

Nottingham
Diocesan
Ordo
2023 - 2024

Calendar Outline for 2023-24

December	3 1 Advent	10 2 Advent	17 3 Advent	24* 4 Advent	31* Holy Fam
January 2024	7 Epiphany	14 2 OT	21 3 OT	28 4 OT	
February	4 5 OT	11 6 OT	18 1 Lent	25 2 Lent	
March	3 3 Lent	10 4 Lent	17 5 Lent	24 Palm	31* EASTER
April	7 2 Easter	14 3 Easter	21 4 Easter	28 5 Easter	
May	5* 6 Easter	12 7 Easter	19 Pentecost	26* Trinity	
June	2 Corpus Christi	9 9 OT	16 10 OT	23 11 OT	30 SsPP
July	7 13 OT	14 14 OT	21 15 OT	28 16 OT	
August	4 17 OT	11 18 OT	18 19 OT	25* 20 OT	
September	1 21 OT	8 22 OT	15 23 OT	12 24 OT	29 25 OT
October	6 27 OT	13 28 OT	20 29 OT	27 30 OT	
November	3 31 OT	10 32 OT	17 33 OT	24 Christ the Kin	ng
December	1 1 Advent	8 2 Advent	15 3 Advent	22 4 Advent	

Holy Days of Obligation (not falling on a Sunday):

Monday 25th December 2023 – Nativity of the Lord

Thursday 9th May 2024 – The Ascension of the Lord

Thursday 15th August – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday 1st November – All Saints

Wednesday 25th December – Nativity of the Lord

Reading Cycles the Sunday Cycle is Year B (Saint Mark); the Weekday Cycle is Year 2

Bank and Public Holidays (adjacent Sundays are indicated by * in the table above):

Monday 25th December 2023

Tuesday 26th December

Monday 27th May

Monday 1st January 2024

Friday 29th March

Monday 26th August

Wednesday 25th December

Monday 1st April Thursday 26th December

General Information

1 Introduction

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2 Solemnities of Obligation (Canon 1246)

In the Dioceses of England and Wales, when the solemnities of the Epiphany, Saints Peter and Paul, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, or All Saints fall on a Saturday or Monday, the solemnity is to be observed and the precept discharged on the Sunday. With effect from the First Sunday of Advent 2017 the Epiphany of the Lord was restored to 6th January (except when it falls on a Saturday or Monday, as above) and the Ascension of the Lord to the Thursday after the Sixth Sunday of Easter. The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is celebrated on the Sunday following Trinity Sunday. The Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord is always celebrated on 25th December.

Different arrangements apply in churches and chapels pertaining to the Bishopric of the Forces.

3 Masses for Sundays and Holydays anticipated the previous evening, and Vigil Masses

Mass celebrated on the evening before a Sunday or solemnity may be that appointed for the day itself, or for the Sunday or solemnity following, in which case it is a Mass in Anticipation. Some solemnities have proper Vigil Masses, which, if a Mass is celebrated on the evening before the solemnity, must be celebrated.

The solemnities with proper Vigil Masses are:

- The Nativity of the Lord
- The Epiphany of the Lord
- Easter
- The Ascension of the Lord
- Pentecost
- The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
- Saints Peter and Paul
- The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Each has prayers and Readings proper to the Vigil, and different prayers and Readings proper to the Mass of the Day. Christmas has four proper Masses (Vigil, Night, Dawn, Day); Easter has

an extended Vigil Mass with eight Readings before the Gospel; Pentecost has an extended Vigil Mass with five Readings before the Gospel. The Easter Vigil should not begin before nightfall and should end before dawn.

When the Mass of an anticipated Sunday or solemnity falls on a solemnity, the Mass to be celebrated is determined by the higher rank indicated in the table of liturgical days given at the front of The Roman Missal. For the good of the faithful it is always permissible to celebrate the Mass of the Sunday in preference to the solemnity.

4 Celebrating the Anniversary of the Consecration of the Church

For those churches which have been consecrated, the annual celebration of the church's consecration takes place on the day on which the church was consecrated. For those churches for which this date is known, a note is made in the Ordo and this celebration takes precedence over any other celebrations on that day. Where the date isn't known, but the church has been consecrated, the celebration is kept on 22nd October each year.

The anniversary is celebrated with the rank of solemnity:

White: At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the solemnity, Creed, Preface of the Dedication of a Church

The Readings are taken from those given in Lectionary volume II, p.1392ff; the prayers are taken from the Roman Missal 'Common of the Dedication of a Church' p.1091ff. For convenience the Readings may be taken from those given for the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, 9th November (Lectionary volume II, p.1250ff). There are always two Readings proclaimed before the Gospel.

5 Celebrating the Church's Patron or Title on Sunday

The celebration of the church's patron saint or title (of the Trinity, of Our Lord, or of Our Lady) may be transferred from a weekday to a Sunday provided the following conditions are fulfilled:

- The patron saint or title has the favour of popular devotion
- The Sunday to which it is transferred is a Sunday 'of the year' (in ordinary time)
- The Church has been consecrated

If the above conditions are fulfilled, all Masses at which a congregation is present on that Sunday may be Masses of the patron saint or title.

Whenever the patron saint or title is celebrated (either on the appointed day or when transferred to the Sunday) it is celebrated with the rank of solemnity:

White: At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface of the Solemnity

The readings are taken from those given in the Lectionary, with the addition of a second reading (if one isn't already provided) from the common readings; the prayers are taken from the Roman Missal.

6 Proper Calendars: Regional (Europe), National (England and Wales) and Diocesan (Nottingham) Celebrations

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12 th January	National	Saint Aelred of Rievaulx, religious	optional memorial
19 th January	National	Saint Wulstan, bishop	optional memorial
20 th January	Diocesan	Blessed Cyprian Tansi, priest and religious	optional memorial
4 th February	Diocesan	Saint Gilbert of Sempringham, religious	memorial
14 th February	European	Saints Cyril and Methodius, Patrons of Europe	feast
27 th February	Diocesan	Saints Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line, and Marga	ıret Ward,
		martyrs (transferred from 30 th August)	optional memorial
1 st March	National	Saint David, bishop, Patron of Wales	feast
17 th March	National	Saint Patrick, bishop, Patron of Ireland	feast
20 th March	Diocesan	Saint Alcmund, martyr	optional memorial
12 th April	Diocesan	Saint Guthlac, religious	optional memorial
21 st April	National	Saint Anselm, bishop and doctor	optional memorial
23 rd April	National	Saint George, martyr, Patron of England	solemnity
24 th April	National	Saint Adalbert, bishop and martyr	
		(transferred from 23 rd April)	optional memorial
29 th April	European	Saint Catherine of Siena, virgin and doctor, Patro	n of Europe feast
4 th May	National	The English Martyrs	feast
11 th May	Diocesan	Saints John Houghton, Robert Lawrence, priests,	and
		Companions: The Martyrs of Nottinghamshire	optional memorial
19 th May	National	Saint Dunstan, bishop	optional memorial
25 th May	National	Saint Bede the Venerable, priest and doctor	memorial
27 th May	National	Saint Augustine of Canterbury, bishop	feast
Thu after Pen't	National	Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	feast
5 th June	National	Saint Boniface, bishop and martyr	memorial
9 th June	National	Saint Columba, abbot	optional memorial
11 th June	Diocesan	Saint Barnabas, apostle, Patron of our Cathedral	feast
16 th June	National	Saint Richard of Chichester, bishop	optional memorial
20 th June	National	Saint Alban, martyr	optional memorial
22 nd June	National	Saints John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More, ma	artyrs feast
23 rd June	National	Saint Etheldreda (Audrey), virgin	optional memorial
1 st July	National	Saint Oliver Plunket, bishop and martyr	optional memorial
11 th July	European	Saint Benedict, abbot, Patron of Europe	feast
23 rd July	European	Saint Bridget of Sweden, religious, Patron of Euro	ppe feast
9 th August	European	Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, virgin and m	artyr,
		Patron of Europe	feast
26 th August	National	Blessed Dominic of the Mother of God, priest	optional memorial
30 th August	Diocesan	Dedication of our Cathedral	feast
31 st August	National	Saint Aidan, bishop, and Saints of Lindisfarne	optional memorial

3 rd September National	Saint Gregory the Great, pope and doctor	feast
4 th September National	Saint Cuthbert, bishop	optional memorial
19 th September National	Saint Theodore of Canterbury, bishop	optional memorial
24 th September National	Our Lady of Walsingham	memorial
5 th October Diocesan	Blesseds Robert Sutton, Anthony Turner, George	Douglas,
	and Companions: The Martyrs of Leicestershire	optional memorial
9 th October National	Saint John Henry Newman, priest	feast
10 th October Diocesan	Saint Paulinus of York, bishop,	
	and the Anglo-Saxon Saints of our Diocese	memorial
11 th October Diocesan	Saint Denis, bishop, and Companions, martyrs	
	(transferred from 9 th October)	optional memorial
11 th October Diocesan	Saint John Leonardi, priest	
	(transferred from 9 th October)	optional memorial
12 th October National	Saint Wilfrid, bishop	optional memorial
12 th October Nat / Dio	Saint Hilda of Whitby, religious	
	(transferred from 17 th November)	optional memorial
13 th October National	Saint Edward the Confessor	optional memorial
22 nd October Diocesan	Dedication of the Church	
	(when the date of dedication is unknown)	solemnity
23 rd October Diocesan	Saint John Paul II, pope	
	(transferred from 22 nd October)	optional memorial
26 th October National	Saints Chad and Cedd, bishops	optional memorial
3 rd November National	Saint Winefride, virgin	optional memorial
7 th November National	Saint Willibrord, bishop	optional memorial
16 th November National	Saint Edmund of Abingdon, bishop	optional memorial
17 th November Diocesan	Saint Hugh of Lincoln, bishop, Patron of our Dioc	ese feast
19 th November Nat / Dio	Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, religious	
	(transferred from 17 th November)	optional memorial
30 th November National	Saint Andrew, apostle, Patron of Scotland	feast
1 st December Diocesan	Saint Ralph Sherwin, Blessed Christopher Buxton	, priests,
	and Companions: The Martyrs of Derbyshire	optional memorial
8 th December Diocesan	Immaculate Conception of Our Lady,	
	Patron of our Diocese	solemnity
10 th December Diocesan	Saints Augustine Webster and Eustace White,	
	Blessed Mark Barkworth, priests, and Companion	ns:
	The Martyrs of Lincolnshire	optional memorial
29 th December National	Saint Thomas of Canterbury, bishop and martyr	feast

7 Cycle of Prayer

The liturgical year has been divided into six periods. We are asked to pray for certain intentions throughout the period, as shown in the notes at the beginning of each period. At Mass on the days of special prayer it is sufficient to announce the day during the opening remarks and to include a suitable petition in the intercessions.

8 At Mass

Sundays: Gloria (except in Advent or Lent); Readings of the Sunday; Creed; Preface of Sundays; vestments of the colour of the Sunday; one Mass to be offered by parish priests as *Missa Pro Populo*.

Solemnities of Obligation: Gloria; Readings of the solemnity; Creed; Preface of the solemnity; vestments of the colour of the solemnity; one Mass to be offered by parish priests as *Missa Pro Populo*.

Solemnities: Gloria; Readings of the solemnity; Creed; Preface of the solemnity; vestments of the colour of the solemnity.

Feasts: Gloria; Readings of the feast; no Creed; Preface of the feast; vestments of the colour of the feast.

Memorials and Optional Memorials: no Gloria; Readings of the weekday (except where there are proper Readings for the memorial being celebrated; or where there are proper Readings for the optional memorial and this is being celebrated). For pastoral reasons, other Readings may be chosen, such as those suggested in the Lectionary for saints on memorials, or Readings which are more appropriate to children for the celebration of a school Mass, provided that the cycle of weekday Readings is followed in the main; no Creed; Common Preface or of the memorial; vestments of the colour of the memorial or optional memorial.

Commemorations: no Gloria; Readings of the season; no Creed; Preface of the season; vestments of the colour of the season.

Other considerations: the Gloria and the Creed may always be included when Mass is celebrated on special occasions, and at such a Mass the vestments may always be of the colour of the celebration, rather than the day or season, except for Requiem Masses when violet vestments (or black, or white) are used.

Episcopal Celebrations: at Masses during which the Sacrament of Confirmation is conferred the guidance provided by Bishop's House is followed. Likewise at Masses during which the Sacrament of Ordination is conferred, or for other particular Masses celebrated by the Bishop of Nottingham, advice should be sought in good time from Bishop's House.

9 Nuptial Masses

Except on Sundays and solemnities the Nuptial Mass (with white vestments) may be celebrated in full. On Sundays and solemnities the Mass of the day is celebrated, with the nuptial blessing and, if opportune, the final proper formula of blessing. Even when Nuptial Mass is not permitted, one of the nuptial Readings may be chosen for catechesis, except on the solemnities of the Nativity of the Lord, the Epiphany of the Lord, the days of Holy Week, Easter Day, the days of the Easter Octave, the Ascension of the Lord, Pentecost, the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, Saints Peter and Paul, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, or All Saints, when the Readings must be those of the solemnity.

10 Statement on Marriage

Revised 29th August 2020

By order of the Bishop, the following statement is to be published or read at Masses on at least one of the weekends in each of February and October each year.

Marriage is a lifelong vocation of a man and a woman to a community of life and love open to children, and, between the baptized, it is a Sacrament. Aware of the many pressures today which can endanger family life, the Church is constantly concerned to make sure that those of you planning to marry are prepared as well as possible. We would like to remind those who wish to marry of the following:

- 1. It is important that a couple go to see their priest in good time before their wedding. Normally, at least six months' notice should be given.
- 2. Marriage preparation is carried out by the priest, often assisted by a group from the parish. Courses arranged on a Deanery basis are recommended.
- 3. Catholics are reminded of their obligation to preserve their faith and to do all they can within the unity of their partnership to have all their children baptized and brought up in the faith and practice of the Catholic Church.
- 4. Non-Catholic partners will be informed of this promise, but they are not asked to make this or any similar promise.
- 5. Dispensation for a marriage between a Catholic and a non-Catholic to take place in a non-Catholic church can be granted only for a serious reason. Couples who wish to marry in a non-Catholic church should discuss the matter with their priest in good time before their wedding day to see whether a dispensation could be granted.

All couples marrying these days need the support of the local Church. In this way they will be strengthened in their preparation for marriage, in celebrating their marriage, and in living out their covenant with one another.

We wish to thank all those married people who show such constancy and fidelity to their vocation of marriage. May their example inspire those planning to marry in the Church.

Right Reverend Patrick McKinney Bishop of Nottingham

11 Second Collections in 2024

By order of the Bishop (*Wednesday Roundup*, 27th September 2023), the following collections for the intentions given are to be taken at Masses celebrated on the prescribed days in the Diocese of Nottingham:

10th December 2023 Poor and Needy Parishes 14th January 2024 Sick and Retired Priests

28th January Racial Justice Sunday (optional)
25th February CAFOD (Lent Fast Day – optional)
Lent Station Mass Bishop's Charitable Purposes

Friday 29th March Holy Places of Palestine
21st April Clergy Formation Fund
12th May Catholic Communications

16th June Day for Life 30th June Peter's Pence

14th July Stella Maris (Sea Sunday)

8th September Catholic Education Service (optional)

15th September Evangelii Gaudium Day

6th October CAFOD (Harvest Fast Day – optional)

20th October Missio (World Mission Sunday)

8th December Poor and Needy Parishes

12 Parish Financial Review

The weekend of 17th and 18th February has been proposed as an opportunity for every parish in the diocese to thank parishioners for what they give financially, and to encourage them to consider whether they might be able to increase their giving. This is an opportunity to encourage more people who are tax-payers to enhance their giving through Gift Aid. For further information published by the Finance Office, see the *Wednesday Roundup* or contact Bishop's House directly.

13 Visiting Clergy

The practice of allowing clergy from outside the Diocese of Nottingham to concelebrate Mass or to assist at the celebration of the sacraments is to be encouraged whenever such clergy present themselves. On those one-off occasions when a priest wishes to concelebrate at a public Mass his celebret should be seen, and the requested details noted on the relevant page of this Ordo; at the end of the year the Ordo should be preserved in the parish archive. For clergy from outside the diocese wishing to celebrate liturgies as the principal celebrant, or for those wishing to assist with liturgies on a more regular basis (such as summer supply), please contact Bishop's House for the relevant procedure to be followed, including reference to the home diocese or Order, and safeguarding arrangements.

The Season of Advent

Notes for Advent:

At Compline the Marian Anthem Alma Redemptoris Mater is recommended

December $17^{th} - 24^{th}$: Variations in the Divine Office:

Proper invitatory antiphon

Proper hymns at Office of Readings, Lauds, and Vespers

Proper antiphons and psalmody at Lauds and Vespers

Cycle of Prayer: during Advent and Christmastide we pray for these intentions:

Migrants and Refugees

Expectant Mothers

First Week of Advent

3rd-9th December - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Hope

Sunday 3rd December _

Violet FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface I of Advent

Migrants' Day, Day of Special Prayer for Migrants

Announce the second collection for Poor and Needy Parishes to be taken next

Sunday

The memorial of Saint Francis Xavier, priest, is omitted

RIP: Canon Edward Neary (1985)

Monday 4th December_

Violet Advent Feria or

White Saint John Damascene, priest and doctor (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the optional memorial

Tuesday 5th December

Violet Advent Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent

RIP: Fr Constantine Dolan (1981)

Wednesday 6th December Violet Advent Feria or White Saint Nicholas, bishop (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr Charles Dunn (1904); Canon Joseph Murdock (1988) Thursday 7th December White Saint Ambrose, bishop and doctor (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the memorial Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity The Chapter celebrates Capitular Vespers in the Cathedral this evening RIP: Deacon John Hague (2011) Friday 8th December THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, White PATRON OF OUR DIOCESE (SOLEMNITY) Patronal Solemnity of our Diocese At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Proper Preface RIP: Fr George Newton (1886); Fr James Coyne (1959); Monsignor Bernard George (1978); Fr Raymund Mendel (2007); Fr Thomas Breslin (2018) Saturday 9th December Violet **Advent Feria** or White Saint John Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent **Oadby**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976, transferred from 8th December) (SOLEMNITY) Charlesworth: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (2003, transferred from 8th December) (SOLEMNITY) **Spalding**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (2004, transferred from 8th December) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr John Pauline (1857); Fr Charles Coleman (1980); Fr Gerard Collins (2010)

Second Week of Advent

10th-16th December - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Peace

Sunday 10th December

Violet SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface I of Advent Second collection for Poor and Needy Parishes

The optional memorials of Our Lady of Loreto, and of Saints Augustine Webster and Eustace White, Blessed Mark Barkworth, priests, and Companions: The Martyrs of Lincolnshire are omitted

Monday 11th December _

Violet Advent Feria or

White Saint Damasus I, pope (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the optional memorial The Council of Priests, and the Bishop's Council, meet today

Tuesday 12th December_

Violet Advent Feria or

White Our Lady of Guadalupe (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the Blessed Virgin Mary RIP: Monsignor Thomas Sing (1882); Fr Trevor Clarke (2012)

Wednesday 13th December _

Red Saint Lucy, virgin and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the memorial RIP: Fr Edward Barry (1922); Canon John Newsham (1986)

Thursday 14th December

White Saint John of the Cross, priest and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent or of the memorial

Friday 15th December _____

Violet Advent Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent

RIP: Fr John Collins (1853); Canon Thomas Baron (1899)

Saturday 16th December Violet **Advent Feria** At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface I of Advent RIP: Fr Martin Finneran (1995); Deacon Brian Ratcliffe (2023) Third Week of Advent 17th-24th December - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Joy Sunday 17th December_ Violet or THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT – GAUDETE SUNDAY Rose At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface II of Advent RIP: Fr John Scott (1854); Canon William Hawkins (1919) Monday 18th December Violet **Advent Feria** At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent RIP: Fr James Rooney (1953) Tuesday 19th December_ Violet **Advent Feria** At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent RIP: Monsignor Charles Payne (1944) Wednesday 20th December Violet **Advent Feria** At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent RIP: Canon Peter Taylor (1952) Thursday 21st December

Violet Advent Feria or

Violet Saint Peter Canisius, priest and doctor (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent

RIP: Canon Patrick Balfe (2000)

Friday 22nd December _____

Violet Advent Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent

RIP: Canon David Ryan (2002)

Saturday 23rd December

Violet Advent Feria or

Violet Saint John of Kanty, priest (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface II of Advent

RIP: Fr Cornelius Moynihan (2009); Deacon Les Lemon (2014)

Fourth Week of Advent

24th December – Psalter Week 4 – Schools' Word of the Week: Love

Sunday 24th December (morning)

Violet FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface II of Advent

Day of Special Prayer for Expectant Mothers

RIP: Provost James Simkiss (1855); Fr Douglas Walford (1979)

First Week of Christmastide

24th-31st December - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Love

Sunday 24th December (evening)

White THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD – CHRISTMAS DAY (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of the Nativity of the Lord, Creed (all kneel briefly at "et incarnatus est..."), Proper Preface (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Visiting 1	Priests	(Name,	Diocese/	Order,	Celebret	issue da	ate)	
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Monday 25th December

White THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD – CHRISTMAS DAY (SOLEMNITY)

All priests may celebrate or concelebrate three Masses at their appropriate points of the day. If only one Mass is celebrated the one appropriate to that part of the day is used. A priest who celebrates Mass three times may accept three Mass offerings

Before the Midnight Mass of Christmas it is appropriate that a solemn vigil should be celebrated with the Office of Readings; Compline is not said by those who are present at this vigil

At the Midnight Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Midnight Mass of the Nativity of the Lord, Creed (all kneel briefly at "et incarnatus est..."), Proper Preface (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

At the Dawn Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Dawn Mass of the Nativity of the Lord, Creed (all kneel briefly at "et incarnatus est..."), Proper Preface (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

At the Day Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Day Mass of the Nativity of the Lord, Creed (all kneel briefly at "et incarnatus est..."), Proper Preface (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Public Holiday

Tuesday 26th December

Red Saint Stephen (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Creed, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

RIP: Fr Austin Rowley (1903)

Bank Holiday

Wednesday 27th December

White Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Creed, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Thursday 28th December_

Red THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

RIP: Canon A Bowman Short (1960); Bishop William Eric Grasar (1982)

Visiting Priests (Name, Diocese/Order, Celebret issue date) _	
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Friday 29th December

Red

SAINT THOMAS OF CANTERBURY (BECKET), BISHOP AND MARTYR (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Saturday 30th December

White

SIXTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sixth Day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

RIP: Fr Stanley Borrows (1963)

Second Week of Christmastide

31st December-5th January – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Family

Sunday 31st December

White

THE HOLY FAMILY (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

The commemoration of Saint Sylvester I, pope, is omitted

RIP: Fr Henry Mills (1901); Fr James Parle (1919)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

Monday 1st January 2024

White

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface I of the Blessed Virgin Mary (and insert of Christmas if Eucharistic Prayer I)

RIP: Canon Peter Wilson (2002)

Tuesday 2nd January

White

Saints Basil the Great, and Gregory Nazianzen, bishops and doctors (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord RIP: Fr Patrick Kearney (1999); Canon Bernard Mooney (2006)

Wednesday 3rd January

White Christmas (Before Epiphany) Feria or

White Most Holy Name of Jesus (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord

RIP: Fr Edward Callanan (1881)

Thursday 4th January_

White Christmas (Before Epiphany) Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord

RIP: Fr Jeremiah McGillycuddy (1986); Fr Robert Woodbridge (1994); Fr Daniel Reid (2000); Fr Peter Peterken (2024, Ordinariate)

Friday 5th January _

White Christmas (Before Epiphany) Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord

RIP: Provost William Browne (1887); Fr Patrick Sweeney (1938); Monsignor Hugh Atkinson (1993); Canon Patrick Snee (2009)

Saturday 6th January (morning)

White Christmas (Before Epiphany) Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of The Nativity of the Lord

RIP: Fr Robert Hunter (1951); Fr Michael Stewart (1982)

(evening)

White EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY)

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of the Epiphany of the Lord, Creed, Proper Preface (and insert of the Epiphany if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Third Week of Christmastide

7th-8th January - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Epiphany

Sunday 7th January_

White EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Epiphany of the Lord, Creed, Proper Preface (and insert of the Epiphany if Eucharistic Prayer I)

Announce the second collection for the Sick and Retired Priests' Fund to be taken next Sunday

The optional memorial of Saint Raymond of Penyafort, priest, is omitted

Monday 8th	January
White	THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD (FEAST) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Proper Preface
The Se	ason of Ordinary Time (Winter)
Peace on Openness Christian The Sick a Victims of The Uner	s to the Word of God Unity and Those Who Care for Them f Trafficking and Those who Work to Combat it
Tuesday 9th	' January
Green	Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP Canon Theodore Fauvel (1865); Canon Bernard Shaw (2001)
Wednesday	10 th January
Green	Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Monsignor Joseph Phelan (2020)
Thursday 1	1 th January
Green	Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr John Clarke (1875)

Friday 12th January Green Feria or White Saint Aelred of Rievaulx, religious (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr Patrick Flynn (1920); Fr Joseph Gattie (1935) Saturday 13th January_____ Green Feria or White Saint Hilary, bishop and doctor (optional memorial) or Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary Second Week of Ordinary Time 14th-20th January – Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Discipleship Sunday 14th January SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR Green At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Peace Sunday, Day of Special Prayer for Peace Second collection for the Sick and Retired Priests' Fund Monday 15th January _ **Feria** Green At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr Peter Tierney (2006) Tuesday 16th January_____ **Feria** Green At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Wednesday 17th January _____ White Saint Anthony, abbot (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

RIP: Fr Richard Raby (1883); Fr Joseph Fagan (1903)

Thursday 18th January

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Start of the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity. Mass may be celebrated on any day up to and including 25th January for the Unity of Christians (Masses for various needs and occasions no.17 p.1336 in the Missal)

RIP: Canon Francis Caus (1931)

Friday 19th January

Green Feria or

White Saint Wulstan, bishop (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr John Collins (1854)

Saturday 20th January_

Green Feria or

Red Saint Fabian, pope and martyr (optional memorial) or

Red Saint Sebastian, martyr (optional memorial) or

White Blessed Cyprian Tansi, priest and religious (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr James McKearney (1920); Canon Emil Puttmann (1991); Fr Dennis Higgins (2017)

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Third Week of Ordinary Time

21st-27th January - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Scripture

Sunday 21st January

Green Third Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Sunday of the Word of God

Optional: announce the second collection for Racial Justice which may be taken

next Sunday

The memorial of Saint Agnes, virgin and martyr, is omitted

RIP: Fr Thomas O'Connor (1861); Fr William Tailford (1899); Fr John Hooker (1927); Fr Leo Lea (1955)

Monday 22nd January_

Green Feria or

Red Saint Vincent, deacon and martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Tuesday 23rd January_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Wednesday 24th January _____

White Saint Francis de Sales, bishop and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Canon Austin Williamson (1958)

Thursday 25th January_

White THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

End of the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity

RIP: Fr Philip O'Dowd (2009)

Friday 26th January

White Saints Timothy and Titus, bishops (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of Pastors RIP: Fr Bernard Kevil (1987); Deacon Peter Brogan (2021)

Saturday 27th January

Green Feria or

White Saint Angela Merici, virgin (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Lincoln, Saint Hugh: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1927) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Bishop Richard Roskell, second Bishop of Nottingham (1883); Fr Patrick Quilter (1918)

Fourth Week of Ordinary Time

28th January – 3rd February – Psalter Week 4 – Schools' Word of the Week: Leadership

Sunday 28th January

Green FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Racial Justice Day, Day of Special Prayer for Racial Justice

Optional second collection for Racial Justice

The memorial of Saint Thomas Aquinas, priest and doctor, is omitted

Monday 29th January _

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Tuesday 30th January_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Wednesday 31st January____

White Saint John Bosco, priest (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Peter Prince (1926); Fr Louis Drury (1961); Fr Roger Birks (1992)

Thursday 1st February_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr John Toomey (1942); Monsignor Edwin Henson (1961)

Friday 2nd February

White The Presentation of The Lord – Candlemas (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast (one Reading only before the Gospel), Preface of Candlemas

At Mass the Blessing of Candles and a Procession as laid out in the Missal p.852ff is recommended, or if not possible, the Solemn Entrance on p.855 Day of Special Prayer for Consecrated Life

At Compline the Marian Anthem *Ave Regina Caelorum* is recommended (until the end of Lent)

RIP: Fr Felix May (1907)

Saturday 3rd February _____

Green Feria or

Red Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr (optional memorial) or

White Saint Ansgar, bishop (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

If the traditional Blessing of Throats is given today, the Rite as in the Book of Blessings p.693ff is used

RIP: Fr Charles Froes (1930)

Fifth Week of Ordinary Time

4th-10th February – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Diversity

Sunday 4th February

Green FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

The Bishop's *Statement on Marriage* to be read / published today, see the introduction, note 10

The memorial of Saint Gilbert of Sempringham, religious, is omitted

Monday 5th February

Red Saint Agatha, virgin and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Deans meet with the Bishop today; and Deaneries meet this week

Tuesday 6th February

Red Saints Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs of Japan (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Archbishop Edward Bagshawe, third Bishop of Nottingham (1915); Fr Stephen Hodskinson (1989); Fr James Hannigan (2023)

Wednesday 7th February

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Edward Thompson (1898)

Thursday 8th February_

Green Feria or

White Saint Jerome Emiliani (optional memorial) or

White Saint Josephine Bakhita, virgin (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Day of Special Prayer for the Victims of Trafficking

RIP: Fr Edward Carrick (2004)

Friday 9th February

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Provost Patrick O'Donoghue (1929); Fr Finian O'Sullivan (1972)

Saturday 10th February_

White Saint Scholastica, virgin (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

RIP: Canon Bernard Hobson (1930)

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Sixth Week of Ordinary Time

11th-13th February - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Healing

Sunday 11th February_

Green SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

World Day for the Sick, Day of Special Prayer for the Sick

Day of Special Prayer for the Unemployed

Ashby de la Zouch: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1998) (SOLEMNITY)

The optional memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes is omitted

Monday 12th February_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Tuesday 13th February_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr John Burns (1913), Monsignor John Hadican (1958)

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The Season of Lent

The period for fulfilling Easter Duties is from Ash Wednesday until Trinity Sunday

It is not permitted to adorn the altar with flowers during Lent, and musical instruments may only be played for the purpose of sustaining singing. On Laetare Sunday, solemnities and feasts exceptions may be made regarding flowers and music

For the celebration of marriages, the parish priest should alert spouses of the need to take into account the penitential character of this season

Cycle of Prayer during Lent, we pray for these intentions:

Candidates for the Sacraments

Women

The Needy and Hungry of the World

Penitents and Wanderers

Announce the local arrangements for Station Masses. The collection at these Masses will be for various Diocesan Charities, and is to be taken after the Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament and before Mass; payment to be sent to the Finance Office

Lent

14th-17th February – Psalter Week 4 – Schools' Word of the Week: Healing

Wednesday 14th February

Violet ASH WEDNESDAY

At Mass: Mass begins with the Entrance Antiphon, the Penitential Rite is omitted, Readings of Ash Wednesday, the ashes are blessed and imposed after the Gospel (and homily), Preface III or IV of Lent

Where ashes are imposed outside of Mass: the Service begins with the Entrance Antiphon, the Collect, Readings of Ash Wednesday, the Ashes are blessed and imposed after the Gospel and homily, the Service concludes with the Prayer of the Faithful, Our Father, Blessing and Dismissal

The feast of Saints Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop, Patrons of Europe, is omitted

Day of Special Prayer for Europe

A day of fasting and abstinence

RIP: Fr Owen Scully (1930)

Thursday 15th February

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Friday 16th February

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Francis Brennan (1962)

Saturday 17th February_

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Deacon Bernard Croft (2019)

First Week of Lent

18th-24th February - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Prayer

Sunday 18th February

Violet FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Proper Preface

CAFOD Lenten Fast Day envelopes to be given out today

A review of parish finances is to be given during Mass today, to thank and

encourage parishioners

The Rite of Election is celebrated today in the Cathedral at 3.00pm

Monday 19th February

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

The Council of Priests, and the Bishop's Council, meet today

RIP: Canon Leo McReavy (2004); Canon Colin Taylor (2020)

Tuesday 20th February_

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Market Warsop: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1974) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Robert Browne (1905); Monsignor John Harnett (1909)

Wednesday 21st February

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Peter Damian, bishop and doctor (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Christopher O'Brien (1982); Canon Roger Maher (2013)

Thursday 22nd February _

White THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

Friday 23rd February

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Polycarp, bishop and martyr (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

CAFOD Lent Fast Day

Day of Special Prayer for the Needy and Hungry of the World

RIP: Fr Eugene Goddard (1905); Fr George Hendriks (1928); Deacon Raymond Faghy (2019)

Saturday 24th February

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr William Law (1878); Monsignor Edward Walker (2016); Deacon Robin

Pollard (2021)

Second Week of Lent

25th February-2nd March – Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Fasting

Sunday 25th February_

Violet SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Proper Preface CAFOD Lent Fast Day envelopes collected today (send to CAFOD directly)

RIP: Fr Cornelius McSweeney (1916)

Monday 26th February_

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Canon Joseph Daniel (1878); Fr Herbert Bowker (1981)

Tuesday 27th February

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Gregory of Narak, abbot and doctor (as a commemoration) or

Violet Saints Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line, and Margaret Ward, martyrs

(as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Richard de Mattos (1950); Bishop Cyril Restieaux (1996)

Wednesday 28th February _

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Michael Callery (1915); Fr George Hickey (1955); Canon Leo Arendzen

(1963); Fr William O'Dowd (1992)

Thursday 29th February_____

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Friday 1st March_

White Saint David, BISHOP, Patron of Wales (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

World Day of Prayer (formerly Women's World Day of Prayer)

RIP: Fr Albert Lakin (1949)

Saturday 2nd March

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Third Week of Lent

3rd-9th March - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Almsgiving

Sunday 3rd March

Violet THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, optional Preface of the Samaritan Woman

RCIA: The First Scrutiny with the Presentation of the Creed is celebrated today

RIP: Fr Adrian Chatterton (2016)

Monday 4th March Violet Lenten Feria or Violet Saint Casimir (as a commemoration) At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent Tuesday 5th March_ Violet **Lenten Feria** At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent RIP: Fr Joseph Maguire (2002) Wednesday 6th March Violet **Lenten Feria** At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent RIP: Monsignor Richard Barry-Doyle (1933) Thursday 7th March_____ **Violet Lenten Feria** or Violet Saints Perpetua and Felicity, martyrs (as a commemoration) At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent RIP: Canon Victor Key (1998) Friday 8th March **Violet Lenten Feria** or Violet Saint John of God, religious (as a commemoration) At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent RIP: Fr (Bishop) Arthur Howarth (1942); Fr James Kavanagh (1969); Fr Eamonn O'Hara (2020) Saturday 9th March Violet **Lenten Feria** or Saint Frances of Rome, religious (as a commemoration) Violet At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent RIP: Fr Terence Makings (2010) Visiting Priests (Name, Diocese/Order, Celebret issue date)

Fourth Week of Lent

10th-16th March - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Sacrifice

Sunday 10th March_

Violet or **FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT – LAETARE SUNDAY**

Rose At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, optional Preface of the

Man Born Blind

RCIA: The Second Scrutiny is celebrated today

Monday 11th March _

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr John Jones (1852); Fr Henry Formby (1884); Monsignor William Croft (1926)

Tuesday 12th March_

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Augustus Allen (1909); Canon Thomas O'Keeffe (1981)

Wednesday 13th March

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr Francis Ffrench (1902)

Thursday 14th March _____

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Canon James Dwyer (1900); Fr John Cafferkey (1944)

Friday 15th March____

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Fr John Keogh (1940)

Saturday 16th March_____

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Fifth Week of Lent

17th-23rd March – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Journey

Sunday 17th March

Violet FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (PASSION SUNDAY)

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, optional Preface of Lazarus

The practice of covering Crosses and Images may be observed, with the covering occurring before First Vespers. Crosses remain covered until the end of the celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday; Images remain covered until the beginning of the Easter Vigil

RCIA: The Third Scrutiny with the Presentation of the Our Father is celebrated today

The feast of Saint Patrick, bishop, Patron of Ireland, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor Joseph Stourton (1921); Canon Alfred Hazeland (1940); Monsignor Arthur Bird (1985)

Monday 18th March

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop and doctor (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

RIP: Monsignor William Baigent (1930); Fr Peter Fouchet (1936); Fr Patrick Reidy (1983)

Tuesday 19th March

White SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed recited, Proper Preface The Chapter celebrates Capitular Mass in the Cathedral this lunchtime

Wednesday 20th March

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Alcmund, martyr (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Deacon Joseph Rogan (2015)

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Thursday 21st March

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

RIP: Archbishop William Bernard Ullathorne OSB (1889); Fr James Earley (2021)

Friday 22nd March

Violet Lenten Feria

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Saturday 23rd March

Violet Lenten Feria or

Violet Saint Turibius of Mongrovejo, bishop (as a commemoration)

At Mass: Readings of Lent, Preface of Lent

Mansfield, Saint Philip Neri: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1925)

(SOLEMNITY) (transferred from 24th March)

Sixth Week of Lent – Holy Week

24th-30th March - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Passion

Sunday 24th March

Red PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

At Mass: Gloria omitted, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Proper Preface At all Masses the entry of Jesus into Jerusalem is to be commemorated. At the beginning of the Mass with the largest attendance, the Blessing of Palms and a procession as described on p.297ff of the Roman Missal is recommended. If not possible, the Solemn Entrance on p.308 is celebrated instead. The Solemn Entrance may be used at other Masses, or the Simple Entrance p.309 may be used

The Passion may be proclaimed in the traditional way, with three voices Announce the collection for the Holy Places of Palestine to be taken on Good Friday

RIP: Fr Edward Byron (1980)

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Monday 25th March

Violet MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

At Mass: Readings of Holy Week, Preface II of the Passion of the Lord The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord is transferred to 8th April RIP: Canon John Berry (2020)

Tuesday 26th March

Violet TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

At Mass: Readings of Holy Week, Preface II of the Passion of the Lord RIP: Fr Edward Hothersall (1890); Canon Henry Cafferata (1922)

Wednesday 27th March

Violet WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

At Mass: Readings of Holy Week, Preface II of the Passion of the Lord

White THE CHRISM MASS

Anticipated today in Saint Barnabas Cathedral, 11.30am

This Mass, which the Bishop concelebrates with his presbyterate, should be, as it were, a manifestation of the priests' communion with their Bishop. All clergy throughout the Diocese are earnestly encouraged to participate

RIP: Provost James Jones (1860); Fr Joseph Ketels (1938)

Thursday 28th March (morning)

Violet THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK

Requiem and Funeral Masses are not permitted today Holy Communion may be given at any hour today RIP: Provost James Waterworth (1876)

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The Paschal Triduum

29th-31st March - Proper Psalter - Schools' Word of the Week: Passion

Thursday 28th March (evening)

White MAUNDY THURDAY – THE MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Before the Mass begins the Tabernacle is to be entirely emptied; holy water stoups likewise should be empty and votive candles and other sacramentals removed. All altars, save the High Altar and the altar in the Chapel of Repose, should be stripped before Mass begins

The Mass, which is to be celebrated in all parish churches, and in other churches and oratories only where it can be celebrated with dignity and with the participation of a good-sized congregation, is not to begin until evening, unless the Bishop gives permission otherwise

At Mass all is done as in the Roman Missal, pp.330ff. Gloria (during which the church bells may be rung after the intonation, and then silenced until the Easter Vigil); Readings of the Mass of the Lord's Supper; the Creed isn't recited; the Washing of Feet (if it takes place) occurs after the Homily using twelve members of the community; during the Procession of Gifts offerings for the poor may be brought forward; Proper Preface (with proper inserts for Eucharistic Prayer I)

After Holy Communion has been distributed the Blessed Sacrament reserved for Good Friday remains on the altar until after the Prayer after Communion, at which time a Procession is formed to the Chapel of Repose. The Blessed Sacrament is reserved in the tabernacle with adoration during the night, although if this continues after midnight it should be without solemnity The altar is stripped after Mass is concluded

Office: Vespers need not be said by those present at the Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday 29th March

Red FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD – GOOD FRIDAY

No Mass is celebrated today, and no sacraments are celebrated today, except Penance and Anointing of the Sick. Viaticum may be taken to the sick at any hour

At the Celebration of the Passion of the Lord, celebrated at 3.00pm or thereabouts, the altar is completely bare and musical instruments are silent. All is done as in the Roman Missal, pp.346ff

A Collection is taken for the Holy Places of Palestine

Office: Vespers need not be said by those who were present at the Solemn Liturgy

A day of fasting and abstinence

Public Holiday

RIP: Canon Leo Moens (1961)

Saturday 30th March (daytime)

Violet HOLY SATURDAY

No Mass is celebrated today, and no sacraments are celebrated today, except Penance and Anointing of the Sick

Viaticum may be taken to the sick at any hour

RIP: Fr James Kearns (1966)

present at the Easter Vigil

(during the night)

White THE EASTER VIGIL

At the Celebration of the Easter Vigil, which must be celebrated during the hours of true darkness, all is done as in the Roman Missal, pp.376ff Readings of the Mass of the Easter Vigil (seven from the Old Testament are provided; if pastoral circumstances suggest it the number may be reduced even to three, or even two in particularly urgent cases; the Reading from the Book of Exodus is never to be omitted), Gloria (during which the church bells may be rung after the intonation), the Creed isn't recited but the Renewal of Baptismal Promises takes its place, followed by the blessing with the blessed water, Proper Preface (and proper inserts of Easter if Eucharistic Prayer I), the Dismissal ends with a double Alleluia for both celebrant and congregation Office: Compline, and Office of Readings for Easter Day, are omitted by those

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The Season of Eastertide

Cycle of Prayer during Eastertide, we pray for these intentions:

New Members of the Church

Human Work

Vocations

Survivors of Abuse

The Right Use of the Media

The Church

The Paschal Candle is kept in the sanctuary (near the altar or the ambo) until Pentecost Sunday inclusive

The *Regina Caeli* is to be prayed at the end of Compline, other Marian Anthems are not permitted during the Easter Season. The *Regina Caeli* is also prayed in place of the Angelus

Votive Masses or daily Masses for the dead are not permitted during Eastertide unless there is some urgent pastoral need

First Week of Eastertide - Easter Week

31st March – 6th April – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Alleluia

Sunday 31st March

White EASTER DAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

At Easter Day Mass: Gloria, Readings of Easter Day (with the optional Emmaus Gospel for Masses in the evening of Easter Day) Sequence, Creed or the Renewal of Baptismal Promises (in Masses with a congregation), Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), the Dismissal ends with a double Alleluia for both celebrant and congregation

Start of British Summer Time. Clocks go forward one hour at 2.00am today RIP: Fr Joseph Gernon (1889); Canon John Kind (1927)

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Monday 1st April

White MONDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd April

White TUESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

The optional memorial of Saint Francis of Paola, hermit, is omitted

Wednesday 3rd April

White WEDNESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

RIP: Fr Geoffrey Kitchin (1990)

Thursday 4th April

White THURSDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

The optional memorial of Saint Isidore, bishop and doctor, is omitted RIP: Fr Cyril Horspool (1956); Fr David Everitt (2010)

Friday 5th April

White FRIDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

No Friday Abstinence today

The optional memorial of Saint Vincent Ferrer, priest, is omitted

RIP: Fr William Lieber (1924)

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Saturday 6th April

White SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed omitted, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), Dismissal with double Alleluia

RIP: Fr Michael Conlon (1952); Bishop James Joseph McGuinness, eighth Bishop of Nottingham (2007)

Second Week of Eastertide - Low Week

7th-13th April – Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Mercy

Sunday 7th April

White SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER – DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

At Easter Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Octave Day, optional Sequence, Creed, Preface I of Easter (and Proper inserts if Eucharistic Prayer I), the Dismissal ends with a double Alleluia for both celebrant and congregation

The memorial of Saint John Baptiste de la Salle, priest, is omitted Second Vespers of the Sunday

Monday 8th April

White THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed (all kneel briefly at "et incarnatus est..."), Proper Preface (transferred from 25th March)

RIP: Monsignor Peter Dooling (2011)

Tuesday 9th April _____

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Melton Mowbray: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1842) (SOLEMNITY) (transferred from 7th April)

RIP: Monsignor Bernard Allen (1986); Deacon John Parker (2019)

Wednesday 10th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr Richard Sibthorp (1879); Fr Charles McCabe (1883); Canon Owen O'Neill (2021)

Thursday 11th April

Red Saint Stanislaus, bishop and martyr

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the memorial RIP: Fr Angelus van Paemel (1885); Fr Francis Horvath (2005)

Friday 12th April

White Easter Feria or

White Saint Guthlac (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the optional memorial RIP: Canon Michael O'Reilly (1936); Fr Stephan Foster (2020)

Saturday 13th April

White Easter Feria or

Red Saint Martin I, pope and martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr Joseph McGovern (2020)

Third Week of Eastertide

14th-20th April - Psalter Week 3: Schools' Word of the Week: Faith

Sunday 14th April

White THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Easter Announce the second collection for the Clergy Formation Fund to be taken next Sunday

RIP: Canon Edward Douglass (1900); Canon Francis Firth (1954)

Monday 15th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Swadlincote: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1978) (SOLEMNITY) (transferred

from 14th April)

Birstall: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1988) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Thomas Gillett (1867)

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Tuesday 16th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr Laurence Hill (1964); Canon Robert Thornhill (1976); Fr Kenneth Bennett (2000)

Wednesday 17th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Thursday 18th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr Edward Smith (1867); Fr Michael Kirby (1915); Fr John Abbott (2017)

Friday 19th April _____

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr James McKay (1884); Fr Anthony Colebrook (2021)

Saturday 20th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Fourth Week of Eastertide

21st-27th April – Psalter Week 4 – Schools' Word of the Week: Vocation

Sunday 21st April

White FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Easter

World Day of Prayer for Vocations: on this Sunday special prayers should be offered for priestly, diaconal, and religious vocations

Second collection for the Clergy Formation Fund

The optional memorial of Saint Anselm, bishop and doctor, is omitted

Monday 22nd April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Crowle: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1875) (SOLEMNITY) (transferred from

21st April)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

Tuesday 23rd April

Red SAINT GEORGE, MARTYR, PATRON OF ENGLAND (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface of Martyrs

Wednesday 24th April

White Easter Feria or

Red Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest and martyr (optional memorial) or

Red Saint Adalbert, bishop and martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the optional memorial

Derby, Saint George: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1948) (SOLEMNITY)

(transferred from 23rd April)

Eastwood: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1947) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Hubert de Burgh (1901)

Thursday 25th April

Red Saint Mark, Evangelist (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles II

RIP: Deacon John Timson (2018)

Friday 26th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Canon Colin Mitchell (1985)

Saturday 27th April

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr Matthew O'Meara (1992)

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Fifth Week of Eastertide

28th April-4th May - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Witness

Sunday 28th April

White FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Easter

The optional memorials of Saint Peter Chanel, priest and martyr, and of Saint

Louis Marie de Montfort, priest, are omitted

RIP: Canon Thomas Byrne (1926)

Monday 29th April

White Saint Catherine of Siena, virgin and doctor, Patron of Europe (feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Virgins

Day of Special Prayer for Europe

Leicester, Our Lady of Good Counsel: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1975)

(SOLEMNITY)

Tuesday 30th April_

White Easter Feria or

White Saint Pius V, pope (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the optional memorial

Day of Special Prayer for the Survivors of Sexual Abuse

Beeston: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1975) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Canon Charles Adams (1986)

Wednesday 1st May

White Easter Feria or

White Saint Joseph the Worker (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, or of the optional memorial (proper to the

optional memorial), Preface of Easter or of the optional memorial

Grantham: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1833) (SOLEMNITY)

Golden Jubilee of Father Simon Giles IC; Ad multos annos!

RIP: Fr Amadeus Gavois (1892)

Thursday 2nd May

White Saint Athanasius, bishop and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the memorial

RIP: Fr Daniel Clavin (1996); Fr Bernard Bedford (2000); Deacon Anthony Brown (2008)

Friday 3rd May

Red SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles **Spilsby**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1925) (SOLEMNITY)

West Bridgford: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1974) (SOLEMNITY)

Saturday 4th May _

Red THE ENGLISH MARTYRS (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Martyrs The Diocesan Melwood Pilgrimage is celebrated today

Shepshed: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1945) (SOLEMNITY)

Nottingham, St Teresa of Lisieux: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1991)

(SOLEMNITY)

Sixth Week of Eastertide

5th-11th May – Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Example

Sunday 5th May

White SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Easter

Diocesan Safeguarding Sunday

Announce the second collection for Catholic Communications to be taken next

The Diocesan Beauvale Pilgrimage is celebrated today

Monday 6th May_____

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Market Harborough: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1949) (SOLEMNITY)

(transferred from 5th May)

Bank Holiday

RIP: Deacon Harry Tompkinson (2016)

Tuesday 7th May

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

RIP: Fr James McGhie (1982)

Wednesday 8th May

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter

Bulwell: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1951) (SOLEMNITY)

(evening)

White THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of the Ascension of the Lord, Creed, Proper Preface (and Proper insert if Eucharistic Prayer I)

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Thursday 9th May_

White THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (SOLEMNITY)

Holy Day of Obligation (Missa Pro Populo)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Proper Preface (and Proper

insert if Eucharistic Prayer I) RIP: Fr George le Roy (1920)

Friday 10th May

White Easter Feria or

White Saint John of Avila, priest and doctor (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension or of the optional memorial

RIP: Canon James King (1863); Fr Joseph Wakefield (1983)

Saturday 11th May_

White Easter Feria or

Red Saints John Houghton, Robert Lawrence, priests, and Companions:

The Martyrs of Nottinghamshire (optional memorial)

(Diocesan Supplement p 9)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension or of the

optional memorial

RIP: Fr Edmund Smith (1916)

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Seventh Week of Eastertide

12th-18th May - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Communication

Sunday 12th May

White SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension

World Communications Day

Second collection for Catholic Communications

The optional memorials of Saints Nereus and Achilleus, martyrs, and of Saint Pancras, martyr, are omitted

Monday 13th May_

White Easter Feria or

White Our Lady of Fatima (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Deans meet with the Bishop today; and Deaneries meet this week RIP: Monsignor Thomas Drury (1956); Fr Philip Morris (1995)

Tuesday 14th May_

Red Saint Matthias, apostle (feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

Leicester, Holy Cross: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1958) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Canon John Merrigan (1957); Fr Thomas Godley (1992); Fr Augustine White (2011)

Wednesday 15th May

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension RIP: Fr Michael Quigley (1984); Provost James Cantwell (2003)

Thursday 16th May

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension Diamond Jubilee of Father Michael Tutcher; *Ad multos annos!*

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Friday 17th May

White Easter Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension **New Mills**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1895) (SOLEMNITY) **Marple Bridge**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1945) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Canon William Collingwood (1950)

Saturday 18th May (morning)

White Easter Feria or

Red Saint John I, pope and martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Preface of Easter or of the Ascension or of the optional memorial

Pentecost

19th May - Schools' Word of the Week: Pentecost

Saturday 18th (evening)

Red PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of Pentecost (with additional Readings if the extended Vigil is celebrated), Creed, Proper Preface (and insert of Pentecost if Eucharistic Prayer I), the Dismissal ends with a double Alleluia for both celebrant and congregation

Sunday 19th May

Red PENTECOST SUNDAY (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Proper Preface (and Proper insert if Eucharistic Prayer I), the Dismissal ends with a double Alleluia for both celebrant and congregation

Day of Special Prayer for the Church

The optional memorial of Saint Dunstan, bishop, is omitted

RIP: Fr Francis Hays (1943)

Season of Ordinary Time (Summer)

Cycle of Prayer during Ordinary Time – Summer (until September), we pray for these intentions:

A Deeper Understanding between Christians and Jews

Those who Suffer Persecution, Oppression, and Denial of Human Rights

Europe

Human Life

Seafarers

The Angelus resumes

At Compline the Marian Anthem Salve Regina is recommended

Seventh Week of Ordinary Time

20th-25th May - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Pentecost

Monday 20th May

White Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Worldwide Day of Prayer for the Church in China

The optional memorial of Saint Bernadine of Siena, priest, is omitted

Barton upon Humber: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (2007) (SOLEMNITY)

Tuesday 21st May_

Green Feria or

Red Saint Christopher of Magallanes, priest, and Companions, martyrs (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Nottingham, Holy Family: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (MOST SACRED HEART, 1945) (SOLEMNITY)

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Wednesday 22nd May

Green Feria or

White Saint Rita of Cascia, religious (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Fr Gerard McSpirit (2001); Fr Derl Daly (2009)

Thursday 23rd May

White Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest (Feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Proper Preface

RIP: Canon Christopher McKeown (1982); Fr Charles Wall (2003)

Friday 24th May

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface

Ilkeston: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1930) (SOLEMNITY)

Derby, Christ the King: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1978) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Edward Hickey (1882)

Saturday 25th May

White Saint Bede the Venerable, priest and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the memorial The optional memorials of Saint Gregory VII, pope, and of Saint Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, virgin, are omitted

Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

26th May-1st June - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Trinity

Sunday 26th May

White THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Proper Preface

The memorial of Saint Philip Neri, priest, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor Thomas Drury (1956); Fr Philip Morris (1995)

Monday 27th May_

White SAINT AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY, BISHOP, (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

Bank Holiday

RIP: Fr Charles Cossins (1939)

Tuesday 28th May Green Feria At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface Hadfield: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1926) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Canon Hugh Kavanagh (1927); Fr John Mack (2009); Fr Joseph Duggan (2013)Wednesday 29th May Green Feria or White Saint Paul VI, pope (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the optional memorial Silver Jubilee of Father Slawomir Hermanowicz; Ad multos annos! Thursday 30th May_ Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Long Eaton: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1980) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr William Walsh (1980) Friday 31st May_ THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (FEAST) White At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of the Blessed Virgin Mary RIP: Fr John Hogan (1919) Saturday 1st June Red Saint Justin, martyr (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Michael O'Reilly (1935)

Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

2nd-8th June – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Eucharist

Sunday 2nd June

White THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST – CORPUS CHRISTI (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Sequence optional, Creed, Proper Preface All Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion should renew their commitment at Mass today. The Rite is contained in the Handbook for EMHCs. It is desirable that a procession takes place after the Mass at which the Host to be carried in procession is consecrated. Nothing prohibits a procession from taking place after a public and lengthy period of adoration following the Mass The optional memorial of Saints Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs, is omitted RIP: Fr Joseph Donohue (1906); Canon Paul Klee (1983); Fr Neil McLaughlin (2019)

Monday 3rd June _

Red Saints Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs of Uganda (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the memorial The Council of Priests, and the Bishop's Council, meet today RIP: Fr Francis Holmes (1938)

Tuesday 4th June

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr James Daly (1864); Canon Aloysius Martens (1916); Fr Peter Arostegui (1959); Fr Frank Gavin (2011)

Wednesday 5th June

Red Saint Boniface of Crediton, bishop and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Francis Royds (1937); Fr Andrew Murdoch (1982)

Thursday 6th June

White Saint Norbert, bishop (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the day, Common Preface or of the memorial

Friday 7th	lune
White	THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS (SOLEMNITY)
	At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Proper Preface
	World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests
	No Friday Abstinence today
0 . 1 0	RIP: Fr Patrick Brady (1936)
Saturday 8	
White	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (memorial)
	At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of the
	Blessed Virgin Mary
	RIP: Bishop John Francis McNulty, sixth Bishop of Nottingham (1943)
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	Week of Ordinary Time - Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship
9th-15th June	- Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship
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9th-15th June Sunday 9th	- Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
9th-15th June Sunday 9th	Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays
9th-15th June Sunday 9th	Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays
9th-15th June Sunday 9th	Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Missionary Discipleship Tenth Sunday of the Year At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint
9th-15th June Sunday 9th	June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted
9th-15th June Sunday 9th	June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted Announce the second collection for Day for Life to be taken next Sunday Derby, Saint Alban: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976) (SOLEMNITY)
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9th-15th June Sunday 9th Green Monday 10	Tenth Sunday of the Year At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted Announce the second collection for Day for Life to be taken next Sunday Derby, Saint Alban: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976) (SOLEMNITY) Pth June Feria
9th-15th June Sunday 9th Green Monday 10	June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted Announce the second collection for Day for Life to be taken next Sunday Derby, Saint Alban: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976) (SOLEMNITY) The June Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr James Ferguson (1949); Fr John Simon (1956)
9th-15th June Sunday 9th Green Monday 10 Green	June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted Announce the second collection for Day for Life to be taken next Sunday Derby, Saint Alban: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976) (SOLEMNITY) The June Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr James Ferguson (1949); Fr John Simon (1956)
9th-15th June Sunday 9th Green Monday 10 Green Tuesday 1	June TENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays The optional memorials of Saint Ephraem, deacon and doctor, and of Saint Columba, abbot, are omitted Announce the second collection for Day for Life to be taken next Sunday Derby, Saint Alban: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1976) (SOLEMNITY) The June Feria At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr James Ferguson (1949); Fr John Simon (1956)

CATHEDRAL (SOLEMNITY, RED)

RIP: Fr James Power (1951)

Wednesday 12th June Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Canon Peter Coyle (2017) Thursday 13th June Saint Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor (memorial) White At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Canon James Browne (1925) Friday 14th June **Feria** Green At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Saturday 15th June Green Feria or Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary The Diocesan Walsingham Pilgrimage is celebrated today RIP: Canon Garrett Sweeney (1979); Canon Francis McNicholas (1988) Eleventh Week of Ordinary Time 16th-22nd June – Psalter Week 3 – Schools' Word of the Week: Evangelise Sunday 16th June Green **ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR** At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Day for Life Second collection for Day for Life The optional memorial of Saint Richard of Chichester is omitted RIP: Fr Leonard Middleton (1940: Fr John Shaw (2011)

Monday 17th June_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr John Wenham (1927); Fr Thomas Fitzgerald (2003)

Tuesday 18th June

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Fr William Yates (1899); Canon Philip Soar (1993)

Wednesday 19th June

Green Feria or

White Saint Romuald, abbot (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Fr Benjamin Choyce (2010)

Thursday 20th June

Green Feria or

Red Saint Alban, martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr Peter Hawker (2004)

Friday 21st June

White Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, religious (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Diamond Jubilee of Father John Joe Maloney, and of Father Michael Gallagher; *Ad multos annos!*

RIP: Fr Ronald Hudson (1970)

Saturday 22nd June_

Red Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, martyrs (feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Martyrs

The Diocesan Families' Day is celebrated today

Knighton: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1972) (SOLEMNITY) **Forest Town**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1989) (SOLEMNITY)

The optional memorial of Saint Paulinus of Nola, bishop, is omitted

RIP: Fr Edward McGreavy (1863)

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Twelfth Week of Ordinary Time

23rd-29th June - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Awe and Wonder

Sunday 23rd June (morning)

Green TWELFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Announce the second collection for Peter's Pence to be taken next Sunday The optional memorial of Saint Etheldreda (Audrey), virgin, is omitted RIP: Fr Dominic Hengel (1940); Fr John Dowd (1973)

(evening)

White THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

At Masses celebrated in the evening: the Proper Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist, Creed, Proper Preface

Monday 24th June_____

White THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist, Creed, Proper Preface

The Chapter celebrates Capitular Mass in the Cathedral this lunchtime

Tuesday 25th June

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Canon Joseph Bick (1860)

Wednesday 26th June_____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Silver Jubilee of Father Anthony Rattigan OP; Ad multos annos!

Thursday 27th June

Green Feria or

White Saint Cyril of Alexandria, bishop and doctor (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Bishop Robert Brindle, fourth Bishop of Nottingham (1916); Monsignor Henry Lindeboom (1954)

Friday 28th June

Red Saint Irenaeus, bishop and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Saturday 29th June (morning)

Green Feria or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Golden Jubilee of Father Gerry Murphy; Ad multos annos!

(evening)

Red SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of Saints Peter and Paul,

Creed, Proper Preface

Thirteenth Week of Ordinary Time

30th June-6th July - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Fortitude

Sunday 30th June

Red SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES (SOLEMNITY)

Holy Day of Obligation (Missa Pro Populo) (transferred from 29th June)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Mass of Saints Peter and Paul, Creed, Proper Preface

Day of Special Prayer (in England and Wales) for the Holy Father, Pope Francis Second collection for Peter's Pence

The optional memorial of the First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church is omitted The Diocesan Rodsley Pilgrimage is celebrated today

RIP: Bishop Robert William Willson (1866); Fr Thomas Leith (1873); Fr James McCarthy (1957); Fr John Foley (1980)

Monday 1st July Green Feria or Red Saint Oliver Plunket, bishop and martyr (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr John Kevin Gradwell (2023); Deacon Stephen Doona (2023) Tuesday 2nd July ____ Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Canon Philip McCarthy (1908) Wednesday 3rd July Red SAINT THOMAS, APOSTLE (FEAST) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles Anniversary of the Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Patrick McKinney (2015) Thursday 4th July _ Green Feria or White Saint Elizabeth of Portugal (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr John Atthill (1963); Fr Joseph Finneran (1999); Fr Robert Rutledge (2022) Friday 5th July_ Feria or Green White Saint Anthony Zaccaria, priest (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial Stamford: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1952) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr Algernon Moore (1880); Fr Claude Bostock (1956)

Saturday 6th July

Green Feria or

Red Saint Maria Goretti, virgin and martyr (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Earl Shilton: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1983) (SOLEMNITY) **South Wigston**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1905) (SOLEMNITY)

Golden Jubilee of Father Peter Ingman; Ad multos annos!

RIP: Bishop Edward Ellis, seventh Bishop of Nottingham (1979)

Fourteenth Week of Ordinary Time

7th-13th July - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Teaching

Sunday 7th July

Green FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Announce the second collection for Stella Maris to be taken next Sunday The Inter-Diocesan Padley Pilgrimage is celebrated today

Monday 8th July _

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Tuesday 9th July_

Green Feria or

Red Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, priest, and Companions, martyrs (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr Henry Hall (1876)

Wednesday 10th July

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Thursday 11th July

White Saint Benedict, ABBOT, Patron of Europe (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

Day of Special Prayer for Europe

Glossop, All Saints: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1936) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Terence Nunn (1960)

Friday 12th July_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Timothy Shanahan (1970)

Saturday 13th July_

Green Feria or

White Saint Henry (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr Isaac Hanks (1894); Fr Thomas Bayley (1937); Fr Simon Nolan (1989); Fr Louis Kovacs (2004); Fr Joseph Henry (2005)

Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time

14th–20th July – Psalter Week 3 – Schools' Word of the Week: Gratitude

Sunday 14th July

Green FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Sea Sunday; Day of Special Prayer for Seafarers

Second collection for Stella Maris (send to Stella Maris directly)

The optional memorial of Saint Camillus de Lellis, priest, is omitted

The Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage begins this week

RIP: Fr Rudolph Elwes (1962)

Monday 15th July _

White Saint Bonaventure, bishop and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Michael Griffin (1925); Monsignor Christopher Fisher (2000)

Tuesday 16th July Green Feria or White **Our Lady of Mount Carmel (optional memorial)** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Marv Wednesday 17th July_ Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Silver Jubilee of Father Michael Kirkham; Ad multos annos! RIP: Canon Herbert Quin (1985), Fr Kenneth O'Riordan (2012) Thursday 18th July Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Friday 19th July_ **Feria** Green At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface RIP: Canon Peter McDonagh (2001) Saturday 20th July_ Green Feria or Red Saint Apollinaris, bishop and martyr (optional memorial) or Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary Golden Jubilee of Canon Michael Moore; Ad multos annos! RIP: Canon Christopher Turner (2003)

Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time

21st-27th July - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Celebration

Sunday 21st July

Green SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

World Day of Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly

The optional memorial of Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, priest and doctor, is omitted

RIP: Provost John McIlroy (1937)

Monday 22nd July_

White Saint Mary Magdalene (Feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Proper Preface of the Feast

RIP: Canon Joseph Hawkins (1913); Fr John Brown (1915); Fr Thomas Moloney (1994)

Tuesday 23rd July_

White Saint Bridget, Patron of Europe (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Saints

Day of Special Prayer for Europe

RIP: Fr John Daine (1928)

Wednesday 24th July _____

Green Feria or

White Saint Sharbel Makhluf, priest (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Fr Nicholas McCrickard (1931)

Thursday 25th July _____

Red SAINT JAMES, APOSTLE (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

Friday 26th July_

White Saints Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Buxton: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1897) (SOLEMNITY)

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Saturday 27	• •	
Green	Feria or	
Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)		
	At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin	
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Sevent	eenth Week of Ordinary Time	
28th July-3rd A	ugust – Psalter Week 1 – Schools' Word of the Week: Thanksgiving	
Sunday 28th	¹ July	
Green	SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	
	At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays	
	RIP: Fr Thomas Chapman (1951)	
Monday 29	th July	
White	Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus (memorial)	
	At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of Saints	
	Nottingham, Saint Paul: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1979) (SOLEMNITY)	
Tuesday 30) th July	
Green	Feria or	
White	Saint Peter Chrysologus, bishop and doctor (optional memorial)	
	At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional	
	memorial	
	RIP: Fr John Fox (1965)	
Wednesday	/ 31 st July	
White	Saint Ignatius of Loyola, priest (memorial)	
	At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial	
	RIP: Canon Francis Busch (1946); Fr John Mallender (1954); Fr John Dunne	
	(1961)	

Thursday 1st August

White Saint Alphonsus Liguori, bishop and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Portiuncula Indulgence: From midday on 1st August until midnight on 2nd August a plenary indulgence may be gained by visiting a parish church and there reciting the Our Father and one of the Creeds, in addition to the usual conditions of Confession, Holy Communion, and prayers for the Holy Father's intentions. This indulgence may be gained only once per year

Friday 2nd August

Green Feria or

White Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop (optional memorial) or White Saint Peter Julian Eymard, priest, (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr John Grimshaw (1978)

Saturday 3rd August

Green Feria or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Canon Edward Whitehouse (1868); Fr Douglas Key (1958); Fr David Bradbury (1967); Canon Michael Gilleran (1976)

Eighteenth Week of Ordinary Time

4th-10th August – Psalter Week 2 – Schools' Word of the Week: Generosity

Sunday 4th August

Green Eighteenth Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

The memorial of Saint John Vianney, priest, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor Maurice Parmentier (1962)

Monday 5th August Green Feria or White **Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major (optional memorial)** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Marv RIP: Fr John Ross (1858) Tuesday 6th August _____ White THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD (FEAST) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of the Transfiguration RIP: Fr Louis de Boulaye (1936) Wednesday 7th August____ Green Feria or Saint Sixtus II, pope, and Companions, martyrs (optional memorial) Red or Saint Cajetan, priest (optional memorial) White At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial RIP: Fr Henry MacDonald (1981) Thursday 8th August White Saint Dominic, priest (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Friday 9th August_ SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS, VIRGIN AND MARTYR, PATRON OF Red **EUROPE (FEAST)** At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Saints Day of Special Prayer for Europe RIP: Monsignor Benjamin Hulme (1852) Saturday 10th August _____ Red SAINT LAWRENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR (FEAST) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Martvrs RIP: Canon John Nickolds (1886); Fr John Goodwin (1965)

Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time

11th-17th August - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Positivity

Sunday 11th August

Green NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

The memorial of Saint Clare, virgin, is omitted this year

RIP: Canon John Hoeben (1900)

Monday 12th August_

Green Feria or

White Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, religious (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Tuesday 13th August

Green Feria or

Red Saints Pontian, pope, and Hippolytus, priest, martyrs (optional

memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Monsignor William Tasker (1906)

Wednesday 14th August (morning)

(evening)

Red Saint Maximilian Maria Kolbe, priest and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

RIP: Fr Julian de Quintrec (1881); Fr Charles Croucher (1947)

White THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

At the Vigil Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Vigil Mass of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Creed, Preface of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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Thursday 15th August _____

White THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (SOLEMNITY)

Holy Day of Obligation (Missa Pro Populo)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Creed,

Preface of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr Anthony O'Dowd (2010)

Friday 16th August _

Green Feria or

White Saint Stephen of Hungary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr John Cairns (2021)

Saturday 17th August

Green Feria or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin

Mary

RIP: Fr Vincent Rush (1998)

Twentieth Week of Ordinary Time

18th-24th August – Psalter Week 4 – Schools' Word of the Week: Heaven

Sunday 18th August

Green Twentieth Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Monday 19th August_____

Green Feria or

White Saint John Eudes, priest (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr Oliver Wilson (2002)

Tuesday 20th August

White Saint Bernard, abbot and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Mount Saint Bernard Abbey: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1945)

(SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Monsignor James Hargreaves (1955)

Wednesday 21st August

White Saint Pius X, pope (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Thomas Birmingham (1920); Canon Matthew O'Reilly (1934)

Thursday 22nd August

White The Queenship of Mary (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the memorial ((proper to the memorial), Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr James Leahy (1999)

Friday 23rd August_

Green Feria or

White Saint Rose of Lima, virgin (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Fr Michael Quane (1999); Fr Stephen Lennon (2006)

Saturday 24th August _

Red SAINT BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

Twenty-First Week of Ordinary Time

25th-31st August - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Beginnings

Sunday 25th August

Green Twenty-First Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

The optional memorials of Saint Louis, and of Saint Joseph Calasanz, priest, are omitted

RIP: Fr Sydney Heald (1948)

Monday 26th August Green Feria or White Blessed Dominic of the Mother of God, priest (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial Bank Holiday Tuesday 27th August _ White Saint Monica (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Monsignor Mark Swaby (1987) Wednesday 28th August_ Saint Augustine, bishop and doctor (memorial) White At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Silver Jubilee of Father Raphael Imoni; Ad multos annos! RIP: Fr John Feeley (2013) Thursday 29th August _ Red The Passion of Saint John the Baptist (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of Saint John the Baptist Friday 30th August White THE DEDICATION OF OUR CATHEDRAL (FEAST) (DIOCESAN SUPPLEMENT P.10) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of the Dedication of a Church Saint Barnabas Cathedral: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1844) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr William Harrison (1867); Fr William Otty (1905) Saturday 31st August ____ Green Feria or White Saint Aidan, bishop, and Saints of Lindisfarne (optional memorial) or **Gn** or WhSaturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary Fr Brian Welsh (2009)

Season of Ordinary Time (Autumn)

Cycle of Prayer during Ordinary Time – Autumn (from September); we pray for these intentions:

Students and Teachers

The Spread of the Gospel

The Harvest

The Fruits of Human Work, and the Reverent Use of Creation

Justice and Peace in the World

All Victims of War

Young People

Prisoners and their Families

Twenty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

1st-6th September - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Welcome

Sunday 1st September

Green Twenty-Second Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

Optional: announce the second collection for the Catholic Education Service

which may be taken next Sunday

Monday 2nd September _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Canon James Monaghan (2001)

Tuesday 3rd September _____

White Saint Gregory the Great, pope and doctor (feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

Wednesday 4th September_

Green Feria or

White Saint Cuthbert, bishop (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr Arthur McKey (1889)

Thursday 5th September

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Francis van Neste (1932)

Friday 6th September_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Clement Holland (1905)

Saturday 7th September_

Green Feria or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Twenty-Third Week of Ordinary Time

8th-14th September - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Encounter

Sunday 8th September

Green Twenty-Third Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Education Day, Day of Special Prayer for Education

Optional Second Collection for the Catholic Education Service

Announce the second collection for *Evangelii Gaudium* Day to be taken next

Sunday

The feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is omitted

RIP: Fr John Cummins (1947); Deacon Brendan Campbell (2016)

Monday 9th September

Green Feria or

White Saint Peter Claver, priest (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Tuesday 10th September

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Wednesday 11th September Green **Feria** At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface Thursday 12th September Feria or Green White Most Holy Name of Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary Lincoln, Saints Peter and Paul: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1968) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr Patrick O'Hanlon (1972) Friday 13th September White Saint John Chrysostom, bishop and doctor (memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Saturday 14th September THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS (FEAST) Red At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast (one Reading only before the Gospel), Preface of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross Office: Second Vespers of the Feast (unless celebrated in public, in which case First Vespers of Sunday may be celebrated) RIP: Fr John Birch (1889) Twenty-Fourth Week of Ordinary Time 15th-21st September - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Identity Sunday 15th September Green TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Evangelii Gaudium Day, Day of Special Prayer for the Spread of the Gospel Second collection for Evangelii Gaudium Day The memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows is omitted

Monday 16th September

Red Saints Cornelius, pope, and Cyprian, bishop, martyrs (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Charles Kerin (1904); Fr Oswald Lofthouse (1985)

Tuesday 17th September _

Green Feria or

White Saint Robert Bellarmine, bishop and doctor (optional memorial) or White Saint Hildegard of Bingen, virgin and doctor (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Wednesday 18th September

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr L Paul Casartelli (2001), Deacon Robert Dawson (2019)

Thursday 19th September

Green Feria or

Red Saint Januarius, bishop and martyr (optional memorial) *or*White Saint Theodore of Canterbury, bishop (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Canon Joseph West (1942)

Friday 20th September ___

Red Saints Andrew Kim Taegon, priest, and Paul Chong Hasang, and Companions, martyrs (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Saturday 21st September _____

Red Saint Matthew, apostle and evangelist (feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

Nottingham, Saint Augustine: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1940) (SOLEMNITY)

Coalville: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1967) (SOLEMNITY)

Leicester, Saint John Bosco: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1984) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Bishop Thomas Dunn, fifth Bishop of Nottingham (1931); Canon Alfred Baldwin (1988); Deacon Peter Allen (2008)

Twenty-Fifth Week of Ordinary Time

22nd-28th September - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Understanding

Sunday 22nd September

Green TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Day of Thanksgiving for the Harvest, and for the Fruits of Human Work (a Mass may be celebrated for this intention: Masses for Various Needs and Occasions number 28; Missal p.1357)

First Sunday Mass Count to be taken today

Monday 23rd September _____

White Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, priest (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Lincoln, Our Lady of Lincoln: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1975) (SOLEMNITY)

Deans meet with the Bishop today; and Deaneries meet this week

RIP: Canon Francis Cheadle (1886)

Tuesday 24^h September ____

White Our Lady of Walsingham (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Leicester, Saint Joseph: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1975) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Joseph Carty (2005)

Wednesday 25th September_____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Michael Egan (1946); Canon John Farmer (1962); Father Hugh Doherty (2021)

Thursday 26th September

Green Feria or

Red Saints Cosmas and Damian, martyrs (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial RIP: Fr Terence Fellows (2020)

Friday 27th September

White Saint Vincent de Paul, priest (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

RIP: Fr Edward Casey (1918)

Saturday 28th September_

Green Feria or

Red Saint Wenceslaus, martyr (optional memorial) or

Red Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, martyrs (optional memorial)

or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP Fr Joseph Jones (1980)

Twenty-Sixth Week of Ordinary Time

29th September - 5th October - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Solidarity

Sunday 29th September

Green Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day envelopes to be given out today

Second Sunday Mass Count to be taken today

The feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, archangels, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor Arthur McKenna (1917); Fr Luke Prendergast (1937); Fr Bernard Grimley (1950)

Monday 30th September

White Saint Jerome, priest and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Monsignor John McLean (1985); Deacon James Baxter (2019)

Tuesday 1st October

White Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial Traditional October Devotions begin today

RIP: Canon Michael Scully (1890); Father Patrick O'Doherty (2021)

Wednesday 2nd October

White The Holy Guardian Angels (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of the Angels

Tuesday 3rd October

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Boston: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1946) (SOLEMNITY) **Hucknall**: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1973) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Frederick Brown (195)

Friday 4th October_

White Saint Francis of Assisi (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day

RIP: Fr John Troop (2006); Fr John Sullivan (2022)

Saturday 5th October

Green Feria or

White Saint Faustina Kowalska, virgin (optional memorial) or

Red Blesseds Robert Sutton, Anthony Turner, George Douglas, and

Companions: The Martyrs of Leicestershire (optional memorial)

(Diocesan Supplement p.11) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Leicester, Saint Peter: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1978) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Henry Laverty (1893); Canon Henry Dobson (1906)

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Twenty-Seventh Week of Ordinary Time

6th-12th October - Psalter Week 3 - Schools' Word of the Week: Rosary

Sunday 6th October

Green Twenty-Seventh Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day envelopes collected today (send to CAFOD directly)

Third Sunday Mass Count to be taken today

The Bishop's *Statement on Marriage* to be read / published today, see the introduction, note 10

The optional memorial of Saint Bruno, priest, is omitted

RIP: Canon Louis Williamson (1967)

Monday 7th October

White Our Lady of the Rosary (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Preface of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Derby, Our Lady of Lourdes: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1982)

(SOLEMNITY)

The Council of Priests, and the Bishop's Council, meet today

RIP: Fr Frederick Askew (1962)

Tuesday 8th October _

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Monsignor Herman Sabela (1914); Fr Peter Feskens (1942)

Wednesday 9th October

White Saint John Henry Newman, Priest (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Pastors

RIP: Canon John Gascoyne (1880); Fr Ambrose Steen (1991)

Thursday 10th October

White Saint Paulinus, bishop, and the Anglo-Saxon Saints of our Diocese (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial The Chapter celebrates Capitular Mass in the Cathedral this lunchtime

RIP: Fr Francis Lang (1966); Canon James Beel (1981)

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Friday 11th October

Green Feria or

Red Saint Denis, bishop, and Companions, martyrs (optional memorial) or

White Saint John Leonardi, priest (optional memorial) or

White Saint John XXIII, pope (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Saturday 12th October

Green Feria or

White Saint Wilfrid, bishop (optional memorial) or

White Saint Hilda of Whitby, religious (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Monsignor Henry Hunt (1956); Fr Patrick Blackwell (1992): Deacon John Tear (2000)

Twenty-Eighth Week of Ordinary Time

13th-19th October - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Poverty

Sunday 13th October

Green Twenty-Eighth Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

Start of Prisoners' Week (until Saturday 19th October)

Announce the second collection for World Mission Sunday to be taken next Sunday

Fourth (and final) Sunday Mass Count to be taken today

The optional memorial of Saint Edward the Confessor is omitted

RIP: Fr Philip O'Mara (1995)

Monday 14th October Green Feria or Saint Callistus I, pope and martyr (optional memorial) Red At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial RIP: Canon Christopher Monahan (1894) Tuesday 15th October _ Saint Teresa of Jesus (of Avila), virgin and doctor (memorial) White At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Monsignor Gilbert Bull (1937); Fr John McDermott (1995) Wednesday 16th October Feria or Green White Saint Hedwig, religious (optional memorial) or White Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial Thursday 17th October Saint Ignatius of Antioch, bishop and martyr (memorial) Red At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Joseph Calnan (1998); Canon Brendan O'Sullivan (2009) Friday 18th October _ Red SAINT LUKE, EVANGELIST (FEAST) At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles II Saturday 19th October Feria or Green Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, priests, and Companions, Red martyrs (optional memorial) or Saint Paul of the Cross, priest (optional memorial) or White Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial) At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Twenty-Ninth Week of Ordinary Time

20th-26th October - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Service

Sunday 20th October

Green TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays World Mission Day, Day of Special Prayer for the Spread of the Gospel

Second collection for World Mission Sunday

New Ollerton: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1995) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Sylvester Cotter (1998)

Monday 21st October _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Daniel Meenagh (1915)

Tuesday 22nd October _____

In consecrated churches in the diocese where the date of consecration is unknown:

White THE DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface of the Dedication of a Church

Elsewhere in the diocese:

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Nottingham, Our Lady and Saint Patrick: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1981)

(SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Daniel Ainsworth (1993)

Wednesday 23rd October_____

Green Feria or

White Saint John of Capistrano, priest, bishop (optional memorial) or

White Saint John Paul II, pope (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Fr Bernard Brownbill (1990); Fr Marian Ciesielski (1994)

Thursday 24th October

Green Feria or

White Saint Anthony Mary Claret, bishop (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Friday 25th October

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Diamond Jubilee of Father Anthony Pateman; Ad multos annos!

RIP: Canon John Buckley (1965)

Saturday 26th October

Green Feria or

White Saints Chad and Cedd, bishops (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr Emile van Dale (1898); Fr George Holland (1928); Fr Laurence Saunders (2013)

Thirtieth Week of Ordinary Time

27th October-2nd November - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Compassion

Sunday 27th October

Green THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays End of British Summer Time. Clocks go back one hour at 2.00am today

Arnold: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1983) (SOLEMNITY)

RIP: Fr Peter Sabela (1911)

Monday 28th October_

Red SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES (FEAST)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles

RIP: Fr Werner de Heen (1938)

Tuesday 29th October

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr John McGrath (1944)

Wednesday 30th October_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Thursday 31st October

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Southwell: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1973) (SOLEMNITY)

Office: First Vespers of tomorrow's Solemnity

RIP: Fr George Bent (1871); Fr Leo Bermingham (1947); Fr John Kenny (1948);

Fr Edward Rowles (1964)

Friday 1st November ___

White ALL SAINTS (SOLEMNITY)

Holy Day of Obligation (Missa Pro Populo)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface of All Saints

No Friday abstinence today RIP: Fr James Daly (1985)

Saturday 2nd November_

Violet or THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED -

Black ALL SOULS' DAY

At each Mass: Readings from those given in Lectionary volume III 'for the Dead', Preface for the Dead

All priests may celebrate three Masses today; one of the Masses may be celebrated in favour of any person and an offering may be accepted for that Mass; the second and third Mass (even if celebrated as Masses in anticipation of Sunday) must be applied respectively for all the faithful departed and for the intentions of the Pope (neither may have an offering)

Masses celebrated from 4.00pm onwards may be Sunday Masses in anticipation, or Masses of All the Faithful Departed

Office: Second Vespers of All the Faithful Departed (unless celebrated in public, in which case First Vespers of Sunday may be celebrated)

Visiting Priests (Name, Diocese/Order, Celebret issue date)
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Thirty-First Week of Ordinary Time

3rd-9th November – Psalter Week 3 – Schools' Word of the Week: Accompaniment

Sunday 3rd November

Green THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

The optional memorials of Saint Martin de Porres, religious; and Saint Winefride, virgin, are omitted

RIP: Monsignor John Bigland (1945); Fr William Ellis (1998); Fr Michael Horrax (2020)

Monday 4th November _____

White Saint Charles Borromeo, bishop (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr Bryan O'Donnell (1862); Fr James Quinn (1983); Fr Laurence Connell (1991); Fr Eric Whitehouse (1992)

Tuesday 5th November _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Wednesday 6th November_____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Thursday 7th November _____

Green Feria or

White Saint Willibrord, bishop (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Fr John Wayte (1860)

Friday 8th November _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Saturday 9th November

White The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Feast)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast (one Reading only before the Gospel), Preface of the Dedication of a Church

Office: Second Vespers of the Feast (unless celebrated in public, in which case First Vespers of Sunday may be celebrated)

RIP: Fr Albert le Père (1919); Fr Timothy Lynch (1954); Fr William McEnery (1975)

Thirty-Second Week of Ordinary Time

10th-16th November - Psalter Week 4 - Schools' Word of the Week: Remembrance

Sunday 10th November

Green Thirty-Second Sunday of the Year

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays Remembrance Sunday; one Mass *in anniversario* permitted The memorial of Saint Leo the Great, pope and doctor, is omitted

Monday 11th November_

White Saint Martin of Tours, bishop (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Tuesday 12th November

Red Saint Josaphat, bishop and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial RIP: Fr John Jackson (1908)

Wednesday 13th November_

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr John MacDonnell (1902)

Thursday 14th November

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Bishop Joseph William Hendren OSF, first Bishop of Nottingham; Fr Joseph

Stewart (1937); Monsignor George Tüttö (2017)

Friday 15th November

Green Feria or

White Saint Albert the Great, bishop and doctor (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial

RIP: Monsignor Humphrey Wilson (1997)

Saturday 16th November _

Green Feria or

White Saint Margaret of Scotland (optional memorial) or

White Saint Gertrude, virgin (optional memorial) or

White Saint Edmund of Abingdon, bishop (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional

memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Fr Alan Molyneux (1984)

Thirty-Third Week of Ordinary Time

17th-23rd November - Psalter Week 1 - Schools' Word of the Week: Youth

Sunday 17th November

Green THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Sunday, Creed, Preface of Sundays

World Day of the Poor, Day of Special Prayer for the Poor

The feast of Saint Hugh of Lincoln, Patron of our Diocese, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor William Purdy (1994)

Monday 18th November_____

Green Feria or

White The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, apostles

(optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

Tuesday 19th November

Green Feria or

White Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, religious

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Canon Thomas Tempest (1861); Fr Albert op Broek (1894); Canon Michael Fryer (1910)

Wednesday 20th November

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Joseph Neary (1984)

Thursday 21st November_

White The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the memorial (proper to the memorial), Preface of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Leicester, Mother of God: DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH (1973) (SOLEMNITY) RIP: Fr William Carson (1903); Fr George Trollope (1933)

Friday 22nd November_

Red Saint Cecilia, virgin and martyr (memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the memorial

Saturday 23rd November

Green Feria or

Red Saint Clement I, pope and martyr (optional memorial) or

White Saint Columban, abbot (optional memorial) or

Gn or Wh Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial or of the Blessed Virgin Mary

RIP: Canon John Mulligan (1872); Provost Francis Hayward (1933); Fr Waldo Judd (1962); Fr John Dewar-MacIntyre (1996)

Visiting 1	Priests	(Name,	Diocese/	Order,	Celebret	issue da	ate)	
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Thirty-Fourth Week of Ordinary Time

24th-30th November - Psalter Week 2 - Schools' Word of the Week: Kingdom

Sunday 24th November

White OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (SOLEMNITY)

At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Solemnity, Creed, Preface of the Solemnity World Youth Day, Day of Special Prayer for Young People

The memorial of Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, priest, and Companions, martyrs, is omitted

RIP: Monsignor Peter O'Dowd (2000)

Monday 25th November

Green Feria or

Red Saint Catherine of Alexandria, virgin and martyr (optional memorial)

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface or of the optional memorial

RIP: Canon Cyril Gryce (1977)

Tuesday 26th November _

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Joseph Neary (1984)

Wednesday 27th November_____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Augustine Bermingham (1953)

Thursday 28th November _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

Friday 29th November _____

Green Feria

At Mass: Readings of the weekday, Common Preface

RIP: Fr Edward Wyke (1924); Canon William Winder (1947)

Saturday 30) th November						
Red	SAINT ANDREW, APOSTLE, PATRON OF SCOTLAND (FEAST)						
	At Mass: Gloria, Readings of the Feast, Preface of Apostles						
	RIP: Fr John van Aken (1869); Fr Michael Lynch (2017)						
Visiting Pri	lests (Name, Diocese/Order, Celebret issue date)						
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Calendar Outline for the remainder of 2024

December 2024

Sunday 1 st Violet First Sunday of Advent Monday 2 nd Violet Advent Feria	
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Tuesday 3 rd White Saint Francis Xavier, priest, memorial	
Wednesday 4 th Violet Advent Feria	
Thursday 5 th Violet Advent Feria	
Friday 6 th Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
White Saint Nicholas, bishop, optional memorial	
Saturday 7 th White Saint Ambrose, bishop and doctor, memorial	
Sunday 8 th Violet Second Sunday of Advent	
Monday 9 th White The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary,	
Patron of our Diocese, solemnity (transferred from 8 th Dec	c)
Tuesday 10 th Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
White Our Lady of Loreto, optional memorial <i>or</i>	
Red Saints Augustine Webster and Eustace White, Blessed Ma	rk
Barkworth, priests, and Companions: The Martyrs of	
Lincolnshire (optional memorial)	
Wednesday 11 th Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
White Saint Damasus I, pope, optional memorial	
Thursday 12 th Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
White Our Lady of Guadalupe, optional memorial	
Friday 13 th Red Saint Lucy, virgin and martyr, memorial	
Saturday 14 th White Saint John of the Cross, priest and doctor, memorial	
Sunday 15 th Violet / Rose Third Sunday of Advent – Gaudete Sunday	
Monday 16 th Violet Advent Feria	
Tuesday 17 th Violet Advent Feria	
Wednesday 18 th Violet Advent Feria	
Thursday 19 th Violet Advent Feria	
Friday 20 th Violet Advent Feria	
Saturday 21 st Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
Violet Saint Peter Canisius, priest and doctor, as a commemoration	on
Sunday 22 nd Violet Fourth Sunday of Advent	
Monday 23 rd Violet Advent Feria <i>or</i>	
Violet Saint John of Kanty, priest, as a commemoration	
Tuesday 24 th Violet Advent Feria	
Wednesday 25 th White Nativity of the Lord – Christmas Day, solemnity	
Thursday 26 th Red Saint Stephen, feast	
Friday 27 th White Saint John, apostle and evangelist, feast	
Saturday 28 th Red The Holy Innocents, feast	
Sunday 29 th White The Holy Family, feast	
Monday 30 th White Sixth Day in the Christmas Octave	
Tuesday 31 st White Seventh Day in the Christmas Octave <i>or</i>	
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White Saint Sylvester, pope, as a commemoration	

Calendar Outline for 2024-25

November	3 31 OT	10 32 OT	17 33 OT	24 Christ the Ki	ng
December	1 1 Advent	8 2 Advent	15 3 Advent	22 4 Advent	29 Holy Fam
January 2025	5 Epiphany	12 Baptism	19 3 OT	26 4 OT	
February	2 Presentation	9 6 OT	16 7 OT	23 8 OT	
March	2 9 OT	9 1 Lent	16 2 Lent	23 3 Lent	30 4 Lent
April	6 5 Lent	13 Palm	20* EASTER	27 2 Easter	
May	4* 3 Easter	11 4 Easter	18 5 Easter	25* 6 Easter	
June	1 7 Easter	8 Pentecost	15 Trinity	22 Cor' Christi	29 SsPP
July	6 13 OT	13 14 OT	20 15 OT	27 16 OT	
August	3 17 OT	10 18 OT	17 19 OT	24* 20 OT	31 21 OT
September	7 22 OT	14 Holy Cross	21 24 OT	28 25 OT	
October	5 27 OT	12 28 OT	19 29 OT	26 30 OT	
November	2 All Saints	9 Lat'n Basilica	16 33 OT	23 Christ King	30 1 Advent
December	7 2 Advent	14 3 Advent	21 4 Advent	28 Holy Family	

Holy Days of Obligation (not falling on a Sunday):

Wednesday 25th December 2024 – Nativity of the Lord Thursday 29th May 2025 – The Ascension of the Lord Friday 15th August – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday 25th December – Nativity of the Lord

Reading Cycles the Sunday Cycle is Year C (Saint Luke); the Weekday Cycle is Year 1

Bank and Public Holidays (adjacent Sundays are indicated by * in the table above):

Wednesday 25th December 2024 Thursday 26th December Wednesday 1st January 2025 Friday 18th April Monday 21st April

Monday 5th May Monday 26th May Monday 25th August Thursday 25th December Friday 26th December