



Our Lady of Lincoln Catholic Church

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Twenty-Fourth Week of Ordinary Time – Psalter Week IV

Mass Times and Intentions

EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS <u>Saturday 13th September</u> 5:15pm Confessions 6:00pm VIGIL MASS <u>Sunday 14th September</u> 9:30am MASS 11:00am MASS	<p>Sr Marie Gonzalua RIP</p> <p>John and Frances Larbey RIP Schools and Young People of the Diocese - Jubilee Year</p>
Monday 15th September – Our Lady of Sorrows No Public Mass	
Tuesday 16th September – Sts Cornelius, pope & Cyprian, No Public Mass bishop	
Wednesday 17th September – Feria 9:30am Service of the Word and Holy Communion (AM/ED)	
Thursday 18th September – Feria No Public Mass	
Friday 19th September - Feria 6pm Adoration 7pm Service of the Word and Holy Communion	
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR <u>Saturday 20th September</u> 5:15pm Confessions 6:00pm VIGIL MASS <u>Sunday 21st September</u> 9:30am MASS 11:00am MASS	<p>Brian and Bridget 60th Wedding Anniversary</p> <p>Agnes Thompson RIP The People of the Parish</p>

THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER For mutual coexistence: - Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

Meet and Greet			
13 th September 6pm	Ian Taylor	20 th September 6pm	Tsungai & Benjamin
14 th September 9:30am	Nick Peacock	21 st September 9:30am	Brian Hopkinson
14 th September 11am	Anne Morton	21 st September 11am	Anne Morton
Readers			
13 th September 6pm	Ian Taylor	20 th September 6pm	Zenai Dcosta
14 th September 9:30am	Danica Peachey	21 st September 9:30am	N Taleyratne
14 th September 11am	Desiree Applewhite	21 st September 11am	Susan Walsh
Eucharistic Ministers			
13 th Sept 6pm	Dale Twedde	20 th September 6pm	Ian Taylor
14 th Sept. 9:30am	Mr Malone/Mrs Bartlett	21 st September 9:30am	Mr Sherry/Mr Laverty
14 th Sept 11am	Mrs Morton/Mrs Davey	21 st September 11am	Mrs Davey/Mrs Davies
Children's Liturgy			
14 th September 9:30am	Elaine	21 st September	Michelle
Tea/Coffee			
14 th September 9:30am	Michelle	21 st September 9:30am	Michelle
14 th September 11am	Susan and Martin	21 st September 11am	Elizabeth and Susan
Food Bank			
14 th September	Michelle Tallon	21 st September	Sarah Chaudhary
Altar Linen			
14 th September	Ande Malone	21 st September	Elizabeth Davies
Cleaning Teams – week beginning			
15 th September	Team C	21 st September	Team A
Flower Rota			
14 th September	Liz Thorley	21 st September	Liz Thorley

PLEASE REMEMBER THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR DURING THIS WEEK. Reginald Giddens, Antoinette Rayney, Melinda Dale, Roman Marcineck, Patrick Murray, James Martin, Gordon Dickens, Anna Adams, Michael Sherlock, Ida Brown, Neville Marrows, Carla Globe, Joseph Hunter, Peter Hornby, Liam O'Hanrahan, Catherine Swain and George Fox **Please prayer for the repose of the soul of Monsignor Canon David Forde – Reception into St Barnabas Cathedral Thursday 25th September at 6pm with Requiem Mass on Friday 26th September at 11am. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Sr. Marie-Claire, Fr. Colum Kelly, Joan Crick, Jennifer Rushworth, Claire Campbell, Christopher Browne, Doreen Mitchell, Jo Sherry, Calley Beamish, Jo Wilson, Sandra Jones, Heather Julian, Peter Lindeman, Margaret Holdsworth, Ian Taylor, Pam Burgess, June and Tony Wall, Bridget Hall, Joe Wheelan, Winnie Blanchard, Majid Nourouzi, Ann Bentham, Moira McGeough, Mavis Elvidge, Elizabeth Hipgrave, Jon Mellish, Natalie Thompson, Terry Norman, Mary Tennyson d'Eyncourt, Marie-Therese Pumfrey, Edward Ruddy, John Conway, Sandra

Allen, Kathleen Warwick, Liliás Walters, Liz Day, Edward Jackson, Jairo Castaño, Rosemarie Infield, Father Jim Lynch, Joe Gogan, Patricia Keane, Maria Benbow, Hilda Watson, Tapiwa Mudzekenyedzi, Mary Paulger and Helen Laverty.

WHAT'S ON!

(● OLOL) (☐ St Hughs) (⚙ SSPP)

☐ **AFRICAN MASS** this Sunday at 3pm in St Hugh's church. The Mass will be in English, and all are very welcome.

⚙ **SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN (SPUC)** - 'Join the Fightback' Campaign Meeting - 7.30pm Wednesday 24th September at Saint Peter and Saint Paul's Church Hall, Lincoln LN6 7RB In June this year MPs voted for an extreme amendment to the Crime and Policing Bill which will allow women, for any reason, to abort their babies up to birth removing all legal protection for the unborn. Just a few days later, the House of Commons also passed Kim Leadbeater's Terminally Ill (End of Life) Bill to legalise assisted suicide, which will open the door to coercion, abuse, and the wholesale devaluation of human life itself. Both Bills are now with the House of Lords. For further information contact Julie Rogers (Chair Lincoln Branch SPUC) at julierogers.uk@gmail.com or 07465440171

⚙ **RCIA 2025/2026:** SS Peter and Paul's, St Hugh's and Our Lady of Lincoln are hoping to run a joint RCIA Programme commencing late Autumn of 2025. Anybody who has not been Baptised, or is a member of another Church Community or a Catholic wishing to return to the practice of their faith is asked in the first instance to contact Canon Geoffrey at SSPP on email geoffrey.hunton@dioceseofnottingham.uk We will be looking forward to recruit Catechists and Supporters for the enquirers, should you feel you could do this, likewise, please contact Canon Geoffrey.

SECOND COLLECTIONS IN SEPTEMBER:

13th/14th September – Catholic Education Service

20th/21st September – Evangelii Gaudium Day (Home Mission Sunday)

MASS COUNT: Please note the annual Mass count will take place over the last two weekends of September and first two weekends of October. **If anyone would be willing to help with this at the 6pm and 9:30am weekend Masses, please contact Paulette in the parish office.** Thank you

FATHER JOHN WRITES: I would like to thank you all for a wonderful day last Sunday. Thank you for all the cards, gifts and good wishes. This parish will always be special to me. I will never forget my time spent here at Our Lady of Lincoln. God bless you. Father John

TALKING PHILOSOPHY & THEOLOGY COMBINED : "A Carmelite Perspective" Zoom meetings for the next three months are 1st and 3rd Wednesday evenings, from 8.00pm until 9.30pm, September 3rd & 17th, etc; Thursday afternoons, from 1.00pm until 3.00pm, September 11th or 25th; October 9th or 23rd; November 13th or 27th. For more information contact Deacon James Hunter OCS, james.hunter200@btinternet.com

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY APPEAL this Harvest please donate to CAFOD's Family Fast Day parish collection to share God's abundant gifts with our global neighbours as they find lasting solutions to poverty and climate challenges. Use the CAFOD envelope in church, donate online at cafod.org.uk/envelope, call 0303 303 3030 or text CAFOD to 70560 to donate £10

MARRIAGE SUPPORT - Does your relationship need some TLC? Need help with deeper issues? Next programme starts 17th October www.retrouville.org.uk +44 7887 296 983

VOLUNTEERS You will recall that I appealed for volunteers to help the Parish function smoothly. So far only two people responded to that appeal. Please ask yourselves if there is something that you could do to involve yourself in the running of our Parish. It is up to us to keep our church in good running order. To volunteer please call Paulette in the parish office. Eric Wilson.

FATHER EDDY WRITES: From this week I have become your new Parish Priest and Father Elvis and myself look forward to getting to know you and serve you over the coming days, weeks, and months.

I would like to thank Father John St. John for all his help as we prepared together for this change and also Father Darren Brown for supplying for the next couple of Sundays as was previously arranged.

I will be taking time over the next couple of weeks to meet with some key people in the parish, but Father Elvis and myself will begin our ministry among you on Tuesday 23rd September with a special Mass at 7pm. This day will be the actual 50th anniversary of the dedication of the church. It is our intention to then continue with a timetable of weekday Masses not too dissimilar from the one that you have been used too. Saturday evening and Sunday morning Masses remain unchanged. Let us pray for one another! Fr Eddy.