



The Parish of The Annunciation, Rushcliffe

Our Churches:

Holy Spirit, West Bridgford, Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave,
St Anne's, Radcliffe -on- Trent, St Margaret Clitherow, Keyworth.

Holy Masses and Services for the week beginning 6th August -13th August 2023

Saturday 5th August Vigil of The Transfiguration of the Lord (FEAST)	St Anne's 4.30pm Mass-Carmel Gilligan
	Holy Spirit 6.30pm Mass-Paul Mather RIP
Sunday 6th August The Transfiguration Of The Lord (FEAST)	St Anne's 9.30am Mass- Tom and Tessie Stanley RIP
	St Margaret Clitherow 9.30am Mass- Patrick O'Byrne RIP
	Holy Spirit 11am Mass– Ben Connery RIP (3rd Anniv.) 1pm Baptism- Juhno Kim 2pm Baptism- Romeo Edward Jackson Archer
Our Lady of Grace 11am Mass– The People of the Parish	
Monday 7th August Feria	St Anne's 9.30am Service of Word and Communion
Tuesday 8th August St Dominic , priest (Memorial)	St Margaret Clitherow 9.30am Mass- Paul Goodman Birthday
Wednesday 9th August St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr, Patron Saint of Europe (Feast)	Holy Spirit 9.30am Mass-Nora's 80th Birthday
	St Anne's 7pm- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday 10th August St Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr, (Feast)	Our Lady of Grace 9.30am Mass-Thanksgiving
	St Anne's 5pm Reception of David Cartwright RIP
Friday 11th August Saint Claire, Virgin, (Memorial)	St Anne's 10am- Requiem Mass-David Cartwright RIP
	Holy Spirit 6pm Mass-Pat Healy RIP
Saturday 12th August Feria	St Anne's 4.30pm Mass-Hazel Chesters Birthday Int.
	Holy Spirit 1pm Baptism- Lara Badila 6.30pm Mass- Special Intention
Sunday 13th August Nineteenth Sunday of the Year	St Anne's 9.30am Mass- Int. of Simy Joseph 12.30pm Baptism– Nieve Ditch
	St Margaret Clitherow 9.30am Mass-11am Mass-Martin & Imelda McQuaid
	Holy Spirit 11am Mass- Paul Corrigan RIP 1pm Baptism– Freya Rose Hall
	Our Lady of Grace 11am Mass-Frances McCall RIP

Please Note: the parish newsletter will return the first weekend of September. But please send in your newsletter inserts by Tuesday 22nd August.

For enquiries about Baptism and all Sacraments, please contact the Parish office.

For Marriage: six months' notice required. Please contact the Parish office.

For Communion to the Sick and Housebound: contact the Parish office.

Funerals: are organised with local funeral directors, but do contact the Parish office to arrange an appointment with the Priest.

Confessions: Every first and third Saturday.

For all enquiries regarding RCIA , First Holy Communion and Confirmation Programme, please contact the Parish Office.

Parish Contact Details:

Please find the printed copy at the back of the church or scan the QR code for the e-Copy.



Diocesan Weekly Round Up

At this time we remember the devastation caused in **Hiroshima and Nagasaki** when the atomic bombs were dropped, on 6 and 9 August 1945, and we pray that nuclear weapons will be abolished so that they can never be used again. In his message, '*A Culture of Care as a Path to Peace*', Pope Francis asks, '*How many resources are spent on weaponry, especially nuclear weapons, that could be used for more significant priorities such as ensuring the safety of individuals, the promotion of peace and integral human development, the fight against poverty, and the provision of health care*'. In this country we have an active Catholic peace movement in Pax Christi. Their website suggests many ways we can all promote peace in our daily lives, including activities for families to do at home: <https://paxchristi.org.uk>

Are you being called to a year of mission, formation and service at the Briars? We work with thousands of young people every year from schools and parishes across the diocese and beyond. We have two spaces left to join the Briars team 2023-24, starting at the end of August. This opportunity would suit young adults aged 18-24 who want to share their faith with young people whilst living in a community of other likeminded young adults. A year on team will help you grow as a person, develop skills in group work and leadership, and help you to grow in your faith. You will receive high quality professional training and support to equip you for youth ministry in a fun, vibrant and faith filled setting.

Applications for next year are also now open (2024-25). The Youth Service is also advertising for an **apprentice to start this month**. The closing date for applications is 14th August. For any of these opportunities, apply at www.ndcys.com or email director@ndcys.com for more information and a conversation.

The Diocese of Nottingham is organising a **Pilgrimage for Women to Lincoln Cathedral** on **Saturday 9th September**. We will meet at 10:30am at the Cathedral, to be ready to celebrate Mass together at 11:00am, following Mass we will have lunch together and then have a private tour of this historic church built by our diocesan patron Saint Hugh, and where he was laid to rest. The day should finish by 2:00pm. Please note that this is an event for those aged 18 and over. For more information and to book your place visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events

The **Jesuit Institute Summer Pilgrimage** in the Lake District with other young adults (18-35 years) gives a journey through the beautiful landscape, leading to a reflect on life's journey. The outer journey is a walk of 36 miles over Cumbrian hills and beside lakes over three days; the inner journey draws on the Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius to help reflection on how to navigate life in relationship with God. The pilgrimage will follow the route of Saint Bega, a local Cumbrian saint who aligned her compass with the way of Christ. The pilgrimage takes place from **Thursday 14th – Monday 18th September** and costs £290.

For more information and an application form email eharrison@jesuit.org.uk by 7th August.