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

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SUNDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER 2023 – TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 16 th September Sunday 17 th September	5.00 pm 9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am	Mass in Immingham Mass in Grimsby (Polish) Mass in Cleethorpes (Hymns: 846, 609, 720, 849) Mass in Grimsby (Hymns: 807, 810, 627, 243, 794)
	4.00 pm	Service for the Season of Creation in St Francis' Church, Cleethorpes
Monday 18 th September	2.00 pm	Open Prayer Hour, Divine Mercy Devotions and Rosary in Cleethorpes
Tuesday 19 th September	10.00 am	Celebration of Word and Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
Wednesday 20 th September	10.00 am	Celebration of Word and Holy Communion in Immingham
	7.00 pm	Celebration of Word and Holy Communion in Grimsby
Thursday 21 st September	10.00 am	Celebration of Word and Holy Communion in Grimsby
Friday 22 nd September	7.00 pm	Celebration of Word and Holy Communion in Cleethorpes
Saturday 23 rd September	Noon 5.00 pm	Holy Hour in Cleethorpes Mass in Immingham
Sunday 24 th September Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am	Mass in Cleethorpes Mass in Grimsby

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 6.15-6.55 pm Grimsby
Friday 6.15-6.55 pm Cleethorpes
Saturday Noon-1.00 pm Cleethorpes

Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and Reconciliation
Saturday 12.15-12.40 pm Cleethorpes

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.

A Prayer for Evangelii Gaudium Sunday: Look, O Lord, upon the face of your Christ, who handed himself over as a ransom for all, so that through him, from the rising of the sun to its setting, your name may be exalted in our nations and in every place one single offering may be presented to your majesty. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for September, the Month of the Seven Sorrows of Mary: We pray that those living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions, may not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

Cycle of Prayer: During the autumn of Ordinary Time, we pray for: the harvest, the fruits of human work and the reverent use of Creation; students and teachers; the spread of the Gospel; justice and peace in the world; prisoners and their families; all victims of war; and young people. 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:

Tues 10.30 am – 1.30 pm with Knit and Natter

Wed 10.00 am - 12.30 pm with Holy Trinity Social Club

Wed 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!

Evangelii Gaudium Sunday – 17th **September 2023:** Today is Evangelii Gaudium Sunday, named after Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation on the Joy of the Gospel; it offers the Catholic Church in England and Wales the opportunity to celebrate the beauty of our faith and our commitment to witness to the fullness of life in Christ, and there will be a second collection today to support the Church's evangelising mission here in England and Wales.

Fr Andrew is currently away, spending time with his parents. To contact a priest in an emergency until he returns on Friday, please get in touch with the parish office (07563 529392; office@holytrinitygci.uk); this weekend, we welcome Fr Simon Gillespie, the Bishop's Private Secretary and Episcopal Vicar for Catholic Education, to celebrate Mass.

Holy Hour – 1st October 2023: To begin the month dedicated to the Rosary, we will have Holy Hour with the recitation of the Glorious Mysteries in Our Lady Star of the Sea Church on Sunday 1st October at 3.00 pm; after Benediction, Fr Andrew will bless a bench which has been made in our parish in memory of Fr Murray, Fr James and Fr Tony. All are welcome!

Ministries Fayre – 30th September 2023: Our parish is a large and diverse parish in which everyone is welcome, all are equal, and we all belong. In addition to the various liturgical ministries, our Baptism gives us the impetus to serve Christ in our sisters and brothers, in social justice, and the Earth, in environmental justice, in accordance with our parish's Vision. On Saturday 30th September, between noon & 2.00 pm, we will have the opportunity to meet members of the some of the many groups who do so much wonderful work in our parish, and whose representatives it is always lovely to hear from when they update us at Mass. An invitation letter accompanies the *Sunday Message*, as we all have a part to play, and the fayre will help us to think about ways in which we can all play our part so that all may flourish. Fr Andrew

Parking: Please be attentive to pedestrians and other drivers when using our car parks, and only park in lined spaces at Corpus Christi Church and Holy Trinity Parish Hall. Anyone parking on the street should respect traffic restrictions,

especially double yellow lines where people may not park at any time, and our neighbours, whom we should seek not to inconvenience in any way. Thank you for your cooperation!

Race Night – 23rd September 2023: Grimsby 185 Circle of the Catenian Association are holding a race night in Holy Trinity Parish Hall on Saturday 23rd September at 7.00 pm to raise money for Harbour Place. Tickets cost £2.00, including a free bet, and are available from members of the association at Mass this weekend. Please bring your own snacks and drinks. For more information, please see the poster in our porches.

The Season of Creation runs from 1st September, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, to 4th October, the Memorial of St Francis of Assisi. All are welcome to attend an ecumenical prayer service, which will reflect on this year's theme, Let Justice and Peace Flow, inspired by the words of the prophet Amos, 'Let justice flow on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream' (*Amos* 5:24), in St Francis' Church, Sandringham Road, Cleethorpes this Sunday, 17th September, at 4.00 pm, with refreshments afterwards.

The Sermon on the Mount – 23rd September 2023: Caroline Leighton will lead a half-day of recollection on the Beatitudes and the wider Sermon on the Mount this Saturday, 23rd September, beginning with tea and coffee in Holy Trinity Parish Hall at 10.00 am and concluding with Holy Hour in Corpus Christi Church at noon. All are welcome!

The SPANNED Annual Mass, celebrated by Bishop Patrick, will take place at Saint Peter's Church, Leicester Road, Hinckley LE10 1LW at 2.30 pm this Saturday 16th September. All are welcome. It is good opportunity to discover what the work of SPANNED entails and this year's project, *Our House is on Fire*, has been a consideration of climate change. You may also subscribe to the agency's quarterly magazine. Founded in 1976, SPANNED has been the only organisation of its kind where individual programmes of spiritual formation are written and delivered for people with additional needs, with groups meeting in Hinckley, Derby, Nottingham, Leicester, and here in our deanery in Scunthorpe. For more details contact Father Frank Daly (hinckleypriory@gmail.com).

Supporting Catholic Schools: Bishop Patrick is seeking to appoint new foundation directors for our Catholic multi-academy trusts and governors for our Catholic schools. If you would like to know more about these rewarding voluntary roles, which can make a real and positive contribution to the wellbeing of staff and pupils, please speak to Fr Simon, who is Episcopal Vicar for Catholic Education, after Mass today, or contact Peter Giorgio, our Diocese's Director of Education (julie.sweeney@nottingham-des.org.uk; 01332 293833).

Dziękuję i Żegnaj / Thank You and Farewell: W ten weekend żegnamy się z ojcem Włodzimierzem Pająkiem, który opuszcza Grimsby, Lincoln i Scunthorpe, aby zostać duszpasterzem dla polskojęzycznych katolików w Bournemouth. Dziękujemy, Ojcze, za Twoją posługę tutaj, a niech Bóg Cię błogosławi, gdy obejmujesz nową posadę! / This weekend, we say goodbye to Fr Wlodzimierz Pajak, who is leaving Grimsby, Lincoln and Scunthorpe to become pastor for Polish-speaking Catholics in Bournemouth. Thank you, Father, for your ministry here, and may God bless you as you take up your new appointment! Fr Andrew