

*The Catholic Community of
Central Nottingham
St Barnabas Cathedral
Derby Road
and
St Augustine of England
Woodborough Road*



Welcome to all our visitors at
St Barnabas Cathedral and St Augustine of England

*SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
Saturday 5th January 2019 ~ Sunday 13th January 2019
Psalter Week II ~ Sundays - Year C ~ Weekdays - Cycle I*

Weekday Masses at The Cathedral:

In addition to the 1pm weekday Mass, Mass will be celebrated
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the
Lady Chapel at 7.30am and in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 6.15pm.

At the beginning of the New Year the Clergy extend to all parishioners and visitors to our churches every good wish and blessings for the New Year.

White Flower Appeal - the Society for the Protection of Unborn children (SPUC) will be holding its annual appeal this weekend. Please be as generous as you can to help us defeat attacks on unborn babies and their mothers, and to stop abortion getting even worse in this country by decriminalisation.

Sunday Morning Tea & Coffee Tea and Filter coffees will be served after the 8am, 10am & 11:15am Masses in the Cathedral Hall with bacon butties available after the 8am and 10am. The Repository will also be open after the 10.00am and 11.15am Masses. All welcome.

Times of Confession

Tues - Fri	Cathedral	12.15pm - 12.50pm
Saturday	St Augustine	5.15pm - 5.45pm
Saturday	Cathedral	10.30am - 12 noon 5.30pm - 6.15pm

Weekly Exposition Times

Thursday	Cathedral	12noon - 12.45pm
Thursday	St Augustine	After 10am Mass
Saturday	Cathedral	10.30am - 12 noon 5.00pm - 6.00pm

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CATHEDRAL MASS TIMES FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD ~ Psalter Week II

Saturday 5th January	Vigil Mass	6.30pm	
Sunday 6th January	Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord	8am 10am 11.15am 6pm	
Monday 7th January	Monday after the Epiphany or Saint Raymond of Penyafort	7.30am 1pm 6.15pm	
Tuesday 8th January	Tuesday after Epiphany	7.30am 1pm 6.15pm	
Wednesday 9th January	Wednesday after Epiphany	7.30am 1pm 5.30pm 6.15pm	<i>Reception ~</i>
Thursday 10th January	Thursday after Epiphany	7.30am 1pm 6.15pm	<i>Requiem ~</i>
Friday 11th January	Friday after Epiphany	7.30am 1pm 6.15pm	
Saturday 12th January	Saturday after Epiphany or Saint Aelred of Rievaulx Vigil Mass	9.15am 10am 6.30pm	<i>Prayer for Vocations</i>
Sunday 13th January	Solemnity of the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord	8am 10am 11.15am 6pm	

Christmas Offering The Clergy would like to thank you all for your generous Christmas Offerings and also for the many gifts and cards that were handed into Cathedral House - they were very much appreciated.

Our thanks to all who contributed in any way preparing the Liturgies held over the Christmas period - - all was very much appreciated, especially by the many hundreds of people who attended our churches last week.

*ST AUGUSTINE'S MASS TIMES AND EVENTS FOR
THE SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD ~ PSALTER WEEK II*

Saturday 5th January	Vigil Mass	6pm	
Sunday 6th January	Solemnity of the Epiphany Of The Lord	11am	
Tuesday 8th January	Tuesday after Epiphany	10am	
Wednesday 9th January	Wednesday after Epiphany	9am	
Thursday 10th January	Thursday after Epiphany	10am	
Friday 11th January	Friday after Epiphany	10am	
Saturday 12th January	Vigil Mass	6pm	
Sunday 13th January	Feast of the Baptism Of The Lord	11am	

Refreshments St Augustine's Church Hall will be open every Sunday after the 11.00am Mass for teas and coffees. Please come and join us.

Women's Group The next meeting of Sr. Treasa's Women's Group will be on Thursday, 24th January from 11.00am 'till 1.00pm. New Members welcome!

Panthers Social Club offers opportunities to meet with friends and make new ones. The Club particularly welcomes adults with learning and/or physical disabilities. It is not possible to offer personal care but if this is required members can bring along their own support worker/carer who are more than welcome. There is currently no membership fee, just a subscription of £1.50 a week. It is primarily a social club without barriers. This group meets in St Augustine's Hall from 7pm – 9pm every Thursday. For further information contact Marian Donaldson on 07986 801618.

Legacies Most of the running costs of your Parish and of the Diocese and of the national Bishops' Conference costs are covered by the regular collections which are taken at the weekend Masses. However, there are from time to time substantial one-off costs. For example, the boiler in the Church may suddenly and unexpectedly need replacing. A building might need substantial roof repair. Facilities for the disabled may need to be provided, and there is the ever present need to bring our buildings up to date with health and safety legislation. Until such time as these funds are needed by the Parish, they are deposited centrally and are invested. If you would be kind enough to consider a legacy to the Church in your Will, it is a tax advantage as a Charity.

The Cathedral is a place for quiet prayer and reflection - all are most welcome to take advantage of this oasis of peace in our busy world.

Today: The story of the Magi is so colourful that we might overlook its significance and fail to see its deeper meaning. The wise men represent all of us. Their journey through desert and mountain following a star, reflects our search for purpose and meaning in life, which is not possible unless we are guided by faith which enables us to see beneath the surface of appearances. At the centre of it all is the innocence of a new-born child, surrounded by adoration, wonder and mystery, who is able to stir the emotions, imagination and wills of all those drawn into his presence. The story is always relevant because God sees to it that all people who really search will find him. He will shed light into our darkness and make us new. As the Christmas season draws to a close with faded holly and sagging decorations, the Epiphany reminds us of our journeying into another year, following the individual path which we alone are to tread. Life is a pilgrimage, a long journey, but we need not necessarily travel alone, fumbling in darkness in search of our destination. The Epiphany story concerns the wider world and the many varying circumstances of joy and sorrow in which we encounter Christ. It calls for us to look around and search for the Lord who is in our midst, in situations where previously we were unaware of his presence. He comes in people and places we least expect and at times when we are most unprepared for his company. God stands in our midst revealing himself and inviting us to enter his company. Nothing is ever the same again for those who have discovered his light. The responsibility we bear is to let the divine light within us shine through to others. The gospel of love, forgiveness and redemption is not something to keep quiet about, but Good News to announce to the world. (MB)

Ordinations for the Diocese of Nottingham: Please remember in your prayers our seminarians who will be ordained soon. Liam Carpenter - who will be ordained Deacon at St Bernadette's Church Scunthorpe on Friday 18th January and Deacon Paul Smith who will be ordained to the priesthood at St Barnabas Cathedral on Saturday 26th January at 11.30am.

The Journey of Faith will recommence this Monday at 7pm. Please do continue to remember our Enquirers in your prayers.

Flower Ladies Thank you to all who helped decorate the Cathedral and St Augustine's for Christmas and for those who gave Christmas decorations and helped in making the wreaths which adorned our Churches.

Nativity Banner Thank you to Sue Sylvester, one of our Vergers and a member of the St Barnabas Art and Craft Group, for the beautiful quilted Nativity Banner displayed in the Derby Road porch entrance.

Holocaust Memorial Day 2019 takes place at the Nottingham Council House on Sunday 27th January from 2.30pm to 4.30pm. Light refreshments available. All welcome.

Parish Finances Last Week

	St Augustine	Cathedral
Loose Plate	£ 326.22	£ 1,026.39
Envelopes	£ 83.00	£ 685.26
S/Orders	<u>£ 160.20</u>	<u>£ 707.68</u>
Total	£ 569.42	£ 2,419.33

Thank you for your
generosity to the work
of the Church!
*In your Will, please
remember your
Church.*

Hospitals If you have a relative or friend go into QMC or City please inform the Chaplaincy Dept., via ward staff or your parish priest and request a visit. QMC: 0115 9249924 ext 63799. City: 0115 9691169 ext 56187.

Baptism Course The dates for the next Baptism Course have been set for: - 9th and 16th February 2019. The sessions will start at 10.30am to 12.00noon and will be held in the Cathedral Hall. Parents or expectant parents wishing their child to be baptised are asked to complete and return to Cathedral House a Baptism Application Form as soon as possible. This course is designed for parents of children up to the age of 6 years only.

Cathedral First Confession/First Holy Communion and Confirmation Classes 2019 Classes will start for First Confession/First Holy Communion on Wednesday 20th March finishing on 19th June 2018 from 5.00pm to 6.30pm for children in School Year 3 or above, and Confirmation will start on Wednesday 20th March 2018 finishing 5th June from 7pm to 8.30pm for children in School Year 8 and above. All children who would like to receive these Sacraments are welcome regardless of what school you attend. We are looking forward to meeting and helping you take your next important steps in the Catholic faith. Please contact Alison at the Cathedral Office or Barbara McDonagh on 07786 891993 for more details.

Weddings 2019 Any couples who are hoping to get married this year, in either of our two parishes, are required in the first instance to make an appointment with the Cathedral Dean. Diocesan Law requires a minimum of six months notice prior to the wedding. This enables all the necessary arrangements and preparations to be made. All couples without exception have to attend the Marriage Preparation Course.

Cathedral Readers There are still a number of vacancies for readers, particularly at the 8.00am Mass where we urgently require three readers and one reader at the 6.00pm Mass. If you would like more information please contact Helen Auty on 0115 989 0651 or email: helen-auty@hotmail.com or speak to one of the Clergy.

Fundraising Good quality clothes wanted for recycling, men's shirts, trousers, suits, belts, coats and shoes. Ladies handbags, shoes, belts and clothes. Also children's clothes and shoes. Please label all items for the attention of Valerie Black.

Mass Intentions A selection of Mass Intention Cards are available from Cathedral House. **The suggested minimum donation for each Mass requested is £10.00.** Please pass your intention to a member of the Clergy or to the Cathedral Office. Mass Intentions Envelopes are available at the back of all our Churches.

Prayer for the Sick

Father, your Son accepted our sufferings
to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness.
Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brethren.
May all who suffer pain, illness or disease
realize that they have been chosen to be saints
and know that they are joined to Christ
in his suffering for the salvation of the world.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Events This Week At The Cathedral

Vespers	Lady Chapel	Sunday 6.45pm following Mass
RCIC	Ellis Room	Monday 5pm
Compline	Cathedral (Mon/Weds/Fri)	6.45pm (After 6.15pm Mass)
Journey of Faith	McMahon Room	Monday 7pm
Bible Reflection	Ellis Room	Thursday 6pm

Fraternal Day ~ Catholic Man UK, is a network building Catholic fraternity across the UK, invites men from the Diocese looking to grow in formation, fortitude, fraternity and faith to join the first regional Fraternal Day on Saturday 12th January 2019 (9am-3.30pm) at Mount Saint Bernard Abbey, Oaks Rd, Coalville, LE67 5UL. The day will include an introduction to Catholic Man UK, Mass, Holy Hour with Confession and Rosary, a talk by Dom Erik Varden OCSO: 'Lessons from Monastic Life for Men in the World,' tour of the Abbey, beer tasting and fraternal time. The cost for the day is £15, including refreshments, light lunch and a bottle of the Abbey's Tynt Meadow beer. Places must be booked in advance and places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment! For information or to book email: nottingham@catholicman.uk

Cathedral Choirs Tour to Lourdes & Paris: 15th July - 21st July 2019 In celebration of the Cathedral's 175th Anniversary, our Youth Choir will be joining our Cathedral Choir to lead the music in the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in July 2019. As well as playing a key role in the liturgies in Lourdes itself, the choirs will be giving concerts in the local region and visit Paris on their return journey for two Masses: Saturday 20th July 2019, 6pm Mass at Saint-Eustache, Paris and Sunday 21st July 2019, 11.30am Mass at Notre-Dame Cathedral, Paris. If you are interested in supporting the fundraising efforts in making this happen, please contact Alex Patterson (alexpattersonmusic@gmail.com / 07792618634).

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes and Nevers by Coach June 15th – June 22nd 2019 The cost is £565 per person. The price includes Coach and Ferry travel, overnight stay with Bed and Breakfast at the Welcome Break hotel in Orleans on the way out, full board at the Hotel Irlande in Lourdes, half board at the Kyriad Hotel in Nevers on the way back. In addition to this there's an optional excursion to Gavarnie, a Ski resort in the Pyrenees.

Parish Pilgrimage to Lisieux by Coach April 1st – 5th 2019 The cost of the Pilgrimage is £345. Next year's pilgrimage is a day longer than in recent years as we will begin travelling to Alencon to visit and have Mass at the place that St Therese was born. We will then follow in her footsteps with a guided visit to the Cathedral in Lisieux, to the Basilica dedicated to St Therese, to the house where she grew up and to the museum and to the Carmel where she lived and died. For more info on both pilgrimages see Fr. John McCay. Telephone: 0115 981 0320.

Settlement Scheme for EU Citizens As you will be aware, Brexit is causing uncertainty and concern to many EU citizens living in the UK. Both clergy and laity alike share this uncertainty and concern. Apart from those who are uncertain about their future, others are inevitably in a state of ignorance and unaware that Brexit will affect their immigration status. In March 2019, the Government is due to launch a Settlement Scheme. All EU citizens living in the UK will be required to make an application if they wish to remain here after Brexit. However, Irish citizens will not be required to apply as their rights are separately protected. Many parishioners, priests and religious in our Dioceses will be affected. We urge the whole Catholic community to take up Pope Francis' call to welcome, protect, promote and help to integrate everyone who has made their home here, with particular concern at present for all our European brothers and sisters. Please encourage anyone you know whom Brexit will affect, towards the official information on the Settlement Scheme at gov.uk/settled-status-eu-citizens-families.

Wanted Mugs, dessert spoons and forks are urgently needed for Refugees. Sr Philomena thanks all those who have already donated mugs but more are needed. If you can help, please bring them to Cathedral House for the attention of Valerie Black.

Cathedral Tour Guides (Voluntary) With 2019 being the 175th Anniversary of the Consecration of the Cathedral, we are expecting an increase in the number of requests for a Guided Tour of the Cathedral. We are seeking to increase the number of volunteers who can act as a Cathedral Guide, so that this important ministry can continue. If you are able and willing to help with this, then please contact the Cathedral Office on 9539 839, Extension 7, so that we can look at some training.

Children's Liturgy takes place at the Cathedral during the 10am Sunday Mass.

Old Pound Coins If you have any old pound coins lurking, please donate them to the Cathedral Restoration Fund. Thank you.

Prayers For Vocations Saturday morning in the Cathedral Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 9.15am.

Easyfundraising By signing up to the website and selecting St Barnabas Maintenance Fund as your chosen charity, a donation can be made every time we do online shopping at a large variety of websites including Tesco, Sainsbury's, Amazon or eBay. We would encourage everyone to sign up to the website, choose St Barnabas Maintenance Fund as your chosen charity and when you are ready to do some online shopping, it's a matter of "clicking-through" via the easyfundraising website where a donation will be paid to the Cathedral on a quarterly basis. The donation (a bit like cash back) can be anything from 1% for some retailers and up to £50 or more for switching utilities. For example, if you wanted to buy something from Amazon, you would first go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk and log in, search for Amazon in the "browse retailers" box and the website then redirects you to Amazon's website. From here you would make your purchase as normal and a donation would be logged and transferred to St Barnabas' Maintenance Account within 3 months". Please do consider helping us raise money this way ~ to date we have just received a cheque in the sum of £39.19 from those who have already signed up to help us.

FAITH IN ACTION

Salaam Shalom Kitchen would like to thank all the volunteers who helped in the Sash kitchen from St Barnabas Cathedral for all your deeds of kindness and charity over the last year and for making Nottingham a better place for all it's citizens.

Gifts For The Poor Thanks to all who have contributed to our weekly collection during 2018. We support these charities regularly:

Emmanuel House ~ Food, Clothes and Toiletries.

Jericho Road ~ Women's Toiletries

NG7 Food Bank ~ Food and Household Cleaning Products

We also support other worthy causes on an 'ad hoc' basis.

Parish Volunteers sort the gifts every Sunday, giving priority to Emmanuel House's current choice (they update regularly on what they need). All items received that are not suitable for Emmanuel House will be passed on to the Foodbanks. All contributions are welcome which are canned, packaged or in jars. Please no fresh or short dated items. Please continue to support these charities with your gifts during 2019. Homelessness is increasing and looks set to do so for the foreseeable future.

Foodbanks If you find that you need to use the facilities of a Foodbank, please be aware that you cannot just turn up and be given a Food Parcel, you need in the first instance to go to a Referral Centre who will then, depending on your circumstances, give you a voucher and direct you to your nearest donation point. You will be given a three day supply of emergency food. Whilst the food is being packed, Foodbank volunteers will sit and chat with clients over a cup of tea or hot meal.

Contact us...

0115 953 9839 *then dial extensions*

Parish Clergy

Rev Fr Biju Joseph ~ Ext. 8

Rev Fr Marcus Wakely ~ Ext. 5

Rev Fr John Alex ~ Ext. 4

Rev Fr Malachy Brett (Cathedral Dean and Parish Priest) ~ Ext. 3

Note: To leave a message, wait for 'ten' rings and follow the instructions given.

Bishop Rt. Rev Patrick McKinney ~ Bishop's House, 27 Cavendish Road East,
The Park, Nottingham. NG7 1BB

Bishop's Private Secretary Rev Fr Jonathan Rose ~ 0115 9474786

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Rev David Kerry ~ 07952 103981 (The Cathedral)

Parish Secretaries

Mrs Debra Harley (Monday & Fridays 10.00am to 3.00pm) ~ Ext. 7

Mrs Alison Lokes (Tuesday, Weds & Thursday 10.00am to 2.00pm) ~ Ext. 7

Director of Music

Mr Alex Patterson BA (Hons) MMus ~ 07792 618634

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Information The Cathedral is open from 7.00am Sunday to Friday and Holydays,
and from 8.00am on Saturdays.

For Mass & Confession Times ~ Ext. 1 Holy Day Mass Times ~ Ext. 2

Office Hours ~ Mondays to Fridays 9.00am - 5.00pm

Donations May be made to the Cathedral by cash, cheque, (payable to Saint
Barnabas Cathedral RCP) If you are a Taxpayer, please use Gift Aid.

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The Cathedral

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Sr Anita MacDonald LCM & Sr Margaret Service LCM

Safeguarding Representatives

Jeremy Lea and Ann Reddington (The Cathedral and St Augustine's)