

The Catholic Church of St Peter & St Paul Lincoln

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Thirty Third Week of Ordinary Time - Psalter Week 1	INTENTIONS
Saturday 13th November 11am and 5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	Feria Confessions in the Lady Chapel Deceased members of the Rhodes and Crawford Families
Sunday 14th November 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed	THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Day of Special Prayer for the Poor REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY The War Dead People of the Parish
Monday 15th November -	Feria No Mass
Tuesday 16th November 7pm Streamed	Feria Repose of the soul of Tom and Kathleen Broughton RIP (Anniversary)
Wednesday 17th November 7pm Streamed	FEAST OF SAINT HUGH OF LINCOLN, BISHOP, PATRON OF OUR DIOCESE Mass for the dead of the Parish - Holy Souls
Thursday 18th November 9.30am Streamed	Feria Katie McCoy RIP (13 th Anniversary) and Mick McCoy RIP (Much Loved and Missed)
Friday 19th November 11-11.45am 12 Noon	Feria Confessions & Exposition Patrick Vaughan RIP (Birthday Anniversary) and all the Vaughan Family (Mass will be followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre on the 1 st and 3 rd Friday of the month)
Saturday 20th November 11am and 5.15pm 6pm Mass streamed	Feria Confessions in the Lady Chapel People of the Parish
Sunday 21st November 9am Mass streamed 11am Mass NOT streamed 1pm Blessing of Graves	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (SOLEMNITY) National Youth Sunday Mary and Martin Gaughan RIP Mary and Malcolm Moore (Golden Wedding Anniversary) North Hykeham & Waddington Cemeteries

Readers	This	H Levey	J Clarkson	Young People
	Next	R Boyns	A Rowlett	Young Ones
Church Flowers	13/11	Katie		
	27/11	Alison		
Weekend Coffee	This	9am – Fundraising Circle of Friends – Help for Heroes 11am – Damian Bil, Ewa Kurantowicz and Inez Franczak		
	Next	9am – No Booking 11am – No Booking		
Footsteps	This	Resumes on 28 th November		
	Next	-		
Weekend Stewards	This	6pm – Ted	9am –	11am – Jude and Cameron
	Next	6pm –	9am –	11am – Stan and Jude

WEEKLY COLLECTION		November issue of Catholic Voice available in the Lady Chapel	Artefacts: Total £9125.00	
Standing Orders	£529.00		300 CLUB: Forms to join the club are available in the Narthex The 300 Club is run by Parishioners and provides a much-needed source of income for the upkeep of our Church, Parish Centre, Presbyteries, and the Mission of the Church here in our Parish. Canon Geoffrey.	Raised
Envelopes	£105.65	Balance		£3345.75
Loose Plate	£188.16			

ENTERING HOSPITAL: Please let us know if you or a relative enter hospital, we will do what we can to assist you
SUNDAY OBLIGATION: A reminder that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is suspended in the Dioceses of England and Wales
PARISH SECRETARY: Will be in the office on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9am-5pm
IN MEMORIAM BOOK: Should you wish to see your loved one's name in the anniversary book, details of insertion are next to the display cabinet.
LEAFLET DROP: During November do not be surprised if you receive a leaflet through your letterbox letting you know that SSPP is open.
 We welcome you and we endeavour to be a COVID safe environment.

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER - PEOPLE WHO SUFFER FROM DEPRESSION

We pray that people who suffer from depression, burn-out, or anxiety that they will find support within their Parish and a light that will open them up to life.
 Please remember those in our Parish who suffer from depression, anxiety and burn-out. **Canon Geoffrey.**

IF SOMEONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD DISPLAYS ANY OF THE SYMPTOMS OF COVID19, YOU MUST STAY AT HOME DO NOT COME TO CHURCH
 If shielding, please continue to protect yourself by staying at home. ***In church face coverings MUST be worn unless you are exempt from doing so.*** Please sanitise your hands on entry to the Church; it is advisable to keep your distance inside and outside the building.



SYNOD PRAYER: We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever.

SYNOD - DIOCESAN INVOLVELENT QUESTIONS: Thank you to all those who took the time to complete and return the questionnaire. I will review them and comment over the coming weeks. Canon Geoffrey

MASSES AT SSPP: Please do arrive in good time for the Mass. Whilst the heating will be on, the doors will continue to be open to aid good ventilation and to help reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19, therefore please do wear something warm. If you have the NHS COVID-19 app installed on your smartphone, you can help prevent the spread of coronavirus by scanning the QR code as you enter. Please do continue to exercise personal and social responsibility by wearing a face covering, (unless you are medically exempt), sanitising your hands when entering and leaving the Church or Parish Centre, moving around in the Church and Parish Centre. Please do be conscious of each other's personal space and act in a responsible manner. If you are feeling unwell and experiencing symptoms of Coronavirus, please stay at home.

NOVEMBER CEMETERY VISITS: Newport - 14th November 2pm, North Hykeham & Waddington - 21st November 1pm, Long Leys - 28th November 1pm. If you would like your family/friends' grave blessed, please come along so that we know where they are.

SUNDAY MORNING REFRESHMENTS ROTA: We are, slowly, restarting refreshments after the Sunday morning Masses, but do we need more volunteers to step forward. Would you volunteer a little time after these Masses to make and serve refreshments for your Parishioners and then clear away afterwards? Everything you need will be supplied. If you can organise a coffee morning, please contact Tina by phone or email and leave your name, contact number or email and the date and time you are volunteering for.

REPOSITORY: Goods for Christmas and the New Year are now on display. If anyone requires candles, cards, or a calendar or diary for 2022, please come and have a look. We have limited stock, but we can always order something for you if you let us know what you want. Please see Alan after Mass to discuss.

A thank you message has been received from Jean Sharples, Vice Chair of Pax Christi. Many thanks for the beautiful knitted squares and crocheted doves sent to be part of the witness to the link between climate and conflict. They have now been sent to Glasgow where they will join with others and used to stir the world's leaders into concrete action for the planet. Pax Christi Education worker will be there with the Columbian Faith and Justice team to receive them. There are more details on the website www.paxchristi.org.uk Many thanks to the stitchers of SSPP, Lincoln for their good-hearted efforts when called upon. To the best of my knowledge two strips went from our church and some from the school.

DIARY DATES

ST PETER & ST PAUL'S PRAYER GROUP: Meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. You would be very welcome to join us. Next meeting **23rd November** from 7.30-9pm in the Parish Centre

SYNOD WALK - LET'S JOURNEY TOGETHER: On 17th November, the Feast of St Hugh of Lincoln, there will be a pilgrimage walk from Stow to the shrine of St Hugh in Lincoln Cathedral. There is evening Mass at SSPP church to conclude the day. We will travel to Stow by bus from Lincoln bus station (meet there at 9.15am). The walk of approximately 10 miles, is inspired by St Hugh and being offered up for the Diocesan phase of the Synod and will provide an opportunity for parishioners from all 3 city parishes to journey together to reflect upon and discuss the questions posed by Bishop Patrick. For further information talk to Stuart Collingham (Tel: 07715 048039) or Jo Franks. We hope you can join us.

FEAST OF ST HUGH OF LINCOLN – SECONDARY PATRON OF THE DIOCESE - 17th November: In the evening here at SSPP, there will be a Mass at 7.00pm at which we will remember the Dead of our Parish, particularly those who

have died this past year. If you wish a loved one's name to be read out during Mass, please let the Parish Office know, no later than Monday 15th November. There will be refreshments in the Parish Centre afterwards.

DEANERY CHOIR: The choir is now up and running again and we're also really pleased that we have gained some new members. Dates for forthcoming choir rehearsals are **Thursday 18th November, ZOOM VIRTUAL @ 5:30pm;** Thursday 25th November, SSPP @ 7:30pm; Thursday 2nd December, ZOOM VIRTUAL @ 5:30pm; Thursday 9th December, SSPP @ 7:30pm. Zoom details for Virtual rehearsals: Meeting ID: 396 117 2479, Passcode: 716207 (new members welcome).

'A CHANGE OF ERA' – 20th November: Hard on the heels of COP26, join our online Diocesan Justice and Peace Assembly, with Bishop Patrick and parishioners from around our Diocese, and two high-profile keynote speakers: Lord Deben, Chair of the Climate Change Committee (advises the Government on climate policy) and Raymond Friel, Chief Executive of Caritas Social Action Network. Covid-19 is still rife worldwide and climate change is accelerating. You will be warmly welcome to join by Zoom from 10am-1.15pm, to listen and share what the Spirit is saying to the Church – particularly as parish communities called to mission in the wake of Covid-19 and the Glasgow climate summit the previous week. Further details and booking at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/changeofera

21st November **National Youth Sunday** we will be joined at one of our weekend Masses by a member of staff and students of SSPP School.

27/28 November – Christmas Toy/Gift Collection for local school children (Note change of date)

ADVENT TEA: Come and enjoy a lovely afternoon of delicious food and company on **Thursday 2nd December in the Parish Hall, 1.30pm.** Christmas Tea with all the trimmings. Table Service only, no queuing, everything brought to your table. Tickets £5 on sale after all Masses. All money raised is for Aid to Church in Need.

HELPING THE HOMELESS THIS CHRISTMAS: The YMCA Lincolnshire has asked us to help the homeless men and women this Christmas by filling shoe boxes with Christmas gift items. Suitable gifts are: Hats, scarves, gloves, socks. Toiletries (male and female) toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant, shower gel, shampoo, face wipes. Travel mug, instant coffee, hot chocolate, chocolates, sweets. Puzzle books, playing cards, magazines, note pad, pens, face masks. Lids and bottom halves of boxes must be wrapped separately. Filled boxes should be taken to church on the weekend of **4/5 December.** If anyone needs an empty shoe box, please let me know. With many thanks, Heidi 01522 828172.

OPEN DAY – 11th December: As we prepare for Christmas and as part of our outreach to the community, Catholic and non-Catholic, (and in response to the Holy Father's invitation to respond to the world-wide Synod), here at SSPP, there will be an Open Day on 11th December from 10.00am to 2.00pm. All Parish Ministries, Groups and Organisations are asked to help and be present at some point that day to help with this initiative.

11/12 December – Christmas Food Bank Collection

18/19 December – Church Christmas Flowers Collection

SSPP BAPTISM COURSE: The next course will be held on **Saturday 22nd January 2022** in the Parish Centre from 10am-12 Noon. If you have not previously attended a Course and are looking to have your child Baptised, please contact the Parish Office for an application form to be sent to you.

1ST HOLY COMMUNION 2022: Classes will commence on **Saturday 29th January** in the Parish Centre for children attending non catholic schools. Start time will be 9.30am finishing at midday. School holidays and Bank Holidays will be avoided. There will be two 1st Holy Communion celebrations on **11th and 18th June**, and each will be a mix of the parish children from St Hugh's school and the Church group. 1st Reconciliation will be on **Saturday 21st May** for all the children. There will be a parents meeting, for both church and school parents, at 11am on **Saturday 5th February.** Application forms for the Church children are available now from the Parish Office, the Sacristy and Stan Davis, Catechist. There will be an enrolment mass at the 11am Mass on **Sunday 27th February** for all the children.

LEST WE FORGET
REMEMBRANCE DAY

NOVEMBER 11