

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

St Mary on the Sea Church
Heneage Road, Grimsby
DN32 9DZ

Corpus Christi Church
Grimsby Road, Cleethorpes
DN35 7LH

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church
Allerton Drive, Immingham
DN40 2HP

Parish Priest Very Rev Canon Andrew Cole
St Mary's Presbytery
Heneage Road
GRIMSBY DN32 9DZ
01472 342301 / 07943 059747
parishpriest@holyltrinitygci.uk

Rev Stephen Durkin 07505 559360
deaconstephen@holyltrinitygci.uk
Sr Ann Helen Byrne CSJP 01472 692370
Sr Bridgetta Rooney CSJP corpuschristi@holyltrinitygci.uk
Parish Office 01472 342301 / 07563 529392
Parish Administrator
Amanda Mellows office@holyltrinitygci.uk
Parish Communications
Emily McCullagh comms@holyltrinitygci.uk

Website holyltrinitygci.uk
Facebook facebook.com/holyltrinitygci
Instagram/Twitter @holyltrinitygci_

SUNDAY 6TH AUGUST 2023 – FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Saturday 5th August	5.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
Sunday 6th August	9.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes (Hymns: 808, 629)
	9.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Polish)
	11.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (Hymns: 208, 969, 209, 647 & 742)
Monday 7 th August	2.00 pm	Open Prayer Hour in Cleethorpes
Tuesday 8 th August	10.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 9 th August	10.00 am	Mass in Immingham
	7.00 pm	Mass in Grimsby
Thursday 10 th August	10.00 am	Mass in Grimsby
	2.15 pm	Funeral Service for Anthony Sharlotte RIP in Grimsby Crematorium
Friday 11 th August	11.00 am	Memorial Mass for Sr Breege Leddy CSJP RIP in Cleethorpes
Saturday 12th August	10.00 am	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes
	5.00 pm	Mass in Immingham
Sunday 13th August	9.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes
Nineteenth 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 Grimsby
Saturday 10.00-11.00 am Cleethorpes

Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation

Wednesday 6.15-6.40 pm Grimsby
Saturday 10.15-10.45 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 – To book a taxi for Mass – 07736 921676

**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.**

As a green bud in the springtime is a sign of life renewed,
so may we be signs of oneness 'mid earth's peoples, many hued.
As a rainbow lights the heavens when a storm is past and gone,
may our lives reflect the radiance of God's new and glorious dawn.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for August, the Month of the

Immaculate Heart of Mary: We pray that the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness to the Gospel in their own lives.

Cycle of Prayer: During the summer of Ordinary Time, we pray for: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression and the denial of human rights; Europe; human life; and seafarers. We also pray for 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.

Welcoming Spaces: Holy Trinity Parish Hall is open to anyone who would like some welcoming company this week:

Weds 10.00 am – 12.30 pm with Holy Trinity Social Club

Weds 1.30 pm – 4.30 pm with boards games and chat

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

Contactless Giving: Those who wish are now able to give their offertory collection and other collections using contactless giving in each of our three churches:

- Select the option you wish to donate/provide funds for or purchase.
- Select an amount you would like to donate from the options on screen or another amount from £1 upwards.
- Present your card or phone (contactless) or insert your card (chip and pin) to the payment device.
- If you are giving to the offertory collection or another collection, you will then be asked if you would like to gift aid your donation – you can gift aid offertory collection but cannot for payments for tickets or the repository.
- If you answer yes, you will be required to enter your house number, postcode (in block capitals) and email – you only have to do this the first time you use the machine, and when you use the machines in our churches again, you will not have to register for gift aid again, as you will be remembered on the system; it will then take your payment. Please also answer yes if you have already signed a Gift Aid Declaration for the parish or diocese.
- If you answer no, the machine will take your payment.

We should all contribute what we can to support our parish, our Diocese of Nottingham, and the Universal Church, as well as the various charities which we support, and I am grateful to everyone who is so generous in supporting the Church's mission financially. Fr Andrew

The Faithful Departed: Please pray for: Christopher Harper, whose Funeral will be in Corpus Christi Church on Wednesday 23rd August at 11.00 am, prior to Committal in Kingston-upon-Hull; Robin Fell, whose body will be received into Corpus Christi Church on Wednesday 23rd August at 4.30 pm and whose Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Thursday 24th August at 11.00 am, prior to Committal in Cleethorpes Cemetery; and those who mourn their loss.

First Holy Communion: Application forms for First Holy Communion in June 2024 are available from the porch of each of our churches; parents of children who will be in Key Stage 2 or above in school year 2023-2024 who would like their children to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and the Blessed Eucharist next year should complete an application

form and hand it directly to me personally at the end of Sunday Mass as soon as possible and no later than Sunday 10th September. Fr Andrew

Lourdes Water is available from St Mary's Presbytery. Please bring a small container if you would like some. If you have some old Lourdes water that can no longer be consumed, please bring it to any of our churches or St Mary's Presbytery for disposal. Fr Andrew

Parish Barbecue – 27th August 2023: Our annual barbecue will be at Holy Trinity Parish Hall on Sunday 27th August, beginning at 12.30 pm and sitting down at 1.00 pm. Tickets, which cost £5.00 per adult and £2.50 per child, are on sale from the stewards' tables, and can also be paid for by contactless giving – please ask a steward if you need assistance. Come along and join in the party!

Saint Mary on the Sea Church opened 140 years ago, in August 1883; to celebrate this anniversary, we will celebrate Mass in Thanksgiving in St Mary on the Sea Church on Saturday 19th August at 10.00 am. All are welcome.

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated on **Tuesday 15th August**, and is a **holyday of obligation**, honouring 'the beginning and image' of the 'Church's coming to perfection and a sign of sure hope and comfort' to the pilgrim People of God:

Mon 14th 7.00 pm Vigil Mass in Cleethorpes

Tue 15th 9.30 am Mass in Grimsby

11.30 am Mass in Immingham

The Vigil Mass will be preceded by Eucharistic Adoration at 6.15 pm with Benediction at 6.45 pm. Our Lady, untouched by any stain of sin by God's prevenient grace, which we celebrate as her Immaculate Conception, was assumed body and soul into heaven at the end of the course of her natural life here on earth: we ask for her prayers that we, who in Baptism died with Christ and rose with him to new life, may safeguard the grace of our Baptism, so that we too may share with him in eternal glory. We 'look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come', and the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary expresses our faith that the Resurrection of Jesus is the first fruits of the resurrection for which we all hope, and in which Our Lady already fully shares.

From Pope Francis: The Transfiguration 'traces a path for us too. It teaches us how important it is to *remain with Jesus*, even when it is not easy to understand everything he says and does for us. In fact, it is by staying with him that we learn to recognise on his face the luminous beauty of love he gives us, even when it bears the marks of the Cross. Let us learn to recognize them and to fill our hearts with them. And then let us set out to bring the light we have received to others as well, through concrete acts of love, diving into our daily affairs more generously, loving, serving, and forgiving with greater earnestness and willingness. The contemplation of God's wonders, the contemplation of God's face, of the Lord's face, must move us to the service of others. Do we know how to recognise the light of God's love in our lives, with joy and gratitude on the faces of the people who love us? Do we look around us for the signs of this light that fills our heart and opens it to love and service? The great light of the Lord and the false, artificial light of idols: which do I prefer?'