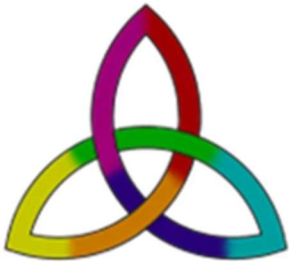


The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica - 32nd Week

Parish of The Most Holy and Undivided Trinity The Catholic Church in Grimsby, Cleethorpes & Immingham



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Newsletter



“To dedicate or consecrate” a place to God is a ritual that is found in every religion. To “reserve” a place to God is an act of recognizing His glory and honour.

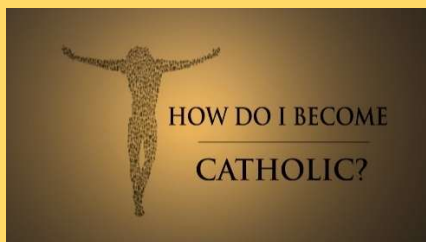
When the Emperor Constantine granted full liberty to Christians in 313, they did not spare in order to construct places for the Lord – numerous are the churches constructed at that time. Constantine himself also constructed churches, one of which he was a magnificent basilica on the Caelian Hill in Rome, over the ancient Lateran Palace, which Pope Sylvester I dedicated to Christ the Savior (318 or 324). A chapel dedicated to Saint John the Baptist was built inside it which served as the baptistry. This moved Pope Sergius III to dedicate it to Saint John the Baptist as well. Lastly, Pope Lucius II also dedicated it to Saint John the Evangelist in the 12th century. Thus, the name of this Papal Basilica is the Basilica of the Most Holy Savior and of Saints John the Baptist and John the Evangelist in the Lateran. Christians consider the Basilica to be the *mother church of all churches in the world*.

The church was destroyed several times in the course of the centuries, and always rebuilt. The final reconstruction took place under the pontificate of Benedict XIII. The church was rededicated in 1724. It was at that time that the feast celebrated today was established and extended to the universal Church.

🌹🌹🌹 Remembrance Sunday 🌹🌹🌹

*"They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old,*

*Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun, and in the morning
We will remember them. We will remember them.*



Would you like to join the Catholic Church as an Adult? Beginning in November Fr Robbie and his team of Catechists will be running a formation course. The journey will teach you all aspects of the faith in an enjoyable manner – leading to you being received into the Church at Easter 2026. **Please contact the Parish Office, even if you completed a 'Journey in Faith' form previously.**

New Office Hours - Please note the new opening times for the Parish Office moving forward.

Steps as you leave St Marys

Since my arrival in the parish, as Deacon Stephen and I wish you a good Sunday morning, I have noticed quite a few near misses of elderly parishioners stumbling down the steps at the front of church as the daylight hits their eyes and losing their footing. Please can I appeal to those of you who are a little less steady of your feet or balance and those becoming frail, to utilise the side door of the church and the ramp (with handle) to travel down the driveway. I would not want anyone to hurt themselves leaving the church. Let us all be sensible and care for one another, and our seniors, as we leave together. Thank you Fr R

The wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace. James 3:17-18

News for the Pews

Safeguarding Refresher Training

THIS IS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS

who completed their training prior to 2025

It is good practise that all volunteers complete a refresher of safeguarding training annually and therefore wish to invite all volunteers to attend one of the training sessions listed below in, Cleethorpes. You only need attend **one session**, and each session will only last one hour.

Monday 10th November 6.00pm, Wednesday 19th November 7.00pm & Saturday 29th November 10.30am

We are very fortunate to have Mrs Emily McCullagh in our parish, whose role is National Strategic Safeguarding Advisor for the Strategic Council for Catholic Safeguarding, and she has very kindly offered to lead us with this training. A register will be taken at each session, so our records can be updated. If for some reason you are not able to attend any of these sessions, please email: Sarah Pollard Deputy PSR sarah.pollardPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk and she will contact you to ensure you have access to the training before the end of the year.

Richard Mellows PSR: Richard.MellowsPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Sarah Pollard PSR: Sarah.PollardPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk



Our apologies for the delay in drawing the 200 Club for the past couple of months, it will be drawn at the start of each month again. Please check the posters in the porches of all of our Churches for all of our winners from April - November's Draws!

If you are a winner, then please do contact the Parish Office or speak to a steward & ask them to let the Parish office know which Mass you would like to collect your winnings from.

Thank you to all 220 of you, who have entered our 200 Club this year, you have raised over £1,300 for our Parish just by entering!

Parish Christmas Lunch

Sunday 14th December.

at The Humber Royal Hotel at 12.30pm

Menus and Booking Forms are at the back of each of our churches.

A Three Course Lunch at £22.50 per Adult & £15.00 for Under 14s

A great social afternoon – Raffle – Jumper Parade – Quiz

(All bookings to be made and paid for by Sunday 30th November please)

New Dean for Northern Lincolnshire - As of this weekend **Bishop Patrick** has asked **Fr Robbie** to become the **Dean of Northern Lincolnshire**. In the Catholic Church, a dean is a priest who is appointed to oversee a specific area within a diocese, known as a deanery. The dean is responsible for coordinating the meetings of the priests within the deanery, as well as representing the bishop in matters related to the local church community in Deans Meetings.

Let us pray for all who suffer as a result of conflict, and ask that God may give us peace: for the service men and women who have died in the violence of war, each one remembered by and known to God.

HOLY TRINITY GCI 200 CLUB

OUR WINNERS SO FAR...

APRIL WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

LAURA CAMPBELL

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

MICK SCANLON

MAY WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

CANON ANDREW COLE

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

GEORGE BULLEN

JUNE WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

PAUL LAWE

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

BEV HANSTOCK

JULY WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

ANDREW WHITE

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

PHILIP & MARIA CAUNT

AUGUST WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

DEIDRE LYNCH

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

PHILLIP & LYNNE MUTONDO

SEPTEMBER WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

PAULA WESTON

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

GEORGE BULLEN

OCTOBER WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

THOMAS HORTON

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

MR & MRS D WEST

NOVEMBER WINNERS

1ST PRIZE (£40.00)

CATHY SLATER

2ND PRIZE (£10.00)

LINDA CODY

CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE TO COLLECT YOUR PRIZE!

OR SPEAK TO A STEWARD & ASK THEM TO LET THE PARISH OFFICE KNOW
WHICH MASS YOU WOULD LIKE TO COLLECT YOUR WINNINGS FROM!

Sanctuary Lamp - Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Immingham

Special Intention- Lucy Murray

Sanctuary Lamp - Corpus Christi, Cleethorpes

Ill family members and private intentions

Sanctuary Lamp - St Mary's on the Sea, Grimsby

People of God

Parish Office Hours

Holy Trinity Presbytery
Grimsby, DN32 9DZ
01472 342301

**Monday,
Tuesday & Wednesday**

9.00am until 12.30pm

Outside of these times the office will not be available.

Fr Robbie's Friday Spiritual Surgery

Holy Trinity Presbytery
Grimsby, DN32 9DZ
01472 342301

Please prebook
with the parish office only

Each Friday Morning by
Appointment Only

Appointment Times Available:
9.00am, 10.00am and 11.00am

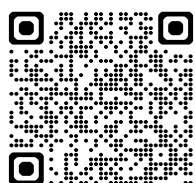
Parish Finances Last Week

Thank you for your generosity
to the work of the Church!

In your Will, please remember
your Church.

Loose Plate	£461.65
Contactless	£197.14
S/Orders	£1,156.17
Total	£1,814.96

Sign up for the Parish Bulletin



News for the Pews

Mass for Deceased Relatives, Friends and Parishioners

Here at Holy Trinity Parish, we shall be celebrating a Mass for Deceased Relatives, Friends and Parishioners **on Saturday 8th November 2025 at 10.00am** All are welcome to our annual Mass at Corpus Christi Church, followed by light refreshments in Holy Trinity Parish Hall.

Annual Blessings of Graves

Sunday 16th November

1.00pm - Waltham
1.15pm - Tetney
2.00pm - Scartho Road, Grimsby
2.00pm - Beacon Avenue, Cleethorpes

Sunday 23rd November

1.00pm Holton-le-Clay
1.00pm Humberston
1.30pm St Giles' Churchyard, Scartho
2.00pm Mill Lane, Immingham

All are welcome to gather and pray for our deceased parishioners. If anyone has a relative or friend interred elsewhere in the parish and would like their grave to be blessed by Fr Robbie or Deacon Stephen during November, the month of the Holy Souls, please contact the parish office. We remember the faithful departed during Mass every day, but do so especially in November, for God's Holy Souls.

SAFEGUARDING FOR UNDER 18'S.

Going forward no Under 18 (or Over 18) will ever be allowed to carry out a Parish ministry until all the appropriate paperwork has been completed, along with the appropriate level of training. The guidance is the same for U 18's as it is for over 18. The first part of the process is a discussion with Fr Robbie, in order to express your interest in a specific ministry, when it has been agreed then the paperwork starts.

If we have any Under 18 year old who would like to be more involved in the parish by carrying out a ministry, we have introduced a 'probationary period'. This means they can be supported and 'have a go' to see if the role suits them. The paperwork still has to be completed, prior to starting the ministry, by the parents and the young person, and appropriate training will be given. Once that has been completed U18 will wear an orange lanyard. After a period of an agreed time, when the U18 year old has shown a real commitment to the ministry they will then be given a blue lanyard and be placed on the appropriate rotas.

No one will ever be allowed to carry out any ministry, prior to the checks and training being completed. If we have any Under 18's who are carrying out a ministry and this paperwork has not been completed; it now needs to be completed retrospectively.

Please contact Sarah Pollard Deputy PSR
sarah.pollardPSR@dioceseofnottingham.uk

St Valentine's Beekeepers - Honey

A new crop of honey is available. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to purchase some **by 9:00am on 11/11/25**. You will then be contacted after this date to arrange payment and collection from one of the three churches. A donation of £7.50 is asked for to support the volunteers caring for our hives through the year. Thank you to the Bee Group for their hard work, care and enthusiasm. If you would like to volunteer in the group please contact the parish office.



Our Schools

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Mr Joseph O'Connor
Headteacher

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**St Joseph's Catholic
Voluntary Academy**
Philip Avenue
Cleethorpes
DN35 9DL

Mrs Michelle Steeper
Acting Headteacher

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office@sjp.academy

Our Hospitals

**Diana, Princess of Wales
Hospital**
Scarcho Road
Grimsby
North East Lincolnshire
DN33 2BA
01472 874111

Parish Safeguarding Team

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(lead)

&

Sarah Pollard
(deputy lead)
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Sunday: Yr. C - Weekday: Cycle I

Eucharistic Prayer: II - Psalter: IV

Saturday 8th November - Feria

10.00am - Mass - Cleethorpes

Deceased Relatives, Friends and Parishioners

**5.00pm - Immingham - Vigil Mass - Deceased Members of the
Conway and Allen Families - Claire**

6.00pm - Grimsby - Polish Language Vigil Mass



Remembrance Sunday



Sunday 9th Nov - Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Feast)

9.00am - Cleethorpes - Mass - People of God

11.00am - Grimsby - Mass - Susan Mbi Enoch RIP - Vivian Enoch

Monday 10th November - Saint Leo the Great, pope

No Mass/No Service

Safeguarding Refresher Training - 6.00pm - Cleethorpes
PARISH HALL - THIS IS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS
who completed their training prior to 2025

Tuesday 11th November - Saint Marti of Tours, bishop

9.30am - Rosary - Sorrowful Mysteries

**10.00am - Grimsby - Mass - Emily Smiech RIP, Marie Hughes RIP &
Margaret Bishop RIP - Pauline Adiotomre**

Wednesday 12th November - Saint Josaphat, bishop & martyr

3.00pm - Grimsby - Mass at Diana Princess of Wales Hospital (Monthly)

5.45pm - Grimsby - Eucharistic Adoration with Confessions

6.30pm - Grimsby - Mass - For the Intentions of Joseph Ogbonna

Thursday 13th November - Feria

9.00am - Cleethorpes - Rosary - Luminous Mysteries

**9.30am - Cleethorpes - Mass - Deceased Members of OCDS Holy
Rosary Group - ocds**

Friday 14th November - Feria

5.45pm - Cleethorpes - Eucharistic Adoration with Confessions

**6.30pm - Cleethorpes - Mass - For healing for Stacie Hutchinson -
Stacie Hutchinson**

Saturday 15th November - Albert the Great, bishop & martyr

10.00am - Holy Hour in Cleethorpes

10.00am until Noon - Confessions in Cleethorpes

5.00pm - Immingham - Vigil Mass - People of God

6.00pm - Grimsby - Polish Language Vigil Mass

Sunday 16th Nov - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00am - Cleethorpes - Mass - Antonio Ieronomi RIP - Concetta Ieronomi

**11.00am - Grimsby - Mass - In thanksgiving for the Birthday of
Chinua Chukwuemeka**

Annual Blessings of Graves - Please see notice of times

Overview

The Diocese of Nottingham is offering three online courses to help build catechists confidence and knowledge to live this wonderful ministry. If you are starting out as a Catechist or have been one for a number of years there will be something here for you. You can choose to study one, two or all three courses.

The courses are:

- **Encountering Catechesis** exploring the foundations of parish catechesis.
- **Discipleship Catechesis** examining core Church teachings and how to pass them on.
- **Missionary Catechesis** discovering how your parish can go beyond sacramental preparation.

Why Study?

- Gain confidence
- Expand your knowledge
- Grow in faith and understanding
- Network with other catechists
- Explore new ideas and methods
- Study in the comfort of your own home
- Flexible payment options
- Evening sessions

Next Steps

E: formation@dioceseofnottingham.uk
T: 0115 9539841

Scan the QR Code to
fill out our enquiry form.



Catechist Formation & Training Pathways

'GO MAKE DISCIPLES'



Encountering Catechesis

Who is it for?
These four sessions will explore key principles of Catechesis to build confidence. It is great for those considering being a catechist or wanting to get the foundations right.
Cost: £25

"Overall gaining more knowledge on the faith was invaluable...Child safety session very good especially for catechesis work in the parish."

Dates	Topics
5/11/25	What is the Kerygma (the Gospel)?
12/11/25	What is Catechesis?
19/11/25	How do I choose and use catechetical resources and programmes?
26/11/25	What do I need to know about safeguarding and leading a group?

Discipleship Catechesis

Who is it for?
These six sessions will explore key elements of the Catholic Faith and how they can be explored through Catechesis. It would suit a catechist who wishes to go deeper in their knowledge and understanding.
Cost: £50

"I really enjoyed the course it came at just the right time for my catechesis work... It gave me confidence, encouragement & very informative."

Dates	Topics
28/1/26	Jesus Christ – our way to God
4/2/26	The Holy Bible – God speaks to us
11/2/26	Prayer and Liturgy – we speak with God
25/2/26	The Church – God’s Family
4/3/26	The Sacraments – Encounter God
11/3/26	Morality & Catholic Social Teaching – Human person made in the image of God

Missionary Catechesis

Who is it for?
These four sessions will help identify key principles to develop a culture of ongoing catechesis, formation and discipleship. Ideal for those more experienced catechists or anyone who would like to take their catechesis further.
Cost: £25

"I thought the course did well to cover a range of catechetical work in parish settings and bringing in speakers from outside also made it interesting."

Dates	Topics
22/4/26	Leading a team of catechists and creating your own resources
29/4/26	Ongoing Formation and Discipleship
6/5/26	Family Focused Catechesis
13/5/26	Catechesis with people with Special or Additional Needs

It is normal for parishes to cover the cost of catechist training, so please speak to your parish priest.

FULL COURSE DISCOUNT: SIGN UP TO ALL THREE COURSES FOR ONLY £85 SAVING 15%