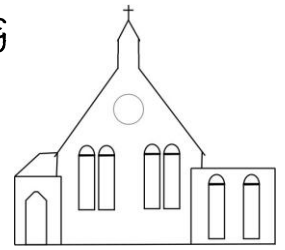
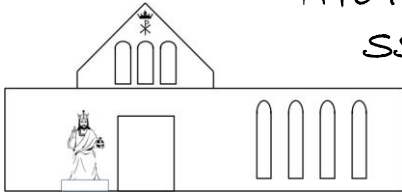


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5th week of Easter

Weekly Bulletin 14th May - 22th May 2022



Alfreton:

Saturday 14th May: 6.30pm Mass:
Sr Ann Marie Buckley Ints
Sunday 15th May: 10.30am Mass:
Parish Ints
Monday 16th May: No Mass
Wednesday 18th May: Christopher Plummer RIP
9am Adoration: 9.30am Mass
Friday 20th May: Mary Stenson RIP
9 am Adoration: 9.30 am Mass

Next weekend's Masses

Saturday 21st May: 6.30pm
Sunday 22th May: Tess Stewart RIP
10.30am Mass

Clay Cross:

Sunday 15th May: 9 am Mass: Holy Souls
Tuesday 17th May: Holy Souls
09:30am Adoration, 10am Mass
Thursday 19th May: Holy Souls
9.30am Adoration, 10am Mass

Next weekend's Mass

Sunday 22th May: 9am Mass:

May Cleaners

Alfreton – Polly & Pat & Elsie
Clay Cross – Veronica Grant & Jackie Makinson

Sick & Housebound

Please pray for – Sara Lane, Shirley Oakes, Ian Martin, Val Kerlin, Betty Deane, Mary Pfeffer, Hazel Titon, Martin Mullally, Teresa Stewart, Leah Philbin, Elsie Stewart, Brian Bradford, Sr Helen, Peter Egan, Ted Bennett, Jim Johnson, Rob Lane, John Oliver, Karen Parker and Tony Davey
Please remember all in our parish who need our prayers

Week's Readers: Alfreton:

Saturday 6.30pm Moya A
Sunday 10.30am Fiona
Clay Cross: Sunday 9am Ted Bennett
Next Week's Readers: Alfreton
Saturday 6.30pm Veronica Grant
Sunday 10.30am Catherine Galloway
Clay Cross: Sunday 9am David Johnson

Collection for 07th – 08th May 2022

Alfreton
Envelopes £72.00
Loose Plate £122.14
Total £194.14

Clay Cross
Envelopes £ 52.00
Loose Plate £ 102.00
Total £154.00

Grand Total £348.14

Standing order £203.40, 2nd Collection £30.30
Repository £3.60, Candles £8.88, Hall Hire £222.50,
Many thanks for your generosity

“Not in doing what you like, but in liking what you do is the secret of happiness” J.M. Barrie

A BIG CONGRATULATIONS to our 39 young children who received the Holy Eucharist for the very first time on Saturday. Thank you to our Sacramental Preparation Team who helped prepare our young children especially Megan Watts, Victoria Garside, Mrs Katie Slater, Katie Rayner and Fiona Molumby.

Live Video Stream: We now have the facility to stream our Masses at present it will be 10.30 on Sunday. The link will be available on our website and parish Facebook account. It is an opt out consent basis for adults. Those who can be seen are anyone assisting on the altar, all others are rear of heads. If you are wishing to discuss please contact one of our Safeguarding reps. For children we will have a sheet for signing (*signature required once only*) by parents. Other occasions to be filmed will be announced.

Diocesan pilgrimage to Walsingham can either borrow school minibus or hire one if enough people wish to go on Saturday 11th June, leave Alfreton 8am return approximately 7pm. Anyone interested please add your name to the list in the porch. Any more details required please refer to Fiona Molumby.

A LGBT+ Pastoral Ministry Mass will be celebrated by the Bishop on Saturday 21st May at 1.00pm in Our Lady and Saint Joseph's church, Matlock (DE4 3NG). All are very welcome.

"I was in Prison..." on Saturday 21st May will be a lively and nourishing day to listen to the lived experience of prisoners and their families, and discover simple ways you can help individually or as a parish. Pact, the Catholic prison charity, are joining forces with Caritas for the conference at Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Bulwell, Nottingham. The day will include the work of Pact, prison chaplains, and the Welcome Directory. More information is at bit.ly/iwasinprison or email parish.action@prisonadvice.org.uk

Bishop Patrick warmly invites people from across the diocese to Saint Barnabas Cathedral on Thursday 2nd June for Happy and Glorious, a musical celebration to mark the Platinum Jubilee of HM The Queen. Tickets for the evening are available at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/jubilee. Come and join HM's Lord Lieutenant and other guests as we give thanks to God for The Queen.

Social Theology and the Common Good is a series of events organised by Lincoln Cathedral in partnership with the Diocese of Nottingham. Join leading national speakers to explore how Catholic Social Teaching and Anglican Social Theology can renew public life. The first lecture is on Tuesday 7th June with Jenny Sinclair, founder director of Together For The Common Good: "Just Responsibility? How can social theology help us play our part in spiritual and civic renewal?" Find out more at <https://bit.ly/CommonGoodLincoln>

A Blessed Sacrament Procession, led by Bishop Patrick, will be celebrated on Corpus Christi, Sunday 19th June, starting from Saint Mary's church in Hyson Green, Nottingham (NG7 6FZ) at 2pm, and finishing at our Cathedral at around 4pm. All are very welcome – especially First Holy Communion children – see the poster for more details.

Retreat for Young Adults in Walsingham 10th-11th June Christus Vivit (the Diocese's Young Adult Ministry) is organising a retreat for Young Adults (18-35) to coincide with the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham. The cost of the retreat is £60 (full board including transport from the diocese), there are also a limited number of 50% funded places. Please email cv@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information, or to sign up by Monday 16th May.

Marriage Care – Volunteers Needed! Your local Marriage Care centre is looking for a Centre Coordinator to lead and support the centre team, as well as Marriage Preparation Facilitators to help prepare couples for the Sacrament of Marriage. We are also recruiting Trustees to join the national board. Find out more about how you could help support couples and families at: www.marriagecare.org.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

Bookings are now open for the Nottingham Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage – under the leadership of Bishop Patrick, from Monday 4th until Friday 8th July. Full details are on the Tangney Tours website: <https://www.tangney-tours.com/nottingham>, or for more details contact Father Simon Gillespie (simon.gillespie@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

The Christian Leadership Formation Programme is running again, and is open to applications from students in Lower Sixth (Year 12), with a deadline of Friday 3rd June. The programme is for students who are actively committed to their faith, intellectually gifted, and who are committed to shaping a Christian society through their careers. It provides a spiritual and philosophical / theological formation in the Catholic tradition around themes relating to the common good, as well as workshops in skills pertaining to public life. Scholarships are available. More information, and the application form is available at: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/clf/>.

Synod 2023: Regular updates about the Synod are posted on our diocesan website at: <http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/synod2023>
Information about the Synod around the world can be found on the Vatican's website at: <https://www.synod.va/en.html>