

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

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SUNDAY 30TH APRIL 2023 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday 29th April

5.00 pm Mass in Immingham

Sunday 30th April

9.00 am Mass in Grimsby (Polish)

9.00 am Mass in Cleethorpes

11.00 am Mass in Grimsby

Tuesday 2nd May

10.00 am Mass in Cleethorpes

Wednesday 3rd May

10.00 am Mass in Immingham

11.00 am Funeral Service for Keith Wheelhouse RIP in Grimsby

7.00 pm Mass in Grimsby

Thursday 4th May

10.00 am Mass in Grimsby

Friday 5th May

7.00 pm Mass in Cleethorpes for the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III

Saturday 6th May

5.00 pm Mass in Immingham

Sunday 7th May

9.00 am Mass in Grimsby (Polish)

Fifth Sunday of Easter

9.00 am Mass in Cleethorpes

11.00 am Mass in Grimsby

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 6.15-6.55 pm Grimsby

Friday 6.15-6.55 pm Cleethorpes

Sacraments of Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick

Wednesday 6.15-6.40 pm Grimsby

Friday 6.15-6.55 pm Cleethorpes

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

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.

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)

To celebrate the sacred liturgy online – youtube.com/c/HolyTrinityGCI

We are an Easter People and 'Alleluia' is our song!

**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 April: We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by states and citizens.

Cycle of Prayer: During the Season of Easter, we pray for: new members of the Church; vocations; human work; the right use of the media; and the Church. We also pray for Fr Colum, the sick and housebound of our parish, the mission of St Mary's and St Joseph's schools, and those 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 this week:

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 – 1.00 pm	with Friday Open House

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

The Ascension of the Lord will be celebrated on **Thursday 18th May**, the fortieth day after Easter Sunday, and is a **holyday of obligation**:

Wed 17 th May	7.00 pm	Vigil Mass in Cleethorpes
Thu 18 th May	9.30 am	Mass in Grimsby
	11.30 am	Mass in Immingham
	1.15 pm	Mass in Cleethorpes

Where Christ 'the Head has gone before in glory, the Body is called to follow in hope'. The Vigil Mass will be preceded by Eucharistic Adoration at 6.15 pm with Benediction at 6.45 pm, and 1.15 pm Mass in Corpus Christi Church will be attended by Key Stage 2 in both St Mary's and St Joseph's schools.

Coronation of HM King Charles III: We will celebrate the Coronation of Their Majesties King Charles III and Queen Camilla in Westminster Abbey next Saturday, 6th May, with Eucharistic Adoration at 6.15 pm and Mass for the Coronation at 7.00 pm this Friday, 5th May, in Corpus Christi Church.

All places have been booked for the party in Holy Trinity Parish Hall this Saturday, 6th May, beginning at 7.00 pm, which is great. The theme of the weekend is service, so please bring something for the shared table. Tea, coffee and squash will be available, as well as a glass of Prosecco for the toast; if you would like other drinks, please feel free to bring them yourselves. Family Ties will provide the entertainment and 1970s clothing is optional, even if 1970s music won't be!

We will say the Prayer for the King and sing the National Anthem at Mass next weekend. Fr Andrew was born on 8th May 1973, and so next Monday, 8th May, the Bank Holiday for the Coronation of King Charles III, we will celebrate Mass at 10.00 am in St Mary on the Sea Church, in thanksgiving for the Coronation and Fr Andrew's fiftieth birthday that day; Mass will be followed by brunch and light refreshments in St Mary's Presbytery. All are welcome!

Local Elections are taking place this Thursday, 4th May, in East Lindsey District and the Borough of North East Lincolnshire. From now on, we must take accepted photographic ID, such as a passport or UK photographic driving licence to exercise our democratic right to vote, a right for which people have fought and died in this country and elsewhere, so please do vote this Thursday if you are entitled to do so!

Parish Communications: The parish is looking to recruit someone to oversee parish communications and digital ministry; a part-time position with flexible working hours initially for one year, this is an exciting opportunity for someone who is interested in playing an active role in the Prophetic, Priestly and Kingly Mission of the Church in our parish and beyond in accordance with the Vision, building on the excellent work which has already been done. Please email Fr Andrew (andrew.cole@dioceseofnottingham.uk) for more information. The deadline for applications is 15th May 2023.

Round-Britain Prayerful Pilgrimage: To celebrate Stella Maris' centenary of service to seafarers and fishers, Russ Fairman, a passionate supporter of Stella Maris, will embark on a sailing pilgrimage around Great Britain. This voyage of 2,200 miles over 10 weeks will stop in over fifty ports and holy sites around the UK. On Sunday 14th May, they will be in Grimsby and will join us for 11.00 am Mass in St Mary on the Sea Church. The sailing boat will be berthed at the Grimsby and Cleethorpes Yacht Club; all are welcome to come and see the boat and what Stella Maris are doing from 2.00 pm that day. Please pray for Stella Maris, the seafarers and fishers whom they serve, and the success of the sailing pilgrimage.

The Saint Valentine Bee Club's members are busily getting ready for the new season. Two new hives, dedicated to St Luke and St John, are being prepared, and new members have joined the group and are receiving training from the Louth District Beekeepers. Fr Andrew will bless the bees after 9.00 am Mass this Sunday, 30th April, and on Saturday 13th May the Worshipful the Mayor of North East Lincolnshire, Cllr Stephen Beasant, will make an official visit to the apiary at 11.30 am to see the bees, meet the beekeepers and learn something of the environmental justice we are promoting, about which Fr Andrew spoke when he was invited to preach at the Civic Service in Grimsby Minster last Sunday afternoon.

Transport to Mass: We have set up an account with a local taxi firm to facilitate people attending Mass who would otherwise not be able to do so due to cost or difficulties in using public or private transport. People will be able to contribute towards the cost of the service, but this will not be necessary. All drivers have a DBS and the scheme will run from tomorrow, 1st May 2023. To book a taxi, and to cancel taxis, please contact Marie-Therese (07736 921676).

World Day of Prayer for Vocations – 30th April 2023: This Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Easter, is Good Shepherd Sunday, the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. There will be a second collection at each Mass for the Clergy Formation Fund, which supports the formation of those preparing for Ordination and the ongoing formation of priests & deacons in the Diocese of Nottingham; please place your offerings in the collection boxes as you leave church this weekend. Let us pray that many more will respond to the Lord's call to exercise their baptismal mission in the ministerial priesthood and also in the diaconate, religious life, our Catholic schools and the various ministries in which we minister to one another, not just within our parish but within the wider community. On Friday 12th May, Fr Neil Peoples, vocations director for the Diocese of Nottingham, and Fr Liam Carpenter, assistant vocations director, will celebrate Mass to pray for vocations in Corpus Christi Church at 7.00 pm. All are welcome!