

*Welcome to the  
Cathedral Church of St Barnabas  
Nottingham*

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**St Barnabas  
Cathedral  
Nottingham**



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.

Fourth Week of Eastertide  
*Saturday 7th May 2022 to Sunday 15th May 2022*  
*Psalter Week IV ~ Sundays - Year C ~ Weekdays - Cycle II*

**Weekday Masses** In addition to the 1pm Mass, Masses this week will be celebrated in the Lady Chapel on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 7.30am, and on Monday and Thursday at 6.15pm.

**Children's Liturgy** takes place at the Cathedral during the 10am Sunday Mass. If anyone would like to help, please contact Eva Kerry - 07946274129.

**Jubilee Celebrations** Bishop Patrick warmly invites people from across the Diocese to Saint Barnabas Cathedral on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> June for Happy and Glorious, a musical celebration to mark the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. Tickets for the evening are available at [www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/jubilee](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/jubilee). Come and join Her Majesty's Lord Lieutenant and other guests as we give thanks to God for The Queen.

**Jubilee Funding** We are looking for help in procuring funds towards the cost of the Jubilee Celebration. The Orchestra alone is costing £1,200.00, and we would be most grateful if any donations, either as an individual, or through a business, would consider donating towards the costs. If you are interested in helping towards the funding for the evening, please speak with Canon Malachy. Thank you.

**St Barnabas Day Party ~ Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June** We are organising a parish party in the hall and garden. Tickets will be available soon. Watch this space. We will need volunteers to help set out tables, cook and serve food, wash up and clear up and much more. We will need raffle prizes. Please be generous. If you can help in any way please contact Alison in the office.

**Prayers for the Suffering, Sick and Dying** takes place in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Thursday at 12noon starting on the 12th May. Led by the Associates/Affiliates of the Little Company of Mary. All are welcome.

**Today:** One day an undertaker phoned the local parish and informed the priest that one of his parishioners had died. He gave the name. But neither the Parish Priest or his assistant recognised the name, even though, the deceased had faithfully attended Mass every Sunday in the parish church. Fortunately, they had the parish records on the computer. So, to the computer they now went. Sure enough, his name came up on the screen. Below the name was his age, address, and a number of other facts about him. Now they felt happy – they knew who he was. But did they? We may know a number of facts about a person, but that doesn't mean we know the person. There is a vast difference between knowing about a person and knowing the person. The computer is a help to a busy priest, but it is no substitute for the personal touch. When the Good Shepherd says he knows his sheep, he doesn't mean he simply has them on the computer. **(MB)**

**Times of Confession**

Tues - Fri	12.15pm - 12.50pm
Saturday	10.30am - 12 noon 5.30pm - 6.15pm

**Weekly Exposition Times**

Thursday & Friday	12noon - 12.45pm
Saturday	10.30am - 12 noon 5.00pm - 6.00pm

**Sunday Morning Tea & Coffee** Tea and Filter coffees will be served after the 8am, 10am & 11:15am Masses in the Cathedral Hall. The Repository will also be open.

**Returning to Mass** If you are worried about larger gatherings, the 6.30pm Vigil Mass on Saturday has plenty of seating available. If you feel that you are not yet ready to return to Mass, perhaps you would like Canon Malachy to come and visit you at home, or maybe telephone you. Please contact the office and we can arrange this for you.

**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 7th May	Vigil	6.30pm	George Henry and Alice Mary Phipps RIP
Sunday 8th May	Fourth Sunday of Easter <i>(Good Shepherd Sunday)</i>	8am 10am 11.15am 1pm 2pm 6pm	Alan, Cheryl and Jackson Bill Shanks RIP (5th Anniversary) <b>Valerie Black's Intention</b> <i>Baptism - Joel Ansah</i> <i>Baptism - Freya Hope Jahina</i> The People
Monday 9th May	Easter Feria	1pm 6.15pm	Michael Szuciak and Marino Mangone RIP ~ 6th Anniversary Sue Barker RIP
Tuesday 10th May	Easter Feria or Saint John of Avila	7.30am 1pm	Joseph Grebenar Margaret Joan McGinn RIP
Wednesday 11th May	Easter Feria or Saints John Houghton, Robert Lawrence and Companions	7.30am 1pm	Thanksgiving Maria and Stefan and all deceased family members
Thursday 12th May	Easter Feria or Saints Nereus and Achilleus or Saint Pancras	7.30am 1pm 6.15pm	Valerie Hindson RIP & William Fitzpatrick RIP Private Intention Holy Souls
Friday 13th May	Easter Feria or Our Lady of Fatima	7.30am 1pm	Special Intention Mary and Benedict Yeap RIP Mary Jahina
Saturday 14th May	Feast of Saint Matthias  Vigil	9.15am 10am 6.30pm	<i>Prayers for Vocations</i> Anne Tobin RIP John Heraghty RIP
Sunday 15th May	Fifth Sunday of Easter	8am 10am 11.15am 3pm 6pm	James Anyanwu ~ Get Well Bob Rice RIP ~ 2nd Anniversary The People Neophyte Mass Margaret, John and Anthony Devaney RIP

**The Friends of Nottingham Cathedral** Inaugurated in 2021 by the Cathedral Chapter and with Bishop Patrick as its President, 'The Friends of Nottingham Cathedral' aims to support the work and mission of the Cathedral through prayer, encouragement of social and cultural opportunities, and financially, in order to maintain its position as a magnificent spiritual and culture gem at the heart of the city and Diocese. Our Mother Church needs your support. To find out more about the Friends, or to become a 'Friend', please email: [nottinghamcathedral.friends@gmail.com](mailto:nottinghamcathedral.friends@gmail.com)

**Second Collection this Sunday in respect of The Clergy Formation Fund** This goes towards funding those training for the priesthood and diaconate and their further formation once ordained.

Parish Finances Last Week	Loose Plate	£	971.59
Thank you for your generosity to the work of the Church!	Envelopes	£	561.50
	S/Orders	£	1,015.20
<i>In your Will, please remember your Church.</i>	Total	£	2,548.29

<b>Prayers For Vocations</b>
Saturday morning in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 9.15am.

**Neophytes Mass** Those who have been received into the Church this year and over the last two years, their families, catechists and sponsors are invited to a special Mass at Saint Barnabas Cathedral, with Bishop Patrick, on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May at 3.00pm. The period after initiation is a special time for those recently received into the Catholic Church (Neophytes), a time to explore the “mysteries” they have experienced, a time to gather and deepen their grasp of the strengthening of the Eucharist. All welcome, refreshments available in the hall afterwards.

**Volunteers Wanted** The First Friday Team are looking for volunteers, men and women, to help with up and coming events. If you are interested in joining our friendly team of helpers, please contact Alison at Cathedral House, who will pass your details. All ages welcome.

**Becoming a Catholic** We are now looking ahead to this coming autumn’s Journey of Faith Programme and invite any adult non-Catholic or non-Christian, or Catholic adult who has not received the Sacraments, or is interested knowing more about the Catholic Church and perhaps becoming a member, to contact a member of the Clergy.

**RCIC** We are also looking ahead to the start of the RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children). The RCIC is a program for children age 7 to 15 years who have not been baptised and is open to both parishioners and non-parishioners who wish to prepare for the Sacraments. Whether your family is just entering the church, is returning after time away, have decided as a family to delay the children’s sacramental preparation, or any other circumstance, all are welcome. Please contact the Cathedral Office for more information.

**Children’s Choir Chaperone’s** The Music Department are looking for a couple of people who may be available to chaperone Boy’s and Girl’s Choir rehearsals as part of the Cathedral’s commitment to safeguarding. You would be part of a team of volunteers that would be available to help on a rota basis for rehearsals on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon’s, as well as for Masses and concerts. It is vital work and goes a long way to help build the music up here at the Cathedral, and give the next generation access to Cathedral music. If you are able to help, please get in touch with the Director of Music at [gregory.treloar@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:gregory.treloar@dioceseofnottingham.uk) . A DBS check will be required.

**Flower Arrangers** are urgently needed to keep up the tradition of beautiful flowers in the Cathedral. Age and sickness have meant that so many of our long-serving arrangers have had to retire. Should you wish to get involved please contact the Cathedral Office.

**A LGBT+ Pastoral Ministry Mass** will be celebrated by the Bishop on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 1.00pm in Our Lady and Saint Joseph’s Church, Matlock (DE4 3NG). All are very welcome.

**The Christian Leadership Formation Programme** is running again, and is open to applications from students in Lower Sixth (Year 12), with a deadline of Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. The programme is for students who are actively committed to their faith, intellectually gifted, and who are committed to shaping a Christian society through their careers. It provides a spiritual and philosophical / theological formation in the Catholic tradition around themes relating to the common good, as well as workshops in skills pertaining to public life. Scholarships are available. More information, and the application form is available at: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/clf/> Information about last year’s first module is at: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/media/christian-leadership-formation-takes-off/>

**Marriage Care – Volunteers Needed!** Your local Marriage Care centre is looking for a Centre Coordinator to lead and support the centre team, as well as Marriage Preparation Facilitators to help prepare couples for the Sacrament of Marriage. They are also recruiting Trustees to join the national board. Find out more about how you could help support couples and families at: [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk) or email [volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk)

**Emmanuel House and the Food Bank need your help!** Thank you for bringing your weekly gifts of clothes and tinned, or packaged, food. Please put them at the back of the Cathedral when you arrive for Mass. The team also needs volunteers for special duties: Saturday evening Mass, Sunday 11:15am and 6pm Masses. Contact Kate Fletcher if you are able to help 07977 231 238. 10 minutes of your time is all we need! Wednesday mornings we need drivers to join our rota for delivering the gifts. NB: You only have to do this every few weeks. If you have a car and are free Wednesdays 10am to 12noon, please contact on the above number. If you prefer to give money to Emmanuel House, visit their Web page <https://www.emmanuelhouse.org.uk/donations-sponsorship/financial-donations/> where you can donate online. Emmanuel House have an amazon wishlist. The link is on their webpage. Donating via the wishlist saves you the effort of lugging food and ensures perishable items reach them well before the sell by date.

Contact us... 0115 953 9839  
then dial extensions for:

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### Parish Clergy

Rev Fr Ferdinand Onwuka (in residence) ~ Ext. 5  
Rev Fr Jameson Abraham ~ Ext. 4  
Rev Canon Malachy Brett (Cathedral Dean) ~ 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,**  
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**Bishop's Private Secretary** Rev Fr Simon Gillespie ~ 0115 9474786  
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### Parish Secretary

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Mr Graeme Vernon ARMCM ~ 07979 990993

**Flower Co-ordinator** Mrs Mary Mulvenney ~ 01332 872 147

**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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