

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY AND UNDIVIDED TRINITY THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GRIMSBY, CLEETHORPES AND IMMINGHAM

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SUNDAY 5TH FEBRUARY 2023 – FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 4th February	5.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
Sunday 5th February	9.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby
Monday 6 th February	2.00 pm	Open Prayer Hour in Cleethorpes
Tuesday 7 th February	10.00 am	Funeral Mass in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 8 th February	10.00 am	Mass in Immingham
	7.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Thursday 9 th February	10.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Friday 10 th February	7.00 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes
Saturday 11th February	10.00 am	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes
	5.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
Sunday 12th February	9.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Sixth Sunday	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
in Ordinary Time	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday	6.15-6.55 pm	Cleethorpes
Friday	6.15-6.55 pm	Cleethorpes
Saturday	10.00-11.00 am	Cleethorpes

Sacraments of Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick

Wednesday	6.15-6.55 pm	Cleethorpes
Friday	6.15-6.40 pm	Cleethorpes
Saturday	10.15-10.40 am	Cleethorpes

And before Mass, after Mass, by appointment and at call

Our Parish Schools

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy
Philip Avenue, Cleethorpes (01472 690672)
St Mary's Catholic Primary Academy
Wellington Street, Grimsby (01472 357982)

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives

Richard Mellows, Sarah Pollard and Shelagh Winter: if you have any safeguarding or DBS concerns or queries, you can email richard.mellowspsr@dioceseofnottingham.uk or call or send a text to 07513 725509.

To celebrate the sacred liturgy online – [youtube.com/c/HolyTrinityGCI](https://www.youtube.com/c/HolyTrinityGCI)

**We value all in the name of Jesus the Christ
by exercising our baptismal mission as Prophet, Priest and King
so that all may flourish**

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for February: We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

Cycle of Prayer: During the winter of Ordinary Time, we pray for: peace on earth; Christian unity; victims of human trafficking; the sick and those who care for them; and the unemployed. We also pray for Fr Colum, the sick and housebound of our parish, the staff and pupils of St Mary's and St Joseph's schools, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Warm and Cosy Spaces: Holy Trinity Parish Hall is open to anyone who would like some warmth and company:

Tues 10.30 am – 1.30 pm with Knit and Natter
Weds 10.00 am – 12.30 pm with Holy Trinity Social Club
Weds 1.30 pm – 4.30 pm with boards games and chat
Fri 11.00 am – 2.00 pm with Friday Open House

All are welcome to come in for free during these times, with tea and coffee available for all who wish!

The Blessing of Throats is given each year on 3rd February, the Memorial of St Blaise, Bishop and Martyr. Bishop of Sebaste in Armenia during the fourth century, he was a doctor before becoming a Bishop and miraculously cured a boy who nearly died because of a fishbone in his throat. His intercession is invoked on behalf of the sick, especially those afflicted with illnesses of the throat. The Blessing will also be given immediately after Mass this weekend; I will sign First Holy Communion cards after the Blessing of Throats. Fr Andrew

Corpus Christi Church: Currently there is no regular team of cleaners in Corpus Christi Church; if you would like to give some of your time to clean the church, which is an important ministry in our parish, please email office@holyltrinitygci.uk

Data Protection: All personal information held by our parish or the Diocese of Nottingham, such as contact details, is processed in accordance with the law of England & Wales, which means that they cannot be shared with anyone without the consent of the person whose information it is. We can forward letters and messages to fellow parishioners if you write to that person c/o St Mary's Presbytery, if we have their contact details and that they are happy for us to do so.

Day of Prayer for Victims of Human Trafficking – Wednesday 8th February: Please pray for all victims and survivors of trafficking and those who work to combat it this Wednesday, the Memorial of St Josephine Bakhita, a Sudanese woman who was kidnapped when just nine years old by slave traders and who, after emancipation, joined the Canossian sisters in Italy, helping novices to learn about Africa before they undertook missionary activity there. She died in 1947, was canonised in 2000 and is the patron saint of Sudan and South Sudan. On his Apostolic Journey to Sudan in 1993, shortly after her beatification, St John Paul II honoured St Josephine on her own soil: 'Rejoice, all of Africa! Bakhita has come back to you. The daughter of Sudan sold into slavery as a living piece of merchandise and yet still free. Free with the freedom of the saints.' We pray through her intercession for an end to slavery in all its myriad forms, including here in our parish and the surrounding area, and at sea, and for victims and survivors of human trafficking and modern slavery.

Harbour Place: Robin Barr spoke at the end of 9.00 am Mass last Sunday about the work of Harbour Place, which has had a strong connection to our parish and to the Congregation of St Joseph of Peace since its beginnings. Unfortunately, he was not able to join us for 5.00 pm Mass or 11.00 am Mass, but he will be able to do so on the weekend of Sunday 26th March, when we will have a retiring collection at each Sunday Mass to support the work of Harbour Place, as then we will all have had the opportunity to hear him speak. Anyone who wishes to give a donation to support Harbour Place can do so by visiting justgiving.com/harbourplacegrimsby at any time, or else by placing it in a clearly labelled envelope in the collection boxes and we will forward it. For more information about Harbour Place, please go to harbourplacegrimsby.org.uk

HCPT Coffee Morning – 5th February 2023: HCPT Group 39 would like to invite everyone to a coffee morning in Holy Trinity Parish Hall this Sunday, 5th February, between 10.00 am and noon. All are welcome to come along and support our parish HCPT group which does wonderful work in taking children on pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes, the next of which will be this coming Easter.

Meeting Fr Andrew: As parish priest, I have pastoral care for everyone who lives or works in our parish, and I have certain responsibilities in this regard to Catholics and non-Catholics alike. Anyone who lives or works in our parish is welcome to come to talk to me about any aspect of their lives whatsoever, either during Friday Open House or by ringing the doorbell, although I may not necessarily be available straight away, or by getting in touch by telephone, post or email to make an appointment so that you know I'll be available. Fr Andrew

Parish Pilgrimage: If anyone is interested in taking part in a parish pilgrimage, possibly during half-term in May 2024, please email office@holyltrinitygci.uk to express your interest and then, depending on numbers, we will see what is possible.

St Mary on the Sea Church reopens for Sunday Mass today but remains closed on weekdays while the reconstruction of the porch continues. I am grateful to the twenty-six parishioners who joined me last Tuesday evening to clean and tidy the church in preparation for its reopening. Fr Andrew

Spring Coffee Morning – 18th February 2023: All are welcome to a coffee morning in Holy Trinity Parish Hall on Saturday 18th February, beginning at 11.00 am, after Holy Hour, and ending at 1.00 pm. There will be tea, coffee, sausage rolls and toasted tea cakes, with a tombola, name card and goods for sale, and time to relax and enjoy each other's company.

From Pope Francis: 'Sometimes I think we should put a sign on the door of parishes that says: "Enter freely." Parishes should be close-knit communities, without bureaucracy, person-centred – a place where the gift of the sacraments can be found. They have to become, once again, schools of service and generosity, with their doors always open to those who are excluded. And to those included. To all. Parishes are not a club for the few, which give a certain sort of social belonging. Please, let us be daring. Let us rethink the style of our parochial communities. Let us pray that parishes, placing communion – communion of people, ecclesial communion – at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, of fraternity and of welcoming the most in need.'