

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM
Our Lady of Victories & St. Alphonsus, 28, Bitteswell Road, Lutterworth LE17 4EY

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10 - 11 August 2024

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WEEKEND & WEEKDAY MASSES

Our Lady of Victories & St Alphonsus, Lutterworth – Mass Times -

St. Pius X, Narborough

Sat	10 th	Aug	6.00pm	
Sun	11 th	Aug	11.00am	Rosary at 10.30
Tues	13 th	Aug	10.30am	9.30 Adoration. 10.05 Rosary
Thurs	15 th	Aug	10.30am	Holy Day of obligation – The Assumption of the
Sat	18 th	Aug	6.00pm	Blessed Virgin Mary
Sun	19 th	Aug	11.00am	Rosary at 10.30

Sat	10 th	Aug	4.00pm
Sun	11 th	Aug	9.30am
Mon	12 th	Aug	9.30am
Sat	18 th	Aug	4.00pm
Sun	19 th	Aug	9.30am

Lutterworth: **Tues. 9.30 – 10.30 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT & ROSARY** Narborough: **Mon. 9.00 – 10.00**

Sat. 5.30pm before evening Mass **WEEKLY CONFESSIONS** Sat: 3.30pm and before and after Masses.

Please pray for those who are sick and those who are housebound: Sarah Sykes, Edward Taylor, Tara Viljoen, Hayley Dunnill, Kaci Dunnill, Cathy Mansell, Eileen Fox, Fr. John Joe Maloney, Anne Spurrier Kit Boneham, John Southern, Mary Cremins. And, for those who have died recently. May they rest in peace and rise in glory. If anyone wishes to have their name included here, for the congregation to pray for them, please sign one of the forms available in the Porch and address it to Fr. Joel, to enable us to comply with GDPR (General Data Protection Regulations). **If you wish to have your name removed from the list at any time, please also let us know.**

Church Teachings: The next session will be in the Hall on Wednesday, 4th September, at 7pm. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME.**

The Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist:

(See Catechism of the Catholic Church [CCC]). The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life. For in the Blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely, Christ himself, our Pasch (CCC 1324). By the Eucharistic celebration we already unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life (CCC 1326).

The first announcement of the Eucharist divided the disciples, just as the announcement of the Passion scandalised them: This is a hard saying; who can listen to it (Jn: 6:60)? The Eucharist and the Cross are stumbling blocks. Will you also go away (Jn.: 6: 67)? To receive in faith the gift of the Eucharist is to receive the Lord himself (CCC1336).

Adoremus is back! Adoremus is a Eucharist centred event that was last held in Liverpool, in 2018. The focus of the day is on the Eucharist with Mass, Adoration, and Benediction as well as keynote speakers; Bishop Alan McGuckian of Down & Connor, and Sister Margaret Atkins OSA. It is being held at St Mary's, Oscott on Saturday 14th September 2024. Tickets are £10.00. Tickets are being held for young adults and there are limited tickets, so it is first come first served. See full details and Timetable in the Poster on the Noticeboard and to use QR Code to sign up.

SURVIVE MIVA (supporting evangelisation/mission through the provision of means of transport in developing countries) will be in the parish on 17/18 August to preach their charity and request financial support.

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, for the Eighteenth Sunday of the Year:

Elijah appears with Moses on the Mount of the Transfiguration, bearing witness to Jesus as the fulfilment of the Old Testament prophecies. In prayer, he grew in discernment of the Lord's will and found the courage to denounce injustice, even at great personal cost. Elijah's experience of God in prayer culminated, as we know, when the Lord appeared to him not in wind and fire, but in a quiet whisper. May we strive to discern God's will every day of our lives.

To read the full reflection and find more resources at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

Funeral: The Funeral of Anthony Johnston will be held in this church on Friday 23rd August at 11.00am. May he rest in eternal peace. Please keep his family in your prayers at this sad time.

Readers Rotas: Available for collection from the Noticeboard. Please collect one ASAP as there has been a slight change to the end of August **Weekday** Readers, due to an error on the previous publication.

Peace: We pray that peace will be restored throughout our Nation and that we will see an end to the violence that has overshadowed the grief of the Southport families following the deaths of their precious children



Tea & coffee: is served in the Hall on Sundays & Thursdays after Mass. Please join us. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

The Scrabble Group: Meet in the Hall on Tuesdays 2 – 5pm approx. All enquiries to Jo on 07471 032396 **EVERYONE IS WELCOME**

Fr. Joel Nwalozie, Fr John Joe Maloney, Fr. Jim Cahill, Deacon Kevin & Parishioners extend a warm welcome to new Parishioners and all visitors. Deadline for items for the Newsletter – noon on Wednesdays: johnston.nora@gmail.com
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