

The Parish of St. Mary's with St. Paul's, Nottingham

N.R.C.D.T. a Registered Charity

16th Week in Ordinary Time: 22nd July 2018

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Mass times:

Date	Event	Church
Saturday 21st Feria G	10am Mass <i>Agnelo Rebello family Int</i>	St Mary's
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First Mass of Sunday	6pm Mass <i>Pro-Populo</i>	St Paul's
Sunday 22nd 16 th Sunday in Ordinary time. G	09.30am Mass <i>Khoury & Micallef families RIP</i> 11.00am Mass <i>Joseph & May Morrissey</i> 6:00pm Mass (Divine Worship)	St Paul's St Mary's St Paul's
Monday 23rd Saint Bridget W	9:30am Mass <i>Donor's Private Int</i>	St Paul's
Tuesday 24th Feria G	10am Mass <i>Sr Alexine Anderson CSJP</i>	St Mary's
Wednesday 25th St James R	7pm Mass <i>Helena & Josef R.I,P</i>	St Paul's
Thursday 26th Sts Joachim & Anne W	10am Mass <i>Vocations</i>	St Mary's
Friday 27th Feria G	9:30am Mass <i>Strength for Isabel</i>	St Paul's
Saturday 28th Feria G	No Mass	St Mary's
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First Mass of Sunday	6pm Mass <i>Susan Williams R.I.P</i>	St Paul's
Sunday 29th 17 th Sunday in Ordinary time. G	09.30am Mass <i>Victor Quainoo RIP</i> 11.00am Mass <i>Frank Ward RIP</i> 6:00pm Mass (Divine Worship)	St Paul's St Mary's St Paul's

Rotas:

	St. Paul's Church	St. Mary's Church
Counters This Week	Vince & Anthony	Pat & Margaret Duffy
Counters Next Week		Pat & Margaret Duffy
St. Paul's Church	18:00	09.30
Readers This Week	S Spiegelhalter E Foley	Stephen A B Howes
Ministers of Holy Communion	P Burke H Burke	E Crowe M Micallef
Readers Next Week	F Williams W Astor	S Tye M Spowage
Ministers of Holy Communion	C Smith M Micallef	V McKenzie E Crowe
St Mary's Church	11.00	
Readers this week	Jane Jamie	
Extraordinary Ministers	Sr Eileen Angelina	
Readers next week	Aileen Chris	
Extraordinary Ministers	Anne B Jaison	

Parish Lottery Winner: 125: P Murrin

St Paul's Collection: Loose plate and envelopes: £316.19: 2nd Collection: (AOS) £99.93

St Mary's Collection: Loose plate and envelopes:

Standing Orders (both Churches) £138

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Rosa Calcroft, Susan Cresswell, Sonny Daly, Josephine Dunkwu, Michelle Hennesy, Patrick Henry, Thomas Murphy, Ita Nunley, Frances O'Donnell, James Reynolds, Madeleine Roper, Emma, Josephine Ludlam, Margaret Mulligan, Carl Pinkett

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Sat 10:30am-11am St Mary's

5:20-5:50pm St Paul's

Sun 8:50am-9:20am St Paul's

Exposition St Mary's Sat: 10:30am



Marcus Garvey Parking

Do not be alarmed by the frightening new "Parking Signs" at the Marcus Garvey centre. Those of you who park there for Mass on a Sunday should still be fine as long as you park in the bays.

"Blessed is She" Brunch

Female members of the parish are invited to join us for "Blessed is she" brunch. This is a special, and unique opportunity for faithful Catholics to meet face-to-face, share a meal, and pray together.

The first event will be hosted by one of our PhD students, Collette, on Saturday 1st of September 2018. Please note that you will need to sign up for the event and let us know what food is coming.

(It will be a potluck, so all the host does is open her home with coffee + water).

For more information, please contact Nash on nashmil.motazed@icloud.com.

Want to become a Catholic or find out more about the Faith?

We will hopefully be starting our next course for those interested in exploring the Catholic faith after the Summer period. If you are interested (or know someone who might be) please speak to Fr David. If you are already a Catholic and simply want a refresher you would also be welcome.

Receiving Holy Communion

Just a gentle reminder that to receive Holy Communion you must be a Catholic and in a state of grace. If you are not able to receive communion you are still welcome to come forward for a blessing instead, please indicate you require a blessing by crossing your arms over your chest.

Also a gentle reminder that you shouldn't receive communion if you haven't been to most of the Mass, the Church says that if you arrive later than the Gospel you shouldn't receive Communion.

Eph'pha'tha Healing Service

Eph'pha'tha Healing Service on Tuesday 24th July 2018, 6.30pm to 8.45pm at Our Lady's RC Church, Brooklyn Road, Bulwell NG6 9ES. Praise & Worship, Prayer Ministry, Adoration, Healing Mass & Laying on of hands presided by Fr. Victor Dakwan & Fr. John Martin. All welcome. For more details 07506810177 (Joe).

Vacancy

The SVP is seeking to recruit an 1833 Research and Project Development Officer to review, re-model, project plan and potentially produce resources for our programme for 18-30 year olds in preparation for a service re-launch in Sept 2019. £27k pa pro rata; 3 days a week; one year contract. Home-based with national travel. Closing date: 10:00 on Wednesday 25th July 2018. Interviews: Thursday 26th July 2018. Start date: Wednesday 29th August 2018. For more details & application pack, please visit the vacancies section of the SVP website: <https://www.svp.org.uk/>.

Saints of the week: Sts Joachim and Anne

Saints Joachim and Anne, are the parents of the Virgin Mary. There are no mentions of them in the Bible or Gospels, what we know comes from Catholic legend and the Gospel of James, which is an unsanctioned, apocryphal writing from the second century AD. We do know from scholarship that the Gospel of James was not written by James, the Brother of Jesus, despite its claim to be so authored.

Even the early Church fathers expressed skepticism about the Gospel of James in their writings. There are about 150 copies of the ancient manuscript which often have different titles, but tell the same story, that Mary was promised to Joachim and Anne by an angel, was consecrated to God, and she remained a virgin all her life.

Naturally, there is plenty of room for scholarly debate about these saints. We have no true primary sources that prove they even existed, but certainly we can agree that Mary had parents. Likewise, we can agree that.

Mary had good, faithful parents who raised her with a love and devotion to God like none other except Jesus Christ Himself.

Joachim and Anne serve as role models for parents and both deserve to be honored and emulated for their devotion to God and Our Lady Mary, the Mother of God.