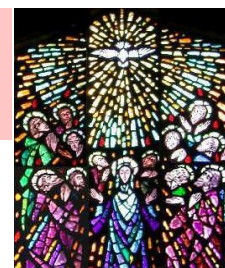




Parish Newsletter

For the Holy Spirit West Bridgford, and Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave.



The Second Sunday of Lent Sunday 13th March 2022

The Victoria Repair Café

This Saturday 12th March 2022,

10am-1pm

Holy Spirit Social Centre



Need anything repairing of mending, please come to the Repair Café, there is coffee and cake too!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022

The next Catechism Session at the Holy Spirit is this Sunday **13th March at 9.30am** until **10.20am** in the parish social centre Parents must please ensure they arrive on time.



The next Catechism sessions at Our Lady of Grace will be **Friday 11th March and Friday 18th March.**

There is a Prayer Sponsor Sheet at the back of church if any parishioner would like to pray for the First Holy Communion. Please fill in your details.

Support for Ukrainians

Thank you to all those who supported the Second Collection for Ukraine last weekend. £1272.03 was raised at Holy Spirit and £427.60 at Our Lady of Grace, both totals will be split evenly between Cafod and Depaul's emergency appeals for Ukraine.

If you still would like to donate online, please see the links below.

<https://cafod.org.uk/News/Emergencies-news/Ukraine-crisis>

<https://int.depaulcharity.org/news/emergency-appeal-for-ukraine/>

You can also donate items to the Nottingham Ukrainian Centre on Mansfield Road. Please see the website below for opening times for collections.

<https://www.nottinghamukrainianculturalcentre.co.uk/>

Masses at The Holy Spirit-

Face coverings are still recommended by the Diocese in church, despite the government lifting all Covid restrictions, as a community we still need to protect each other from the virus.

Please sanitize your hands before entering church.

If you would like to watch Masses online, here is the link:

<https://www.holyspiritwb.org/live/> and then click on YouTube.

CAFOD Family Fast Day Lent appeal **Walk Against Hunger**

Thank you so much for picking up CAFOD Family Fast Day envelopes, you can return them at any Mass this weekend 12th/13th March or the weekend after.



If you would prefer to donate using your card or phone, there will be a contactless machine available at all the Masses this weekend 12th/13th March

You can also make a donation on our Just giving site <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/holy-spirit-and-our-lady-of-grace-parish7>

God Bless and thank you for your continuing support. CAFOD team.

CAFOD: WALK AGAINST HUNGER

We are also organising a Community Walk Against Hunger (a nationwide project) on

Saturday 26th March at 10.30am

Please see the noticeboard at the back of church..

Thank you from the Cafod Team.



Note for your Diary

Cafod Hot Cross Bun Fundraiser - to help those living in poverty. It will be held on Sunday 10th April after the 9am and 10.30 Masses.



More information to follow.

SVP Coffee Morning

There is an SVP Coffee Morning on Wednesday 16th March after 9.15am Mass. Please show your support.



U.C.M.

Our meeting is next Wednesday 16th March at 2pm in the Social Centre when we will have Stations of the Cross.

If you can, please bring something for the Food Bank, thank you.

WOMEN'S RETREAT SATURDAY 12TH MARCH BY HILTON HOTEL, NOTTINGHAM.

It s is £20 including a Buffet Lunch 10am-5pm led by the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph.

PRAYER VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED!

40 Days for Life' is a Christian campaign group, the purpose of which is to save the lives of unborn children through prayer, fasting and community outreach.

With the support of Pope Francis and Bishop Patrick, we are running our next campaign here in Nottingham during Lent 2022. The aim of our prayers is simple: we are praying for an end to abortion. But we also offer real support – moral and practical - to women who may be under pressure to have an abortion which they do not want, and which they may come to regret.

Our vigil is prayerful, peaceful, and non-judgmental.

If you care about abortion, and the terrible harm it is doing to families, friends, and our community, please sign up now to pray with us, from Lent to

Palm Sunday (10th April) on our webpage www.40daysforlife.com/Nottingham

English Martyrs' Catholic Voluntary Academy, Leicester are seeking to recruit a deputy headteacher. For further information please visit:

www.aquinas-cmat.org/vacancies

Closing Date Friday 18th March 2022

MEN'S LENT RETREAT

There is a Men's at Crich on Saturday 19th March , it is £25 including Breakfast , Lunch and Dinner.

Email adultformation@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Call- **0115 9539806**

WEBSITES - Parish: www.holyspiritwb.org

www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org

Deanery: www.nottsmeastdeanery.org

Diocese: www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk

TWITTER: West B+Cotgrave RC @holyspiritwb

PARISH CHURCHES

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

CLERGY TEAM

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frjohn@holyspiritwb.org

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Please see the new website www.nottinghamcatenians.org	
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Cafod -	Eileen Widdicks Tel: 9892882
Traidcraft-	Lynne Harrison Tel: 9235460
Cotgrave PPC-	Anne Ferguson Tel: 9892693
SVP-	Michael Jennings Tel: 9374307

Primary School	Senior School
St Edmund Campion	The Becket School
Head Teacher	Head Teacher
Mrs A. Blake	Mr P. Grieg
Tel: 0115 9147889	Tel: 0115 9824280

Diary for Week Commencing 13th March

Social Centre Diary

<p>Sun 13th March The Second Sunday of Lent</p>	<p>Holy Spirit (Sat) 6.30pm Mass-Monica Hough RIP 9am Mass- Tony Deane RIP 10.30am-Frank Dolan RIP</p> <p align="center">5pm- Stations of the Cross</p> <p>Our Lady of Grace 11am Youth Mass-Brian McKerr RIP (Anniv.)</p>	<p>9.30am- 10.20am-FHC Catechism (Social Centre) Children's Liturgy in hall during 10.30am Mass (Hall) 5pm-7pm Youth Group (Hall)</p>
<p>Mon 14th March Lenten Feria</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 7.30pm Mass- Pa O'Hara RIP</p>	<p>4.30pm-Rainbows (Hall) 5.15pm-Beavers (Upstairs) 6.30pm- Brownies (Hall) 6.30pm-Cubs (Upstairs)</p>
<p>Tues 15th March Lenten Feria</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 9.15am Mass-Frank Coan RIP Exposition until 10.30am</p>	<p>9am-4pm- Dementia Social (Hall) 6.30pm-7.30pm-RC Meeting (Hall)</p>
<p>Wed 16th March Lenten Feria</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 9.15am Mass-Christopher Cruise RIP (Anniv.)</p>	<p>Coffee after Mass (Hall) 2pm-4pm- UCM 5pm-7pm Lockton Dance Class</p>
<p>Thurs 17th March St Patrick , Bishop, Patron of Ireland (FEAST)</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 9.15am Mass- Mary Mulloy RIP (Rosary after Mass)</p>	<p>10am-11.30am Toddler Group (Hall) 7.15pm-9.15pm Scouts (Hall) 7.30pm- RCIA Course (Lounge)</p>
<p>Fri 18th March Lenten Feria</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 6.30pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7.20pm—Benediction 7.30pm Mass- Betty Brown RIP (Anniversary)</p>	<p>10am-2pm Yoga Class (Hall) 10.30am-4.30pm Priests Meeting (Upstairs)</p>
<p>Sat 19th March St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary (SOLEMNITY)</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 9.15am Mass-Special Intention 9.45am-10.15am Confessions 6.30pm Mass- Brian Harvey RIP (2nd Anniv.)</p>	<p>12pm-4.30pm Private Booking (Hall)</p>
<p>Sun 20th March Third Sunday of Lent</p>	<p>Holy Spirit 9am Mass-Gerard McPake RIP (22nd Anniv.) 10.30am Mass-Jane Terry RIP</p> <p align="center">5pm- Stations of the Cross</p> <p>Our Lady of Grace 11am Mass- Vera Widdicks RIP &Eileen Gaffney RIP</p>	<p>9.30am- 10.20am-FHC Catechism (Social Centre) Children's Liturgy in hall during 10.30am Mass (Hall)</p>

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

HOLY SPIRIT CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP

Children's Liturgy is this Sunday.

Please note the new changes:

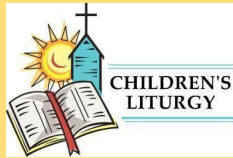
for safeguarding reasons, we now can kindly ask all parents to accompany their child to the social centre and sign them in upstairs for Children's Liturgy during Mass. Parents are also welcome to stay in the session if they wish.

If you arrive late for Children's Liturgy, please do not leave your child unaccompanied at any time, outside the hall in the church car park.

More Parent volunteers are needed to help with the Holy Spirit Children's Liturgy group on a term time rota basis. If you would like to help, you will need to complete an enhanced DBS check.

Please contact Catherine at the Parish office for further information.

Email: office@holyspiritwb.co.uk



New Guide Leader urgently needed for 10th West Bridgford Guides



A New Guide leader is needed for 10th West Bridgford Guides as the current leader is stepping down soon. Would anyone on our parish be interested in taking the unit on? Otherwise it is at risk of closing.

They meet at Paxdien guide headquarters on Rectory Rd on Friday evenings from 7pm to 8.30pm currently.

Guiding is great fun for not only the young people, but also the leaders, with all training and support given, and lots of opportunities for fun, friendship, and adventures.

If anyone is interested they can contact the division team on the following email: wbstguides@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF GRACE ACTIVITIES

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

These are now available for collection. As requested, packs remain available to those who now donate via the bank to enable Gift Aiding the appropriate second collections held through the year.

If you no longer require the envelopes, please advise Anne Ferguson

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME

There is a Prayer Sponsor Sheet at the back of church if any parishioner would like to pray for the First Holy Communion. Children. Please fill in your details on the form.

OUR LADY OF GRACE TRAIDCRAFT

Thank you to everyone who was able to support our Traidcraft stall last Sunday.



I sold £100 of Fairtrade goods and this included products that were directly donated to the food bank. If you missed the stall and would like to make a purchase then please see me at Church today. Purchasing just one Fairtrade product with your weekly shopping really would make a big difference to the producers. Thank you.

The next full stall will be on **Sunday 3rd of April.**

Our Lady of Grace Masses

Our Lady of Grace is open for Mass every Sunday at 11am.

We continue to work to a reduced seating capacity of 60 seats. Hand sanitising and social distancing is still in operation.

Face coverings are still recommended by the Diocese in church, despite the government lifting all Covid restrictions, as a community we still need to protect each other from the virus.

Holy Spirit Youth !

Are you in **Years 6-11?**

Want to make new friends, have fun & make a difference in the world? Come and join us!



HSYG is an opportunity for young people to respond to our Pope's call to take on the task of caring for each other and our common home.

Monthly events this year including playing games, litter picking, cooking, camping in the woods, 24hr music festival, 10km Cafod Walk, The Big Sleep Out & volunteering with rangers at Colwick Country Park.

Join us in the Social Centre on Sundays 5pm - 7pm

The next session is Sunday March 27th March Then onwards these dates:

April 18th, May 8th, May 20-21st, June 12th.

Are you ready to have fun and put your faith into action? **Be part of something awesome!**

For more information contact Caty Darby **07939467840**

Holy Spirit Youth: Aged 11-16?

Team up with friends, parents or your dog and join us for a sponsored 3-legged 5km run, walk or skip!! 3pm meet at Holme Pierrepont County Park on Sunday 27th March.

To sign up or for more information contact Caty Darby 07939 467840

