home love of all creation How is the flame of love in each of us doing?

God Bless.. Fr. Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ



**The Burning Bush**  
 Ex 3:1-12

**Listen to the  
 Voice of Creation**  
 SEASON OF CREATION 2022

<b>4th September 2022 - 11th September 2022</b>	<b>Holy Mass &amp; Services Intention of Mass</b>	<b>Church</b>	<b>Other Events</b>
<b>Saturday 3rd September 23rd Sunday of the Year</b> Ws 9:13:18; Phm 9-10. 12-17; Lk 14: 25-33	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Sharon Bryan RIP	CC CC	
<b>Sunday 4th September 23rd Sunday of the Year</b> Ws 9:13:18; Phm 9-10. 12-17; Lk 14: 25-33	9.00 am Mass: People of the Parish 10.30 am Mass: Winifred Attle RIP 10:30-11:00am: OLSP Discussion - hall & grounds	OLSP CC OLSP	Coffee/Tea after Mass at OLSP
<b>Monday 5th September Feria</b>	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Thanksgiving	CC CC	
<b>Tuesday 6th September Feria</b>	9.00 am Mass:	CC	
<b>Wednesday 7th September Feria</b>	9.30 am Adoration 10.00 am Mass: For the Creation 10.45 am Memorial Mass Francesca Napolitano RIP	OLSP OLSP OLSP	Coffee/Tea after Mass at OLSP
<b>Thursday 8th September The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)</b>	9.00 am Mass: People of the Parish	CC	
<b>Friday 9th September Saint Peter Claver, priest (memorial)</b>	9.00 am Mass: Sharon Bryan RIP	CC	
<b>Saturday 10th September Feria</b>  <b>24th Sunday of the Year Education Sunday</b> Ex 32:7-11.13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32	9.30 am Confessions 10.00 am Mass: 12.30 am Baptism of Leon Buss  5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Special Intention (QO)	OLSP OLSP CC  CC CC	OLSP 10.30 am to 12.00 pm Baptism Course Part One; OLSP 12.30-5 pm Eritrean Church
<b>Sunday 11th September Education Sunday 24th Sunday of the Year</b> Ex 32:7-11.13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32	9.00 am Mass: People of the Parish 10.30 am Mass: P A Jose - Death Anniversary	OLSP CC	Coffee/Tea after Mass at OLSP

**Response: O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.**

**Please pray for Sharon Bryan RIP** of Corpus Christi Church, who died last Sunday, 28th August 2022. Her funeral arrangements will be confirmed shortly. May she rest in eternal peace. Please remember Austin and all the family in your prayers.

**Calling all Children aged between 3 and 8 years! Children's Liturgy at Corpus Christi Church** will begin on Sunday, 18th September 2022 and will take place once a month until Christmas. It is hoped by then we will have recruited parent volunteers so it can run more frequently. Parents need to sign in at the back of Church and accompany their children in the session. The children will process out to the Sacristy at the beginning of Mass and will return to Church at the Offertory. Arrangements for OLSP will be given shortly.

**1st Holy Communion Programme at Corpus Christi Church and Our Lady and St. Patricks Meadows for children born before 1st September 2015 who are 8 years old & above by 1st September 2023.** This will run from October 2022 to May 2023. Application forms will be available from Fr Wilfred after all weekend Masses from on 10th/11th, 17th/18th and 24th/ 25th September. Completed applications MUST be received BY 25th September 2022 at 5.00 pm.

**TODAY! - OLSP Church hall and grounds** are maintained by parish volunteers. How can we make the appearance of these spaces even more welcoming, and involve the wider community? For example, new curtains, re-painting and fresh planting. Parishioners are invited to bring ideas and discuss options with current volunteers, from 10:30-11:00 am on Sunday 4 September in the hall. If you cannot attend, or would prefer to share an idea or offer of support by email, please contact Clive at cchapman@runbox.com  
**Save the date! Volunteers' Mass of Thanksgiving & Celebration - Friday, 23rd September 2022,** Mass at 6.30 pm at OLSP, followed by food & celebration at 7.30 pm in OLSP Hall. Invitations are being sent out to all volunteers in both Churches early next week.

**Season of Creation 2022:** This runs from September 1st (World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation) to October 4th (Feast of St Francis of Assisi). The theme this year is "Listen to the Voice of Creation", Events within our parish will include showing of a film "Global Healing & Global Caring are film-based events for parishes, groups and individuals. They will inform, challenge and equip people to engage with Pope Francis' vital call to *Care For Our Common Home*' and following on from this month there will be CAFOD-issued activities concerning international food security and sustainability.

**The cost of living crisis: how might our parish respond?** If you would like to help the most vulnerable in our communities through the difficult months ahead, Caritas can support you. On **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September, 7.00 – 8.30pm**, you are invited to an online workshop, which will be an opportunity to share ideas and road-test a toolkit for parish action. Booking is open now for the workshop, and also for the in-person Caritas Assembly on **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2022**. If you can't make either date, sign up anyway for ongoing advice, information and networking: visit <https://bit.ly/LoavesandFishes2022>.