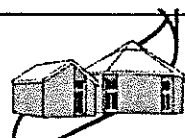



Corpus Christi Church, Mass/Service Times 12th April—19th April 2026



Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Saturday 11th April SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: Foundation Mass: Fr Joseph McGovern	
Sunday 12th April SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	10.30 am Mass: People of the Parish 12.00 pm Baptism	IF you would like to donate, please scan the QR code
Monday 13th March Easter Feria	6.30 pm Adoration 7.00 pm Mass: Glory Lijo and Family Special Intentions	
Tuesday 14th April Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: Minora D'Sa RIP 2.30 pm BRW: Resurrection Assembly Y3	
Wednesday 15th April Easter Feria	6.00 pm Parish Finance Council, Presbytery	
Thursday 16th April Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: Thanksgiving	7pm RCIA: Discussion
Friday 17th April Easter Feria	9.00 am Mass: All Souls	
Saturday 18th April THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	5.30 pm Confessions 6.00 pm Mass: David Wigley RIP	
Sunday 19th April THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	10.30 am Mass: Richie and Billy O'Brien RIP	

Our Lady & St Patrick's, Mass/Service Times 12th April—19th April 2026



Date	Holy Mass/ Services	Other Events
Sunday 12th April SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	9.00 am Mass: David Muldoon RIP 2.00 pm - 5.00 pm Syro-Malankara Church	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass
Wednesday 15th April Easter Feria	9.30 am Adoration and Benediction 10.00 am Mass: Tim Conlan RIP (2nd Anniversary)	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass
Saturday 18th April Easter Feria	10.00 am Mass: Steve Smith RIP	
Sunday 19th April THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	9.00 am Mass: People of the Parish 3.00 pm Latin Mass	Coffee & Tea after morning Mass



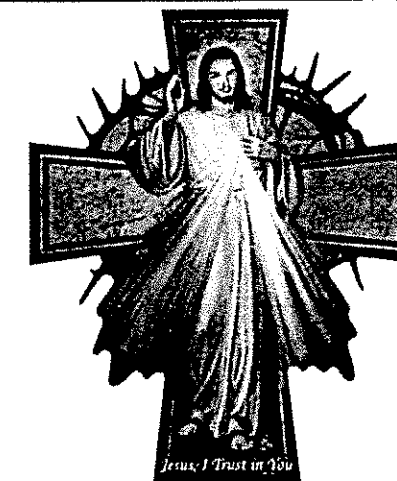
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BETHARRAM

Parish Newsletter Second Week of Eastertide

Corpus Christi, Southchurch Drive, Clifton and
Our Lady & St Patrick's, Launder Street, The Meadows
Parish Priest: Fr Pitak David SCJ, Priest Fr Wilfred Pereppadan SCJ
Br John Dawson SCJ, Br. Andrew Ferris SCJ
Corpus Christi Presbytery, 127 Listowel Crescent, Clifton, NG11 9BP;
Parish Secretary: Sarah Piper: 0115 921 2964, working days: mon., wed. & fri.
Email: secretaryccolsp@dioceseofnottingham.uk
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HE IS RISEN!

Thank you for all your Easter cards and gifts
And wishing you all a blessed Eastertide
From the Sacred Heart Community



The First Holy Communion Session will be held at
OLSP after Mass on Sunday 26th April and at CC on
Monday 27th April at 4pm.

Please pray for Everlyn Wangui Jemwa of Our Lady and St Patrick's who has died recently. Please also remember Wendy Bloor, Dr Roger O'Shea and Vera Russell of Corpus Christi Church who have died. Please pray for all of them and their families. Wendy Bloor's funeral mass will be at Corpus Christi on Tuesday 28th April at 11.15 am. Her body will be brought into Corpus Christi on the previous evening at 5.30 pm.

Baptism Course

The next baptism course for parents wishing to baptise their child is on Saturday 6th June 2026. It will be held at Corpus Christi Church. More details nearer the time.

Encountering Jesus in the Gospels: how to lead groups in reflective prayer. On Tuesday evenings between April and June, join the Jesuit Institute online for a short online formation course building the skills and confidence needed to hold and guide groups of those who wish to deepen their relationship with Jesus, in conversation with others, through reflectively praying with gospel texts. www.jesuitinstitute.org/events/encountering-jesus-in-the-gospels

Corpus Christi Collection Envelopes for 2026-27 are now available at the back of Corpus Christi Church. Please complete a Gift Aid Declaration if you are a UK taxpayer. These forms are next to the envelopes.

Could you be our next Archives Volunteer? The Archives Department is hosting an Open Day at the McGuinness Centre, Brooklyn Road, Nottingham NG6 9ES on Friday 17th April between 2.00pm and 6.00pm. Are you an organised individual with an interest in Church history, genealogy, and basic Microsoft skills? The Archives Department would love to see you there!

FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY - SUNDAY APRIL 12th 2026 at Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Church, Brooklyn Rd, Bulwell Nottingham NG6 9ES.

The celebration begins at 2.30pm and ends with Benediction at 3.45pm. Talks given by Rev Evarist Kaniki. There will be three priests available after the service for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. We invite you to join us for this great feast.

For more information ring Madeleine 0115 9277893 or Teresa 07733224700

Thank you to everyone who helped prepare the Churches for Easter.

The Pope's monthly intention for April: For priests in crisis. Let us pray that priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

Wanted: New Members to Join 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 and support our parish priest in building and sustaining a dynamic Christian Community. If you would like to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council, please take a nomination slip from the back of the Church and return it completed in the white box also at the back of the Church.

Nomination forms should be returned by Sunday 17th May 2026.

Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service (NDCYS) is looking for a new Programme Leader to be based at The Briars Retreat Centre in Crich, Derbyshire: a place with over 50 years of history and a clear sense of purpose. This is an exciting opportunity for an emerging leader to develop both existing provision and new ways of enabling young people to encounter God, grow in discipleship, and participate in the mission of the Church, through residential and day retreats, outreach to schools and parishes, and online engagement. For more information visit ndcys.com/

St Colette's Pregnancy Support Centre is seeking to appoint a part-time pregnancy support co-ordinator. Based in a parish hall close to the centre of Nottingham, the role involves coordinating efforts to deliver practical support to women who are pregnant in challenging circumstances. Training will be available. The role will be paid (living wage) for equivalent of 16 hours per week (on a choice of days by agreement). A willingness to work flexibly is important; a job share would be considered for the right candidates. The start date is 4th May or as soon as possible after. For more information (full job description) and / or an informal discussion, please contact John on 07757815625, or email pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk

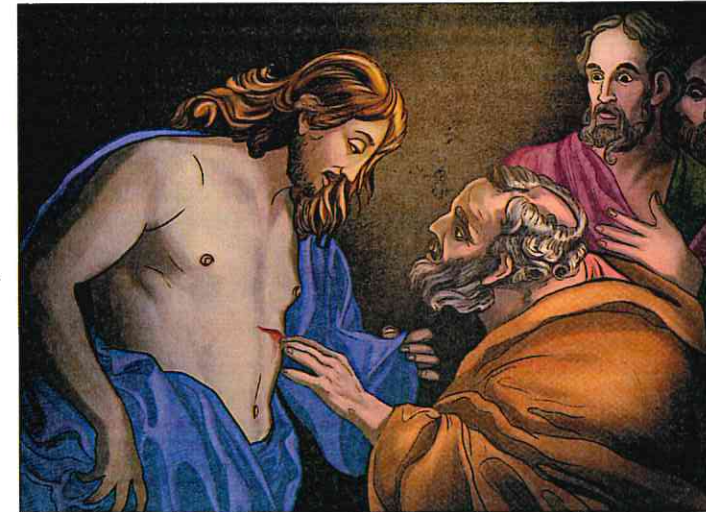
The Diocesan Youth Service NDCYS is taking a group of young people and young adults to Lourdes, France as part of the Diocesan Pilgrimage in July 2026. If you are aged 16+ and unable to go with your school, or a young adult who would like to be a small group leader, we encourage you to download the information pack and apply at ndcys.com/lourdes

Summer residential courses for young leaders

Forming Catholic Student Leaders consists of two summer courses exploring faith, ethics and leadership for sixth form students, offered by the Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst. Join for six days in the beautiful Ribblesdale Valley to explore themes linked to The Common Good (Year 12, Monday 10th – Saturday 15th August) and to The Human Ecology (Year 13, Sunday 5th – Friday 10th July). Meet new friends, discuss and share with peers, tutors and academics, learn new skills, develop your relationship with Christ, build your character. For more details, and to book, visit: www.christianleadershipformation.com

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham: Saturday 20th June 2026. A coach will be leaving from Sacred Heart Church, Carlton NG4 1FP at 8am and then leaving Good Shepherd, Arnold NG5 4HT at 8.15am. If you would like to go, seats cost £25 payable in advance. Please email cen@dioceseofnottingham.uk or telephone 0115 9116266 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 received. For information on the Catholic shrine at Walsingham visit: <https://www.walsingham.org.uk/>

Once a year, Nottingham SPUC holds a peaceful public act of witness in memory of the 10 million lives lost to abortion since the passage of the 1967 Abortion Act. This involves standing silently holding a poster up to passing traffic. The date for this year's witness is Saturday 25th April from 10.00am until midday. The venue is Trent Bridge, Nottingham. If you are saddened by the injustice of abortion and the harm it does to women, and would like to take part, please meet at 9.55am on the north side of the bridge, next to the Brewhouse and Kitchen. Posters will be provided. For more information contact pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

COLLECT

God of everlasting mercy, who in the very recurrence of the paschal feast kindle the faith of the people you have made your own, increase, we pray, the grace you have bestowed, that all may grasp and rightly understand in what font they have been washed, by whose Spirit they have been reborn, by whose Blood they have been redeemed. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, 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 who believed were together and had all things in common.' 2:42-47
The believers devoted themselves to the Apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the Apostles. And all who believed were together and had all things in common. And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. And day by day, attending the Temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they shared their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps.118(117)

Give praise to the LORD, for he is good, his mercy endures for ever.
or: Alleluia.

Let the house of Israel say,
'His mercy endures for ever.'
Let the house of Aaron say,
'His mercy endures for ever.'
Let those who fear the LORD say,
'His mercy endures for ever.' R.

They pushed me, pushed me hard to knock me down, but the LORD was my helper.
The LORD is my strength and my song; he was my saviour.
There are shouts of joy and salvation in the tents of the righteous. R.

The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.
By the LORD has this been done, a marvel in our eyes.
This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad. R.

SECOND READING

A reading from the First Letter of Saint Peter.

'He has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.' 1:3-9
Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, so that the tested genuineness of your faith—more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Though you have not seen him, you love him, though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia.
You believed, Thomas, because you have seen me, says the Lord.
Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.
Alleluia.

GOSPEL

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.
Glorify to you, O Lord.
'Eight days later, Jesus came.' 20:19-31

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you.' And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld.'

Now Thomas, one of the Twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord'. But he said to them, 'Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe.'

Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.

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

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Accept, O Lord, we pray, the oblations of your people (and of those you have brought to new birth), that, renewed by confession of your name and by Baptism, they may attain unending happiness.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, we pray, almighty God, that our reception of this paschal Sacrament may have a continuing effect in our minds and hearts.
Through Christ our Lord. We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.