

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE

2<sup>nd</sup> May 2010

## HOLY SPIRIT & OUR LADY'S ACTIVITIES

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION:** Please remember in your prayers all the Children who are making their First Holy Communion, on May 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> with Masses at 12 Noon and all our Young People who are being confirmed at the Cathedral on 29<sup>th</sup> May at 12 Noon. Your prayerful support is so important, as they make their final preparations with their families and Catechists. (FG)



**FRIARY DROP-IN:** The local band "39 STEPS" will be playing live at THE BOAT CLUB, West Bridgford, on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May. Doors and Bar open from 8.00 p.m. to 12 midnight. Tickets £10 (including refreshments) available from SUE 0115 8469459, ANNE 9232436 or on the door. All proceeds to Friary Drop-in. See poster in church porch.

**PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY:** Let us say a decade of the Rosary every day in May and pray with Mary for all the children who are making their First Holy Communion and for all the young people who are receiving the sacrament of Confirmation.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:** There will be a second collection at all masses this weekend at both churches for the Quota.

## HOLY SPIRIT ACTIVITIES

<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Euch. Ministers</b> Week 3 Week 4	<b>Counters</b> Jack & Kathy Gelling Jeff & Chris Ibbotson
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Readers</b> Cycle 10 Cycle 11	<b>Shop</b> Ros Connery & Liz Ashcroft Mary Pearson & Shelagh Penhale
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Sunday Coffee 9.00</b> Eileen Shepherd Margaret Hood	<b>Sunday Coffee 10.30</b> Paula Vyze & Catherine Proctor Helen & John Walsh
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Children's Liturgy School-age Leader</b> Theresa Brennan Catherine Daly	<b>Children's Liturgy Pre-school</b> Angela Knott Liz Milton

**FIRST FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL:** Next Friday, the 7<sup>th</sup> of May, is the first Friday of the month and there will be an all night prayer vigil in the Holy Spirit Church starting 9.00 pm on Friday evening and ending with Benediction at 9.00 am the following morning. We have been asked to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays during May especially for all those affected by child sexual abuse. This first Friday is a great opportunity to pray together as a parish for this very important intention. We can bring before God all our 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 own personal prayer intention to be included please contact David Kerry by email [david.eva@ntlworld.com](mailto:david.eva@ntlworld.com) or phone 0797 4056251.

**U.C.M.** Our next meeting is on Wednesday next, 5<sup>th</sup> May, commencing at 7.30 pm with prayers, after which there will be a Bring & Buy/Book Sale.

**COME WITH THE U.C.M. TO WALSINGHAM:** Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> July will be our 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Our Lady in Norfolk - England's Nazareth. Members of the Union of Catholic Mothers from all over the country come together to pray for and give thanks for Family Life. You are invited to join us. All welcome - Dads, Grandads and Singles too. The coach fare is £11. There is a non-returnable booking fee of £5 which covers the Pilgrimage Programme, entrance to

the Abbey grounds and upkeep of the Shrine. We leave Holy Spirit at 7.00 a.m. (Well it is a Pilgrimage!) Further details from Alice Cahill (9810950) or Anne Scanlon (9232436).

**SVP COFFEE MORNING:** The SVP is holding a coffee morning after the Sunday Masses on May 9<sup>th</sup> (in place of the usual tea and coffee) to raise funds for Youth SVP both nationally and in the Parish. The Parish Youth SVP has only recently been formed, so this will be an opportunity to see the sort of projects they are undertaking and even to meet some of the young people involved. Cakes made by members of the SVP and Youth SVP will be on sale to eat with your coffee or to take home. Please join us in the Social centre after Mass and show your support for our young parishioners.

### **CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION 2010:**

This year's Procession takes place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June, immediately after the 10.30 a.m. Mass. This is a great opportunity for all sections of the Parish to represent themselves in the local community. If you are a member of a Parish Group/Society why not get together and walk with your fellow members in the Procession. If not just come along and join us! If you are a qualified First Aider or are available to act as a Steward, please sign the forms at the back of church. For further information please contact Marina Johnson (9820105) or Angela Knott (9821978.) Many thanks!

### **ST GEORGE'S NIGHT CELEBRATIONS**



St George's night at the Holy Spirit social centre, we had a fantastic time. A big thank you to all who made it happen.

**HOLY SPIRIT BOOKSHOP** now has First Communion and Confirmation cards and gifts in stock, as well as the usual religious items. Please feel free to come and browse after the weekend Masses.

**HOLY SPIRIT CRICKET TEAM:** The first result for the season is in, a loss to the Becket 6<sup>th</sup> Form by 93 runs. Well done to the School. Our next matches are Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May, 5.30 pm start vs The Assumption at Regatta Way; Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May vs Basford Mill, 2.00 pm start at West Park and Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> May vs St Luke's, 2.30 pm start at West Park. Spectators are most welcome, admission free.

**ELECTION & PRO-LIFE ISSUES:** SPUC is encouraging voters to find out the voting intentions of their local candidates on issues relating to abortion, euthanasia and embryo research before deciding how to vote in the General Election. Information on Rushcliffe candidates will shortly be available at [www.spucnottingham.org.uk/](http://www.spucnottingham.org.uk/) or you can contact David Paton at [David\\_j\\_Paton@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:David_j_Paton@yahoo.co.uk)

**CAFOD LENT FAST:** Many thanks to those who have returned their box supporting the Lent Fast (34 Boxes containing £470.87). If you forgot yours please bring it back asap. Please use the Gift Aid slip to increase your donation.

**CAFOD "Live Simply":** Can you celebrate this message and cycle or walk to The Holy Spirit Church? Once a month if not every week?

**TRIDCRAFT:** The next stall on 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> May after ALL Masses has some gifts and special offers.

### **COTGRAVE ACTIVITIES**

#### **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Edward Turner, husband of Joan, who died on Monday. May he rest in peace, Amen. Our thoughts and prayers are with Joan and the family at this sad time. Edward's funeral will be on Friday at 10.00 am.

#### **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Vera Widdicks, mother of David Widdicks, who died on Wednesday. Our thoughts are with David and Eileen and their family at this sad time. The funeral will be at Our Lady's, so please see the local press for confirmation of details.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** Please remember in your prayers Adrian Wojuk who will make his First Holy Communion on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> May at the 11.00 am mass at Our Lady's.

**TRIDCRAFT:** Please come and give your

continued support to our Traidcraft stall after mass on Sunday.

**REPOSITORY:** We have a selection of cards for all occasions, together with a range of religious items including gifts for Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation. We also stock religious books for adults and children, including missals and prayer books.

## **DIOCESAN ACTIVITIES**

**ENGLISH MARTYRS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**, Bracken Rd. Long Eaton Derbyshire NG10 4DA Tel/Fax 01159733209 has a vacancy for a HEADTEACHER Group 2 L11-17 NOR 240. Required for September 2010 or January 2011. Closing date May 9<sup>th</sup> 2010. Interviews 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> May 2010. Full details/arrange a visit from Mrs Carty at the school - 01159733209.

**BISHOP ELLIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**, Barkby Thorpe Lane, Thurmaston, Leicestershire, LE4 8GP Tel: 0116 2695510 has a vacancy for a HEADTEACHER, Group 3 L14-20 NOR 320 to commence in September 2010 or January 2011. Closing date: 4<sup>th</sup> May 2010. Interviews: 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> May 2010. Full details from Mrs Neill at the school: 0116 2695510.

**FLOWER AND MUSIC FESTIVAL:** May 21<sup>st</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> at St Barnabas Cathedral entitled

### *PRAYER OF THE WEEK*

*God is always with us  
He sees us through the hard times  
His goodness lasts for ever  
God is compassion and love  
If we love one another the way You love us  
We will be Your disciples Lord  
And Your kingdom in heaven will become  
Your kingdom on earth  
Let us sing and bless God's holy name  
For God is good to everyone  
Lord, put a fresh heart into us and open the door to faith  
We ask this through Christ Our Lord  
Amen*

### **Newsletter Editor**

Deacon Peter: tel. 0115 9143973  
Email: peter.swarbrick@ntlworld.com

### **WEBSITES**

Parish: [www.holyspiritwb.org](http://www.holyspiritwb.org)  
[www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org.uk](http://www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org.uk)  
Deanery: [www.nottmeastdeanery.org](http://www.nottmeastdeanery.org)  
Diocese: [www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk](http://www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk)

### **CONTACT DETAS FOR HOLY SPIRIT ORGANISATIONS**

ORGANISATION	CONTACT	TEL. NO.
Brownies	Claire Spencer	9142508
Cafod and Traidcraft	Mary Crosby	9234866
Catenians	Barry Espinasse	9821404
Cubs	Carol Colaluca	9231770
Education	Margaret Gaten	07786 332637
Golf Society	John Carolan	9819760
Guides	Pat Greenwood	9149959
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	Chris Farmer	07954 583402
Cricket Team	David Paton	923 1397
H.S. Sports Club	Barry Espinasse	9821404
H.S. Badminton	Tony O'Dwyer	9452648
Lourdes	Rosario Hannigan	07776 157778
H.S. Football	Steve Murphy	9452681

### **CONTACT DETAILS FOR COTGRAVE ORGANISATIONS**

Parish Pastoral Council	Anne Ferguson	9892693
Children's Liturgy	Sandie Clogg	9899253
Traidcraft	Lynne Harrison	9140577
CAFOD	Sandie Clogg	9899253
SVP	Jeannie Dodd	9375298

### **PARISH CHURCHES**

The Holy Spirit	Our Lady of Grace
Melton Road	Candleby Lane
West Bridgford	Cotgrave
Nottingham	Nottingham
NG2 7JW	NG12 3JG

### **SCHOOLS**

Primary School	Senior School
St Edmund Campion	The Becket
Head Teacher	Head Teacher
Mrs D Longley	Mr A Glover
Tel. 0115 9147889	Tel. 0115 9824280

### **CLERGY TEAM**

Parish Priest	Assistant Priest
Fr Gregory Tobin	Fr Stanley Ofoegbu
29 Charnwood Grove	29 Charnwood Grove
West Bridgford	West Bridgford
Nottingham	Nottingham
NG2 7NT	NG2 7NT
0115 9814271	0115 9810320
email address	stanofogebu@yahoo.com
gregorytobin@btinternet.com	

**Diary for Week Commencing Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2010**

**Social Centre Diary**

Day	Church of the Holy Spirit, West Bridgford			Church of Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave			Hall	Library	Upstairs
	Time	Event	Notes	Time	Event	Notes			
Sunday 2 May 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Eastertide	6.30 pm 9.00 am 10.30 am	Vigil Mass (Sat) Mass Mass	Philip & Nora Ryan R.I.P. & Dec. Membs. Ryan Fam. Thomas Ferguson R.I.P. People of the Parish	11.00 am	Sung Mass	John & Mary Conlin & Pat Young	Coffee after 9 am & 10.30 am Masses		
<b>Monday</b> 3 May SS Philip & James Apostles	10.00 am	Mass	F. Holland: In Thanksgiving				BANK HOLIDAY	BANK HOLIDAY	BANK HOLIDAY
<b>Tuesday</b> 4 May Martyrs of England & Wales	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Neil Healy R.I.P.				5-9 Ballet	9pm Social Club Cmte Mtg	7-9 Nurses Lourdes Mtg
<b>Wednesday</b> 5 May Feria	9.00 am 10.00 am	Practice Mass with Rehearsal for 1 <sup>st</sup> HC Grp A	First Holy Communion Grp A. (No Mass Intention)				Coffee after 9.15am Mass 2-4 pm Art Class 7.30 U.C.M.	8-9.30 Baptism Course	6-8pm Youth Project
<b>Thursday</b> 6 May Feria	8.55 am 9.15 am 9.45am	Divine Office Mass Rosary	Morning Prayer of the Church (No Mass Intention)	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Veronica Grimshaw R.I.P.	POLLING STATION	POLLING STATION	
<b>Friday</b> 7 May (First Friday) Feria	8.55 am 9.15 am 6.30 pm 7-7.20pm 7.30 pm 9pm-9am	Divine Office Mass Exposition of Confessions Mass All Night Vigil	Morning Prayer of the Church (No Mass Intention today) The Blessed Sacrament  George & Marie Kendal R.I.P. ending with Benediction	10.00 am	Funeral Service	Edward Turner R.I.P.		9-11 pm Bar Open	
<b>Saturday</b> 8 May Feria	12 Noon 5.45- 6.15pm 6.30 pm	Mass with 1 <sup>st</sup> HC Grp A Confessions  Vigil Mass	Edith Usher  Elizabeth Dalton R.I.P.				First Holy Communion Grp A		
<b>Sunday</b> 9 May 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Eastertide	9.00 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass	Maria Lucia & Michael Mascia R.I.P.. People of the Parish	11.00 am	Sung Mass	Fr John Abbott	Junior SVP Cake Sale & Coffee after 9am & 10.30 am Mass		