

## Parish of The Annunciation, Rushcliffe

Serving the Churches of Holy Spirit, West Bridgford, Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave, St Anne, Radcliffe-on-Trent and Bingham, St Margaret Clitherow, Keyworth <a href="https://parishoftheannunciationrushcliffe.co.uk">https://parishoftheannunciationrushcliffe.co.uk</a>



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## Even the wind and the sea obey him.

Mark 4:35-41

# Twelfth Sunday of the Year Holy Masses and Services for 22nd—30th June 2024

Date	Mass/Service	
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	4.30pm Mass; SA	Intentions of the Siby Family
St John Fisher and	4.30pm Special Jubilee	Mass of Thanksgiving for people who
Thomas More	Mass; HS	laboured and for all those who gave
		so generously to build and sustain our
		Church of the Holy Spirit.
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	9am Mass; SA	Searn Leydon's Intentions
Twelfth Sunday of the	9am Mass; SMC	Curtis Family
Year	11am Mass; HS	Liam Dowling RIP
	11am Mass; OLOG	Damian Velarde RIP
	12.45pm <i>Baptism;</i> HS	
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> Nativity	9.30am Mass; SA	Martin Nutt RIP
of St John, The		
Baptist		
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am Mass; SMC	Loughlin Hickey RIP
Feria		
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am Mass; HS	Louis Winskill RIP (12 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
Feria		
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am No Mass; OLOG	
Feria		
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	12pm Mass; SA	Rose Jandrell RIP
St Irenaeus, Bishop	6pm Mass; HS	Frank Dolan
and Martyr		
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	4.30pm Mass; SA	Private Intention
Mass of the Blessed	6.30pm Mass; HS	Anniversaries Joan and Arthur Hanlon
Virgin Mary		RIP
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	9am Mass; SA 🚥	The People of The Parish
Saints Peter and Paul,	9am Mass; SMC	Jennifer Jennings RIP
Apostles	11am Mass; HS	Wilf Woolley RIP (6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
	11am Mass; OLOG	Margaret Gibb

Rosary: Monday 10am SA; Tuesday 9am SMC; Friday 10.15am SMC; 11.30am SA; Saturday 4pm SA.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday 7pm SA; Friday 10.30am SMC; 11am SA;6.30pm HS.

#### This week in the parish:

- After Mass Refreshment Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June After Jubilee Mass, HS; Sunday 23rd and 30<sup>th</sup> June After Mass; SA, SMC, HS, OLOG; Tuesday 25th After Mass, SMC; Wednesday 26th After Mass HS; Friday 28<sup>th</sup> After Mass SA.
- Baby and Toddler group Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 10am HS Social Centre Hall.

**SECOND COLLECTION** ◆ **29th**—**30th June** | Diocese: Peter's Pence - [For more details see: <a href="https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/it.html">https://www.obolodisanpietro.va/it.html</a>]

Dear Friends,

As we gather to celebrate the 50th Jubilee of Holy Spirit Church this weekend, we are filled with joy and gratitude. This milestone is a testament to the faith and dedication of our community over the past five decades. It is a time to reflect on our journey, honour our traditions, and look forward to the future with hope and enthusiasm.



In October, we will celebrate Ruby Jubilee of St Margaret Clitherow Church, marking another significant chapter in our shared journey of faith. These jubilees are not just about looking back but also about celebrating the vibrant life of our parish today and the promise of tomorrow. We look forward to continuing this legacy, united in our mission to serve God and one another.

As we celebrate these significant milestones, let us give glory to God for the bountiful gifts bestowed upon us. Divine grace has guided us, love has sustained us, and blessings have been abundant. We are grateful for the journey so far and for the bright future ahead.

Thank you to everyone who has been a part of this incredible journey. Your support, dedication, and faith have been instrumental in our success. Let us continue to walk together in faith, giving thanks for all that we have received and looking forward to the many blessings yet to come.

With heartfelt thanks and praise,

Fr John

Confirmation for Young People 2025 We are planning the preparation for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation in 2025. To plan our resources and ensure a meaningful experience, we kindly ask you to express your interest by sending your child's name and age to Ceci Li. Your prompt response will help us coordinate effectively and engage with Bishop Patrick for this important milestone.

Ordinarily we accept applications from any young person in Year 9 or above and we encourage regular attendance at Sunday Mass. Please feel free to contact Ceci Li for more details.

**Parking issue at Holy Spirit on Sunday** Please be mindful when attending Sunday Mass, and avoid parking in a way that blocks our neighbours' driveways. We have received several complaints from our neighbours. Thank you for your cooperation.

Holy Spirit ◆ Join Our Team as a Children's Liturgy Leader! Are you passionate about nurturing young hearts in the faith? We're looking for someone like you to lead our Children's Liturgy sessions during Sunday Mass. As a leader, you'll guide kids in exploring Scripture and Catholic teachings in a fun, welcoming environment. No prior experience needed—just a love for children and the desire to share the joy of the Gospel. Interested? Contact Ceci Li or the Parish Office to learn more!

**Our Lady of Grace** A huge thank you to all who supported the Fairtrade stall last Sunday. We took £135 and this included £65 of donations which were converted to goods for the food bank. This means your generosity is not only helping third world producers but our poorer neighbors closer to home as well. Thanks again and I will look forward to seeing you at our next stall on the 14th of July.

**Let us pray for those who have died recently**: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Martin Nutt of Tollerton who passed away recently. Please keep their families in your prayers. We also remember those whose anniversary occurs around this time. May they rest in peace.



Fundraising Event in our neighbouring Parish There is a fundraising event at Our Lady and St Patrick's Church in the Meadows on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024 after the 9:00am Mass in celebration of the life of Patrick Madu, a young parishioner of OLSP Church and family friend of the Annunciation Parish who died recently. There will be burgers, hotdogs, refreshments, raffle, cake stall, book stall, wine or water lucky pick etc. Donations and raffle prizes are very welcome and appreciated. Donations can be left at OLSP Church on Wednesday after 10:00am Mass and fresh cakes could be delivered early morning on Saturday 29th, or delivered/picked up on Friday by arrangement. All are welcome. Please come and support! Address: Our Lady & St Patrick's Catholic Church, Launder Street, Nottingham, City of Nottingham, England NG2 1JQ, United Kingdom. Phone: 0115 921 2964. Email: secretaryccolsp@gmail.com

### Celebration of First Holy Communion 9th and 15th June 2024

We congratulate 53 young children in our Parish who received their First Holy Communion on 9th June at St Anne and Our Lady of Grace, and on the 15th June at Holy Spirit. This sacred occasion is a momentous milestone in the spiritual journey of our children, as they receive the Holy Eucharist for the first time. It is a day filled with grace, joy, and a deeper connection to our faith.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to these children and their families. As they partake in this holy sacrament, we pray that they continue to grow in faith, love, and understanding of God's presence in their lives. Please join us in celebrating and praying for these young members of our community, that they may always feel the guidance and protection of our Lord.

We also want to extend our heartfelt thanks to those who played pivotal roles in making this day so special. To all who played a role: catechists, musicians, choir members, greeters, parents, volunteers, and organizers, your dedication and support have made this sacred day truly memorable for our children and their families.



































#### 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.

#### PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE 12TH - 19TH MAY 2025

8-Day Pilgrimage to Medjugorje led by Fr. John Martin from 12th - 19th May 2025. Please visit Parish website [https://www.allsaintstravel.co.uk/mj0929/] or contact Parish Office for more details.

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#### **Safeguarding Coordinator for the Diocese:**

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**Hospitals** If you know of anyone in hospital who would like a visit from the chaplain, please call:

QMC: 0115 9249924 (ext. 83799) City: 0115 9691169 (ext.837) or email: contactachaplain@nuh.nhs.uk

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation Programme and Faith Journey Group (RCIA),** please contact Ceci Li, Faith Formation Coordinator.

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

**Communion to the Sick and Housebound**: contact the Parish Office.

**Funerals:** organised with local funeral directors, please contact the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with the Priest.

**Confessions:** Every first and third Saturday or by request.

Newsletter inserts contact Ceci Li, Faith Formation Coordinator. Please send your insert by Wednesday noon.

#### **DONATIONS**

We appreciate any donation you wish to give by cash, cheque or via online banking. For the purposes of setting up a regular donation via your online banking, the parish bank details are as follows:

Annunciation Rushcliffe RCP Account Number: 44603560 Sort code: 30-96-18 If you are a UK taxpayer, please consider to gift aid your donation, scan the QR Code for more details.

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