

FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

31st January 2010

HOLY SPIRIT & OUR LADY'S ACTIVITIES

From the Editor

I shall be having a knee replacement operation on February 10th

and will be out of action for some time. Items for all newsletters from 13th/14th February until further notice should be sent to holyspirit_office@btinternet.com.

CONFIRMATION 2010: We extend a warm invitation to our young people to enrol in our 2010 Confirmation programme. Bishop Malcolm will be conferring the Sacrament of Confirmation on our young people at 12.00 noon on Saturday 29th May 2010 at St Barnabas Cathedral. To be confirmed you must be of at least senior school age and you must complete a Confirmation Enrolment Form. The forms are yellow in colour and are available at the back of both churches. Please complete all sections of the form and present it to one of the priests at a weekend mass on 6th/7th February 2010. The Confirmation Catechesis Programme commences in March and runs through until the Confirmation itself. Full details on the form.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY:

Let us say a decade of the rosary every day in the month of February and pray for all those suffering from the effects of the earthquake in Haiti.

SECOND COLLECTION There will be a second collection at all the masses next weekend for the Quota.

HOLY SPIRIT ACTIVITIES

Rotas: This Week Next Week	Euch. Ministers Week 2 Week 3	Counters Mary & Tony Crosby Marie Wilkins/Peter Walsh
Rotas: This Week Next Week	Readers Cycle 10 Cycle 11	Shop M Pearson & Shelagh Penhale Mary Corcoran / Anne Turton
Rotas: This Week Next Week	Sunday Coffee 9.00 June & Bernard Steer Joyce & Jim Madden	Sunday Coffee 10.30 Lavery Family John & Phillipa Duffy
Rotas: This Week Next Week	Children's Liturgy School-age Leader Paula Rawsthorne Jane Bainbridge	Children's Liturgy Pre-school Helen Griffiths Liz Bugden

CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP: The parish is fortunate to have a thriving children's liturgy group for our school age and preschool children. In order for the group to carry on thriving, we need some new volunteers to get involved to both lead and help out at sessions. If your child or children have benefited from attending the group, please consider whether you are able to give something back. We have resources and mentors to help you get started and all volunteers are CRB checked. Please email Angela Knott on ra@mulvehill-knott.wanadoo.co.uk or phone 9821978 to find out more.

U.C.M: Our next meeting is on Tuesday February 2nd commencing with prayers at 2.00 pm.

FIRST FRIDAY ALL NIGHT PRAYER VIGIL is on February 5th starting at 9.00 p.m. on Friday and ending at 9.00 a.m. on Saturday. We are invited to spend time with God who is ever present in the Blessed Sacrament. We can bring before God all our petitions and problems, share our troubles with Him and give thanks for all our

blessings. Everyone is welcome to come for any length of time. If you would like to add your prayer intention to be included please contact David Kerry by email david.eva@ntlworld.com or phone 0797 4056251.

REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS: Thank you to all our volunteers for this year's rota. If you still haven't received your copy, you'll find it in the porch at the back of church.

THE 10.30 a.m. MASS WILL BE AT THE BECKET SCHOOL from the first Sunday in Lent (21/2/2010), following the overwhelming support for the idea at last weekend's Mass. This change will provide us with better facilities for the ever increasing number of families coming to the 10.30 Mass. However, there are some risks so may I ask all the section leaders to plan ahead to make the transition as smooth as possible. If any parishioner has any difficulty in getting to The Becket School for the 10.30 Mass, please contact me asap. (FG).

FRIENDS OF L'ARCHE in Nottingham is hoping one day to begin a L'Arche community for people with a learning disability here in Nottingham. We are looking for someone with time and experience to work for a few months on a feasibility study. This will involve meeting with many people involved in this area as well as discussions and visits to other communities of L'Arche. If this is of interest, please contact John O'Brien at john.ob@ntlworld.com for more details.

CAFOD: Thank you for your continued response to CAFOD's Emergency Appeal to help those caught up in the earthquake in Haiti. Thank you to those who gift aided their donations. Cafod's work still goes on!

We can do more to save lives **before** disaster strikes, **rescue** those at the heart of an emergency, and **rebuild** lives long after the initial crisis has passed. **All** donations in the Cafod Box will go to Haiti.

CAFOD CAKE SALE for the Haiti Appeal on Sunday 31st January. Please come and buy!

CAFOD: meeting next Tuesday 2nd February 7.30 p.m. at 36, Rodney Road. Anyone interested in joining us? You will be most welcome.

TRAIDCRAFT: The next stall is 13th and 14th February.

COTGRAVE ACTIVITIES

TRAIDCRAFT: The next stall will be next Sunday, 7th of February.

DIOCESAN ACTIVITIES

THE 2010 FIRTH LECTURES will be given by Professor Eamon Duffy, Professor of the History of the Christian Religion, Cambridge University. They will be held in Room A48, Sir Clive Granger, University Park and admission is free, with no tickets required. The first lecture, entitled 'Reformation, Counter-Reformation and the English Nation' will be on Wednesday 10th February starting at 5.30 p.m. The second, entitled 'Reformation Unravelling? Facts and Fictions' will be held on Thursday 11th February starting at 5.30 p.m.

TIME OUT: A Week of Guided Prayer from 1st to 6th March 2010. For more details please contact Sr. Bernadette on 0115 950 6693, email: pbvmnottm@yahoo.co.uk or pick up a leaflet from the back of Church

OUR LADY OF LINCOLN CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL has a vacancy for a **HEADTEACHER**, Group 2 L12 - L18 NOR 180 in April 2010 or September 2010

The Governing Body is looking for a

practising Catholic with a balance of teaching and leadership experience. Visits to the school by prior appointment are encouraged. An Application Pack and further details are available from the School Office. Please contact the school on 01522 527500. Our Lady's School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. This position is subject to an Enhanced CRB disclosure check. Closing Date: 5.00 p.m. on Monday 1st February 2010. Interview Date: Tuesday 23rd February 2010

VOCATION DISCERNMENT WEEKEND:

Young women - ever wondered about being a Sister? The Franciscan Sisters Minorees are holding a taster weekend 5th -7th February 2010 at St Clare's Convent, Clay Cross. Contact fsmsisters@googlemail.com. Also see poster for details.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

*I am Love itself" says the Lord
"I loved you before you were born
I am always with you"*

Love will save us if we trust in God's mercy and compassion

Love turns us away from rejection

Love forgives those who hurt us

Love triumphs over tragedy

Love makes me feel happy

Love gives me hope and never leaves me to struggle on my own

Love keeps my heart beating

Fills my lungs with air

Love saves me from falling into despair

Love lives in me and I live in love

Only love saves me, only love.

Amen

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WEBSITES

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www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org.uk
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Diocese: www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk

CONTACT DETAILS FOR HOLY SPIRIT ORGANISATIONS

ORGANISATION	CONTACT	TEL. NO.
Brownies	Claire Spencer	9142508
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Catenians	Barry Espinasse	9821404
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Education	Margaret Gaten	07786 332637
Golf Society	John Carolan	9819760
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Baby & Toddler Group	Caty Darby	07939 467840
Parish Pastoral Council	Mary Crosby	9234866
Scouts	Margaret Walker	9899553
S.V.P.	Peter Molyneux	9235395
U.C.M	Alice Cahill	9810950
Fellowship Group	Mary	9149473
Social Centre Bookings 11am - 5pm, Mon - Fri	Mary Elliott-Smith	9147153
Cricket Team	David Paton	923 1397
H.S. Sports Club	Barry Espinasse	9821404
H.S. Badminton	Tony O'Dwyer	9452648
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Parish Pastoral Council	Anne Ferguson	9892693
Children's Liturgy	Sandie Clogg	9899253
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Diary for Week Commencing 31st January 2010

Social Centre Diary

Day	Church of the Holy Spirit, West Bridgford			Church of Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave			Hall	Library	Upstairs
Sunday 31 January 4 th Sunday of the Year	6.30 pm 9.00 am 10.30 am	Vigil Mass (Saturday) Mass Mass	Bill O'Sullivan Joan Raine People of the Parish	11.00 am	Sung Mass	Mr R Birch	Coffee after 9 am & 10.30 am Masses		
Monday 1 February Feria	7.10 pm 7.30 pm	Divine Office Mass	Evening Prayer of the Church Tony Dandie R.I.P.				6-8 pm Brownies	5-6 pm Catechesis 8.15-9.15pm SVP	3.45-4.45 Catechesis 6-8 pm Cubs
Tuesday 2 February Presentation of Our Lord	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Tom Jones R.I.P.				2 - 4pm U.C.M. 5-9 pm Ballet	5-6 Catechesis 9pm Social Club Com Mtg	6.30-7.30 Drama
Wednesday 3 February St Blaise	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Joan Raine R.I.P. and Deceased Family & Friends of D Thomas				Coffee after 9.15am Mass 2-4 pm Art Class	3.45-4.45 Catechesis	6-8 pm Youth Project
Thursday 4 February St Gilbert of Sempringham	8.55 am 9.15 am 9.45 am	Divine Office Mass Rosary	Morning Prayer of the Church Eddie Delaney R.I.P.	8.55am 9.15am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Dec. Membs. of the Bishop Family	10-11.30 Toddler Group 7.15 - 9pm Scouts	5-6 pm Catechesis	5-6 pm Catechesis
Friday 5 February St Agatha	8.55 am 9.15 am 6.30 pm 7.30 pm 9pm-9am	Divine Office Mass Exposition Mass All Night Vigil	Morning Prayer of the Church Deceased Family & Friends of the Espinasse Family of the Blessed Sacrament Joan Raine R.I.P. ending with Benediction					9-11 pm Bar Open	
Saturday 6 February Ss Paul Miki & Companions (Japanese Martyrs)	9.15am 9.45am - 10.15am 5.45 -6.15 6.30 pm	Mass Confessions Confessions Vigil Mass	Deceased Members of O'Malley Family Cyril & Catherine Cotterill R.I.P.	10.30- 11.00am 10.30 - 11.30am	Confessions Exposition	of the Blessed Sacrament	9 - 3pm Ballet 3.30 - 6.30pm Private Booking		10-12 noon Drama
Sunday 7 February 5 th Sunday of the Year	9.00 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass	People of the Parish James Marsh R.I.P.	11.00 am	Sung Mass	Ferguson Family: Spec. Int.	Coffee after 9am and 10.30am 3 - 6pm Private Booking		