

*Welcome to the  
Cathedral Church of St Barnabas  
Nottingham*



**The Celebration of Mass:** The Sunday obligation continues to be suspended, but we hope to be able to fulfil this most important Church precept by the First Sunday of Advent 2021.

Thirty Second Week of Ordinary Time  
*Saturday 6th November 2021 to Sunday 14th November 2021*  
*Psalter Week IV ~ Sundays - Year B ~ Weekdays - Cycle I*

**Weekday Masses** In addition to the 1pm Mass, Masses this week will be celebrated on Thursday and Friday at 7.30am, in the Lady Chapel.

**Mass in Thanksgiving for Healthcare Workers, and in Remembrance of Pandemic Victims** Together with all the bishops in England and Wales, Bishop Patrick will celebrate a Thanksgiving Mass this Sunday evening in the Cathedral at 6.00pm. This Mass is open to all, but especially to members of the healthcare professions, and to those mourning loved ones over the past 18 months.

**Mass for Deceased Clergy & Religious – 8th November 2021** This year’s Mass for the Deceased Bishops, Priests, Deacons and Religious of our Diocese, will be celebrated in St Barnabas Cathedral at 1.00pm this Monday. Bishop Patrick McKinney will be the Principle Celebrant. All are welcome. There will be a private function in the hall following this Mass for Clergy and Religious only.

**Cemetery Visits** There will be Prayers at Bulwell Cemetery this Saturday 6th November at 12noon. On Sunday 7th November, 3pm at Wilford Hill Cemetery. On Sunday 14th November, 2pm at Beeston Cemetery, 3pm at Carlton Cemetery, and 3.15pm at Chilwell Cemetery. All welcome.

**Today:** Today’s gospel calls for nothing less than surrender. It is only Jesus who can remove my heart of stone, and give me a heart of flesh instead. I personally invite him to come there, with a whip of cords and to rid my heart of all evil, and all the influences of the evil one. ‘Lord, I want my heart to belong to you. I want to be a heart person; some who speaks from the heart, listens with the heart, prays from and with the heart’.

A man died recently and went to heaven. He was very happy up there, as he wandered about, exploring the place. One Sunday morning he bumped into the Lord (It could happen up there, just as sure as down here!) The Lord called him over to show him something – he opened a sort of trapdoor in the floor of heaven, so that the man could look through, and see even as far as the earth below. Eventually, the Lord got him to focus his attention on a church, his own local church at home, where there was a full congregation at Mass. The man watched for a while, and then something began to puzzle him. He could see the priest moving his lips, and turning over the pages. He could see the choir holding their hymnals, and the organist thumping the keyboards. But he couldn’t hear a sound. It was total silence. Thinking that the amplification system in heaven had broken down, he turned to the Lord for an explanation. The Lord looked at him in surprise. “Didn’t anybody ever tell you? We have a rule here that if they don’t do those things with their hearts, then we don’t hear them up here at all!” **(MB)**

Times of Confession		
Tues - Fri	Cathedral	12.15pm - 12.50pm
Saturday	Cathedral	10.30am - 12 noon 5.30pm - 6.15pm

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

Weekly Exposition Times		
Thursday and Friday	Cathedral	12noon - 12.45pm
Saturday	Cathedral	10.30am - 12 noon 5.00pm - 6.00pm

**Second Collection** There will be a second collection this weekend in respect of Church Maintenance.

**This week Masses at the Cathedral will be Celebrated at the following times:  
All the Masses on main Altar are being streamed and recorded via the Cathedral Streaming Service on the Cathedral website: [stbarnabascathedral.org.uk](http://stbarnabascathedral.org.uk)**

Saturday 6th November	Vigil Mass	6.30pm	Intentions of MMCH
Sunday 7th November	Thirty Second Sunday of the Year	8am 10am 11.15am 6pm	The People Mauricia, Cornelio and Edward Agbulos RIP Wiktor Lipski RIP Thanksgiving for Healthcare Workers and in Remembrance of Pandemic Victims
Monday 8th November	Feria	1pm	Deceased Clergy and Religious
Tuesday 9th November	Feast of the Dedication of The Lateran Basilica	1pm	Chapter Mass ~ Alice Lynch RIP
Wednesday 10th November	Saint Leo the Great	1pm	Mike Lennon RIP
Thursday 11th November	Saint Martin of Tours	7.30am 1pm	Holy Souls William, Maeve and Kat Smythe
Friday 12th November	Saint Josaphat	7.30am 1pm	<b>Margaret and Jackie Egan's Intentions</b> Lilian Lowenthal
Saturday 13th November	Feria or Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil Mass	9.15am 10am 6.30pm	<i>Prayers for Vocations</i> <b>Dylan Rich's Intention</b> Maureen Riley RIP (Birthday)
Sunday 14th November	Thirty Third Sunday of the Year	8am 10am 11.15am 2pm 6pm	<b>Alison Lokes' Intentions</b> Angeline Auty The People Mass and Adoration in Malankara Rite Giovanni Fermani RIP

**Remembrance Sunday ~ 14th November 2021**

The 11.15am Mass at the Cathedral next weekend, will be offered for the  
Dead of all Wars.

Music includes The Last Post and the Cathedral Choir will sing Fauré's *Requiem*.

**November - a time for remembering** Few Christians need encouraging to pray for the dead. We pray for them naturally as we pray for our loved ones and friends who are still living. It would be strange not to do so, as the Faithful Departed are as near to us as Christ is, for they are in Christ like we are. November is a time to remember our loved ones who have gone to the Lord. Here in the Cathedral we will have a Novena, you will be given a form as you leave Mass this weekend, please complete the form by adding your loved ones names and bring it back in an envelope with your donation marked 'November Dead - unfortunately we are unable to provide envelopes this year due to the current regulations. All names will be placed on the altar for the celebration of Mass and will be the "Intentions" for the Mass during the time of the Novena. (MB)

**Parish Finances Last Week**

Thank you for your generosity to the work  
of the Church!

*In your Will, please remember your Church.*

Loose Plate	£ 1,033.30
Envelopes	£ 361.07
S/Orders	£ 1,015.20
Total	£ 2,409.57

**Children's Liturgy**

takes place at the  
Cathedral  
during the 10am  
Sunday Mass.

**Fifth World Day of the Poor** Next Sunday is a Day of Special Prayer for the Poor. A message from the Holy Father, is available to view on our website.

**Synodal Process** Thank you to all who attended or sent in their thoughts in regards to the Synodal questions last Wednesday. The next two questions will be printed next week with a date for the next meeting. For those unable to join our parish meetings, you can now submit your responses to the parish questions online by visiting [www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/synod2023](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/synod2023), and clicking on 'HAVE YOUR SAY'. The information submitted will feed into our own parish reflections. This form can also be used by those on the margins of the Church or who are not a Catholic. We are being invited to ask those furthest away from our community to be involved, so you are encouraged to share this with friends and family.

**Baptism** The next Baptism Course is due to take place in the Cathedral Hall on Saturday 27th November from 11am to 12.30pm. Please complete a Baptism Application Form, available on our website, or at the back of the Cathedral and return it to Cathedral House.

**Christmas Hamper** A luxury Christmas hamper is now available to view in the Cathedral Hall on Sundays. The raffle tickets are available to buy (£1/per strip) from the Repository, or via the parish office during the week, or please seek out Julie Whiley for assistance.

**Repository** Please note the opening times, Sundays following all morning Holy Masses and alongside the First Friday lunches. Christmas items now available: nativity scenes, single and packs of cards, Advent candles, diaries, calendars etc. If you require a nativity set there is a huge selection available all in different sizes, indoors and outdoors, different colours and styles including sets for children. The range is so comprehensive to stock so please ask to view the catalogue. Allow 2 weeks for timely delivery to avoid disappointment. We look forward to welcoming you and feel free to browse while enjoying a coffee.

**Friends of St Barnabas** The Provost and Chapter wish to establish a 'Friends of St Barnabas Cathedral', with the objective of supporting the fabric of the Cathedral building; its liturgical and civic life, and its cultural expression in the heart of the ancient City of Nottingham. Can you help? Do you have a little time, creative vision, communication skills and can work with a dynamic team? Then perhaps you could become a member of the Council of Management of the Friends? If yes, please contact Canon Philipp at the Good Shepherd, email: [presbuteroi@hotmail.com](mailto:presbuteroi@hotmail.com), or telephone: 0115 926 8288.

**Head of Centre and Relationship Counsellor Volunteers Needed** Catholic Marriage Care are the largest faith-based relationship support specialists in the UK. They are in urgent need of two Heads of Centres to join their Nottingham and Lincolnshire teams. They are also looking for empathetic listeners who would like to train and volunteer with them as Relationship Counsellors and make a real difference to couples and families. For more information please visit: [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)

**Faith and Freedom** The Nottingham Diocesan Ecumenical Commission invites you to attend an interactive study day looking at the issue of religious freedom across the world. With speakers from 'Aid to the Church In Need', on Saturday 20th November from 2pm to 4pm at St Mary's Parish, Darley Lane, Derby. DE1 3AX. Booking is not required. For more information please email Fran Hazel at: [ecumencialcommission@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:ecumencialcommission@dioceseofnottingham.uk).

**COP26** Tackling the environmental crisis is a Catholic issue because it is a universal issue. It affects each and every one of us. If we do not act, we risk causing irreparable damage to God's creation, the creation of which He made us the stewards. As Catholics, we have been given a very clear steer from Pope Francis about the importance of caring for our common home. In his 2015 encyclical 'Laudato Si', His Holiness made it clear that to "harm the environment was to harm human beings". The Catholic community is being represented at the COP26 by delegations from a range of Catholic organisations across England and Wales, from the Holy See, and from Episcopal Conferences around the world. In this spirit of mutual respect, we are calling on governments to maintain their commitment to keep the global temperature rise below 1.5 degrees. We will also insist that governments commit to supporting the world's poorest nations, who often find themselves facing the worst effects of climate change despite having done the least to contribute towards it. We know that we need to act globally to protect the biodiversity of this earth, and all of God's creation that depends on it. The COP26 meeting presents us with a unique, unprecedented, and quite possibly final opportunity to engage in a meaningful global dialogue that will establish attainable targets and policies to address the ecological crisis we are living through right now.

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Rev Fr Ferdinand Onwuka ~ Ext. 5 (in residence)

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**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,**  
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**Information** The Cathedral opens at 7am Sunday to Friday, and at 8am on Saturdays.

The Cathedral closes at 6pm during weekdays when there is no evening Mass.

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

**Donations** May be made to the Cathedral by cash, cheque, (payable to Saint Barnabas Cathedral RCP) or via the Website.

*If you usually give by envelope or loose plate, you can now donate via online banking, or via our Donation Station at the back of the Cathedral. You can make individual donations whenever you wish, or you can set up a regular donation by Standing Order on a weekly or monthly basis. For the purposes of setting up a regular donation via your online banking, the parish bank details are as follows:*

### St Barnabas Cathedral:

Bank: Lloyds Bank

Account Name: St Barnabas Cathedral Nottingham RCP

Account Number: 01647189

Sort code: 30 96 18

**Wills and Bequests** Our Cathedral has benefitted greatly in the past from the thoughtfulness of parishioners who have remembered the Cathedral in their Wills. Some have funded particular projects in Memoriam of loved ones. God bless them for their kindness. All bequests will help towards renovating particular items. Please do consider a legacy to the Church in your Will, it is a tax advantage as a Charity.

Email address: [stbarnabasnottingham@gmail.com](mailto:stbarnabasnottingham@gmail.com)

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### Parish Sister

Sr Monica Kelleher LCM

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