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TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - 22ND/23RD JUNE 2024 MASS TIMES, SERVICES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

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Suggested Donation for Newsletter 20p

SATURDAY - VIGIL OF THE TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	22nd	10.30am 1.30pm 5.00pm	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	First Holy Communion - Our Lady's school & parish First Holy Communion - Our Lady's school & parish Rosalina Samaniego RIP
SUNDAY - TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	23rd	9.00am 11.00am	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S	Chinwe Lucia Egbe (Birthday Thanksgiving) Kofi RIP and Clifford & Doreen Stanslaus RIP
MONDAY - THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST (SOLEMNITY)	24th			
TUESDAY - FERIA	25th	9.30am 6.30pm	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Bill Hannifin Snr RIP & Patrick Hannifin RIP Ephphatha Healing Service
WEDNESDAY - FERIA	26th	11.00am 12.00noon	HOLY CROSS HOLY CROSS	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Robert Cyrill Senir RIP
THURSDAY - FERIA	27th	9.30am 10.00am	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Joseph & Suria (25th Wedding Anniversary) Exposition
FRIDAY - ST IRENAEUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR (MEMORIAL)	28th	9.30am 7.00pm	HOLY CROSS SCHOOL OUR LADY'S	School Community Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy Chaplet
SATURDAY - VIGIL OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)	29th	11.00am 5.00pm	OUR LADY'S OUR LADY'S	Baptism of Thomas & Jacob Gallivan Eileen Purcell RIP & Fr Bill Saunders RIP
SUNDAY - SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)	30th	9.00am 11.00am	HOLY CROSS OUR LADY'S	Betty O'Rourke RIP Catherine & John Heraghty RIP

MINDFUL MERCIFUL CAFÉS

HOLY CROSS will be open again on Wednesday 26th June at 9.30am in the meeting room. OUR LADY'S every Thursday 10am—12.30pm in the Parish Hall. **EVERYONE WELCOME.**

HOLY CROSS CHURCH—READER

June 30th – Lauren Whitehouse

HOLY CROSS CHURCH—WELCOMERS

June 30th - Andy & Sally Butkevicius **HOLY CROSS CHURCH CLEANING**

June 30th—Colleen & Rose Cash

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—READERS

Saturday June 29th - Filipino Community Sunday June 30th - St Margaret Clitherow School

OUR LADY'S CHURCH—WELCOMERS

Saturday June 29th - Filipino Community Sunday June 30th - Monica Maina & Alexander Mirie **OUR LADY'S CHURCH CLEANING FOR JUNE**

Team B (John, Madeleine, Stef, Eric)

REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS

Sunday June 30th - Kenyan Community

A hearing loop system is

available in both churches.

Please set your hearing aid to

'T' (Telecoil) setting in order

for it to work.

RECONCILIATION: Our Lady's Saturday 4.15pm—4.45pm: Holy Cross - Wednesday (after Mass)

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024



Congratulations to all the children from St Margaret Clitherow school who received Our Lord for the first time on Saturday 8th June and Holy Cross school on Saturday 15th June. This Saturday 22nd June Our Lady's school and parish candidates will celebrate this very important milestone in their faith journey. Please continue to pray for all the children. All the First Communicants will remember and cherish this occasion for many years to come. Each time we receive the Eucharist we remember the love of God in the Blessed Sacrament. As parents and guardians it is important that our children are given the opportunity to receive Holy Communion regularly. Attending Mass, receiving Communion and participating in the life of the parish allows the children to experience the grace and presence of Jesus in their lives and assists them to grow stronger in their faith. A special word of thanks to the teachers and the catechists who have prepared the children for this important step on their faith journey.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR CANON ANTHONY DOLAN

A Memorial Mass for Canon Anthony will take place at Our Lady's Church on Tuesday July 23rd at 7pm. Canon Anthony was ordained here on this date in 1966. Many parishioners were unable to attend his funeral, so this is an ideal opportunity to give thanks to God for him and all that he did in our parish over the past 9 years. Canon Anthony's sister, Moira, and family wish to be with us all too and the Book of Condolence will be presented to them that evening. There will be refreshments in the hall

afterwards. Please add this date in your diary. **BIBLE STUDY MEETING AT OUR LADY'S**

This will take place this **Wednesday**, 26th June in the parish hall at 7.00 pm. St John's Gospel (Chapter 10:22-42) will be our focus. There will be no Bible Study at Holy Cross on Tuesday, 25th June.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT HOLY CROSS

We need more volunteers for counting the weekly offertory at Holy Cross. If you would like to join the team of counters please speak with Fr Richard or get in touch with the office. Full training will be provided.

SHAREWEAR CONCERT

Thank you to everyone who supported this event. The musicians and audience had a great time and really appreciated the beauty and acoustics of our church. Over £570 was raised for Sharewear.

NEW LECTIONARY

The Lectionary, which is the book that contains the Scripture readings for Mass and the Sacraments, is changing. The new Lectionary will use the English Standard Version - Catholic Edition of the Bible and the Abbey Psalter. The changes are intended to make the biblical translations more faithful to the original languages, biblical scholarship, and to provide a text for use in liturgical setting that is more proclaimable and, where appropriate, more inclusive. We will need to order 1 edition (a four volume set) for each church priced at £695.00 and a smaller portable version for funerals, weddings, etc., Bookplates are provided for each book, so if anyone would like to give a donation in memory of a loved one or a donation towards the cost of the books, please speak with Fr Richard or the office. Thank you to those members of Holy Cross parish who have already made a donation.

OUTDOOR MASS AT OUR LADY'S

We will celebrate an outdoor Mass (weather permitting) here at Our Lady's on Sunday 14th July at 11.00am. There will be no vigil Mass on Saturday evening as the outdoor Mass will be the only Mass in the parish that weekend. Holy Cross Mass at 9.00am will still be celebrated. Following the outdoor Mass there will be a social event. More details to follow. A limited number of chairs will be available so if you own a foldable chair/stool please bring on

the day for your own comfort. **EPHPHATHA HEALING SERVICE**

This Tuesday 25 June ,6.30pm to 8.30pm at Our Lady's. Praise & worship, Adoration of Blessed Sacrament and healing Mass.

A TIME OF REFLECTION & PRAYER

At the instigation of those who came into the Church at Easter this year, we will be having a service of reflection and prayer in Our Lady's church - please use side entrance - on the first Wednesday of each month, The next one will be on July 3rd. The service consists of quiet time with music, reading and discussing the Gospel of the coming Sunday, and a decade of the Rosary. The service will be from 7.30pm-9.00pm. Please come and join us. The full list of dates for 2024 are: July 3rd, August 7th, September 4th, October 2nd, November 6th and December 4th.

LIFT TO MASS AT HOLY CROSS

We have an elderly parishioner requiring help to get to 9am Mass at Holy Cross on Sundays. If you are able to help, please contact Dominic Dixon on 07941 882638, or email at domdedom44@gmail.com Thank you.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2024

The next class for candidates is Wednesday 3rd July. **2ND COLLECTION FOR PETERS PENCE**

Next weekend there is a second collection for Peters Pence. Offerings for this collection are designated for the Pope's apostolic and charitable ministry.

250 CLUB WINNERS

April 2024: 1st No. 10. Julie O'Boyle, 2nd No. 85. Kathryn Taylor, 3rd No. 36. Breege Chapman. May 2024: 1st No. 81. Patsy Wesson, 2nd No. 126. Margaret Leaper, 3rd No. 168. Stefan Fedsyzn. Please collect your prize from the Sacristy.

A REFLECTION FROM POPE FRANCIS FOR THE YEAR OF PRAYER, ON THE TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Three parables in Luke's Gospel emphasize how we need to be constant in our prayer. In the first a man asks for help from a friend in the middle of the night and does not give up until his friend responds; in the second a widow persists in asking the unrighteous judge for justice; in the third a publican and a Pharisee pray in the Temple. We see these three attitudes – insistence, patience and humility – reflected in the saints who persevered in prayer; may we persevere in prayer conscious that we never pray alone, but with Christ himself, in the power of the Holy Spirit. To read the full reflection and find more resources, visit dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

BIBLE STUDY MEETINGS - HOLY CROSS

No Bible study at Holy Cross this **Tuesday.**

PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS AT HOLY CROSS

at Michael Hallam's house Sunday at 4.00pm. If you require a lift please ring Michael on 0115 9630925.

WEEKEND COLLECTION 15TH/16TH JUNE: HOLY CROSS £339.14 S/O £153 OUR LADY'S £472.61 S/O £540 DAY FOR LIFE: 2ND COLLECTION HOLY CROSS £108.63 OUR LADY'S £268.01

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