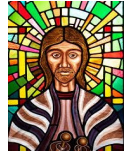


**Newsletter for The Catholic Community of  
The Annunciation, Rushcliffe**  
Serving the Eucharistic Communities of:  
Holy Spirit West, Bridgford, and Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave.  
St Anne's, Radcliffe on Trent, and St Margaret Clitherow, Keyworth.



**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of the Universe (SOLEMNITY)**  
**Sunday 20th November 2022**

**A Special Mass at the Becket School**  
**Sunday 20th November 11am**



We will be holding a special Mass this Sunday to celebrate the arrival of our new Priests and our new community and our young people in our parish as it is Youth Sunday! Everyone in our parish is invited to attend as Fr. John Martin will be formally inducted as our new parish Priest. Bishop Patrick will be celebrating a special joint Mass for all four of our churches with Fr. John and Fr. Liam.

Please note, this will be the only Mass held on this Sunday for our community.

**Celebration Afterwards**

On this special day for Fr. John and with the Bishop present we are asking our parishioners to donate buffet style food and cakes and bring it before Mass at the Becket school.

We will be serving tea and coffee afterwards in the canteen area of the Becket school. We do need more volunteers to help collect food from 10.30am

Please show your support, it will be greatly appreciated!

If you can help, please contact the Parish office.

Email: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

**Youth Sunday**

This Sunday we recognise our young people as a gift in the Church, and encourage their involvement in youth ministry and our parish community. We celebrate our young people and affirm their contribution in our Church and those who work with them.



**Requiem Masses of Remembrance**

We will be holding Requiem Masses of Remembrance at each church of our community in November for those who have died in the past 12 months. The next Requiem Mass will be at Holy Spirit this Saturday 11am.

The next Requiem Mass will be:

**Saturday 26th November 11am – Our Lady of Grace**

If any volunteers from our churches could help serve refreshments after these special Masses. Please contact the Parish office.

**First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion Preparation Programme 2023**

Any parents/carers of children in Year 4 or above who are interested in taking their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion will be invited to an information meeting which will be on **Monday 28th November 7pm,** at St Margaret Clitherow Church, Willow Brook, Keyworth, NG12 5BB.

At this meeting you will have the opportunity to find out more about the Reconciliation and Communion programmes within our new Parish of The Catholic Community of the Annunciation of Rushcliffe. The programmes are open to children from this parish which now includes the churches of St Anne's, Radcliffe-on-Trent, St Margaret Clitherow, Keyworth, Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave and Holy Spirit Church, West Bridgford.

Fr John, Fr Liam and the Catechists will brief you on the programme context and dates and hand out enrolment forms to take home and complete.



**Vera Cunningham RIP**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Vera Cunningham who died recently.



Her Funeral will be on Monday 5th December 12pm at the Holy Spirit Church.

Please keep her family in your prayers.

**Joan Burke RIP**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joan Burke who died last week.



Please keep her family in your prayers.

**NEXT BAPTISM COURSE IS 6TH DECEMBER**

The next Parish Baptism Course will be Tuesday **6th December 7pm-8.30pm** at The Holy Spirit Church, West Bridgford. It will be one session with two Catechists. If you are looking to have your child baptized at any of the churches in our parish.

Please Contact the Parish Admin Team at: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)



## Diary for Week Commencing 20th November

### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (SOLEMNITY)

<p><b>Sun 20th November</b> Our Lord Jesus Christ, King. Of the Universe (SOLEMNITY)</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> (Sat) 4.30pm Mass- Tom O'Reilly RIP</p> <p><b>The Becket School-</b> 11am Mass-Ivor and Janice Amos RIP</p> <p><b>The Holy Spirit</b> 3pm Baptism– Eloise Cassidy</p>
<p><b>Mon 21st November</b> The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Mem.)</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 10am Mass– Deceased Members of the Taylor and Dasey Families</p>
<p><b>Tues 22nd November</b> St Cecilia, Virgin and martyr (Mem.)</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 9.30am Mass– November Dead List</p> <p><b>St Margaret Clitherow</b> 9.30am Mass– Margaret Holt RIP</p>
<p><b>Wed 23rd November</b> Feria</p>	<p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 9.30am– Jim Cahill RIP</p>
<p><b>Thurs 24th</b> St Andrew Dung-Lac, priest, and Companions, martyrs ( Mem.)</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 9.30am-Mass– November Dead List</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 9.30am Mass– Jadwiga Wojciechowska RIP</p>
<p><b>Fri 25th November</b> Feria</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 11-11.50am Exposition (Rosary before Mass) Midday Mass–Kay Coleby RIP (Soup and Rolls after Mass)</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 5.30pm– Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm Mass– Helen Sheehan RIP</p>
<p><b>Sat 26th November</b> Feria</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 11am Requiem Mass of Remembrance for Parish Dead</p> <p><b>St Anne's</b> 4pm ( Rosary before Mass) 4.30pm Mass–Anna Maria Fernandes RIP</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 5.30pm-6.30pm Confessions 6.30pm Mass– Matthew Belcher RIP (<i>We welcome Fr. Jonathan Cotton</i>)</p>
<p><b>Sun 27th November</b> First Sunday of Advent</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 9.30am Mass– For safe outcome</p> <p><b>St Margaret Clitherow</b> 9.30am Mass– George Thompson RIP</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 11am Mass– Repose of the Soul of Tony Mortimer</p> <p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 11am Mass– November Dead List</p>

**Winter Warmers** SVP Holy Spirit is collecting warm winter ADULT size clothes ( jackets, coats, scarf, jumpers, socks, gloves etc) that will be donated to homeless charities in Nottingham. If you can help please bring your donations to the Holy Spirit Church on the **26th & 27<sup>th</sup> November.**

Thank you very much for your support!

For more information: Cristina 07985 481869

If you have any unwanted religious items such as rosaries and statues due to house clearance, then please send them to Tony Crump at St Anne's church, Radcliffe. Please deliver to the church for Tony's attention.

Many thanks in advance.

**Cafod Family Fast Day- Just giving site**

The Cafod Family Fast Day Just Giving site will be closing on 25th November, but if you would like to continue making a donation, please see the link

below: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/the-community-of-the-annunciation-of-rushcliffe-cafod-fundraising-page3>

Thank you for your continued generosity.

**TRAIDCRAFT at ST Margaret Clitherow** There are some new items on the stall this weekend - chilli pesto, tomato and basil pasta sauce, lime chutney, fruit chutney, peanut butter and Bio washing up liquid. This is in addition to the varieties of tea, coffee strengths 3 and 4, - instant and ground plus coffee beans, muesli, granola, pasta, raisins, demerara and raw cane sugar, dates, curry sauce, jam, marmalade, sweets and chocolate which are stock items. Please stop, take a look and hopefully buy. Every single purchase makes a positive difference to someone's life. Huge thanks for your ongoing support.

**Advent Reconciliation Services**

**St Anne's, Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December** - 11am Reconciliation Service followed by Mass at Midday.

**Holy Spirit, Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December**- 6.30pm Reconciliation Service, followed by Mass at 7.30pm.

**St Margaret Clitherow, Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**- 11am Reconciliation Service and then Midday Mass.

**Our Lady of Grace Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December**- 6.30pm Reconciliation Service followed by Mass 7.30pm.

**OUR LADY OF GRACE TRAIDCRAFT**

The next stall will be on the **4th of December.**

**Holy Spirit Church urgently needs new volunteers**  
**Especially during the week**

We need more Sacristans during the week and to help with streaming Masses for Funerals.

If you are retired and have free time and would like to help us. Please contact the Parish Office.

We also need some more counters to help with banking collections. Again if you interested, please contact Catherine at the Parish office for further information.

Many hands make light work. Please show your support.

**Pact's Christmas Carol Service**  
**Thursday 8th December at 7pm**  
**followed by a reception**  
**Join us at Sacred Heart Church, Carlton,**  
**Nottingham, NG4 1FP.**

The Service will be led by the Right Reverend Patrick McKinney, Roman Catholic Bishop of Nottingham

There will be a collection for Pact's work with prisoners and their families

**Contact [events@prisonadvice.org.uk](mailto:events@prisonadvice.org.uk) for more information**  
**Book online at [www.prisonadvice.org.uk](http://www.prisonadvice.org.uk)**

**Newsletter:** if you would like to receive the newsletter by email please let us know.

Please email Catherine [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

The Newsletter deadline is next **Wednesday 6pm**


<b><u>OUR CHURCHES</u></b>			
The Holy Spirit	Our Lady of Grace	St Anne's Church	St Margaret Clitherow
Melton Road	Candelby Lane	New Road	Willow Brook
West Bridgford	Cotgrave	Radcliffe- on-Trent	Keyworth
Nottingham	Nottingham	Nottingham	Nottingham
NG2 7JW	NG12 3JG	NG12 2AJ	NG12 5BB
<b><u>CLERGY TEAM</u></b>			
Parish Priest- Fr John Martin Tel: 0115 933 2738 /9814271 Email: <a href="mailto:john.martin@dioceseofnottingham.uk">john.martin@dioceseofnottingham.uk</a>			
Assistant Priest Fr. Liam Carpenter – Tel: 0115 9814271 Email <a href="mailto:liam.carpenter@dioceseofnottingham.uk">liam.carpenter@dioceseofnottingham.uk</a>			
Parish Office - Holy Spirit Presbytery, 29 Charnwood Grove, West Bridgford, Nottingham NG2 7NT.			
<b><u>PARISH ADMIN TEAM</u></b> Catherine Giavarini and Margaret Joby Tel: 0115 9814271 Email: <a href="mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk">office@holyspiritwb.co.uk</a>			
For hall bookings, contact parish office.			

## English/Cantonese Mass at Holy Spirit Church

We celebrated a Mass in English and Cantonese in our parish two week's ago at Holy Spirit Church, West Bridgford. The Mass was celebrated by Fr John and translated by Fr Baudry Gervais who visited our parish and is a member of the Institute of the Incarnate Word, former Priest of the St. Peter and Paul Church, Hong Kong.



**Parish Social Event-**  
**The Old Codgers Group**  
Dance the night away to old Classics  
This Saturday 19th November 7.30pm-11pm  
Bar open, Raffle  
Holy Spirit Social Centre,  
Victoria Road , West Bridgford, NG2 7JW  
Entrance Fee: Donation to Cafod

**Radcliffe on Trent Memory Café**  
Every Third Tuesday of the Month 2pm-4pm   
At the Methodist Church Hall, Shelford Road  
Tea, Cake, Music, Games, or just chat.

We welcome people with memory problems accompanied by a carer. No need to book.  
For any questions contact Gillian on **07729 835457**.

### The Big Sleep Out 2022!

**The Friendship Group-** will be meeting on Wednesday 7th December at 12.30pm for Christmas Lunch at the Willow Tree, Rufford Way, West Bridgford.

If you are not on the list, but would like to come or would like further information, please contact Cathy Clark on 9816757 or Maureen Doodson on 8914601 Before 16th November.

All welcome.

### Christmas Fayre at St Anne's

Saturday 3rd December 10am. to 1pm. to raise money for the Emmanuel House Winter Shelter.

We do need:

Secondhand jewellery,

Bottles, of any sort but especially alcohol for the bottle tombola!!

New gifts/items for the new tombola

stall. Cakes on the day!

**WE ARE SELLING RAFFLE TICKETS AFTER EACH MASS AT THE WEEKENDS AND HOPE TO SELL AS MANY AS POSSIBLE SO PLEASE SUPPORT US AND TELL YOUR FRIENDS! WE HAVE £600 WORTH OF GARDEN CENTRE VOUCHERS AS PRIZES FOR STARTERS!!!!**

Thank you in anticipation for your kind support for this vital project to care for the homeless in our city. We would be thrilled to raise enough money to cover one night, £1000 for the Winter Shelter.



Are you aged 11-18?

Do you want to put your faith into action and help give homeless young people a future? Bring your friends and come and join the Live Simply Youth Group

December 10<sup>th</sup> for the Big Sleep Out at the Holy Spirit Church. We are raising money for Centrepoin because they provide homeless young people with accommodation, health support and life skills to get them back into education, training and employment.

If you would like to join us, please contact Caty 07939467840



### VOLUNTEER BOOKKEEPER REQUIRED FOR NEW PARISH

Are you a retired bookkeeper with a background in accounting and are computer literate? Are you looking for something to keep you occupied part-time?

We are looking for someone to help with parish bookkeeping.

You would be liaising with Fr. John and the parish admin team. We have mentors who would also give you some training and support.

If you are interested please speak to Fr. John or contact the Parish office.

Email: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)