

Parish News – 6th Sunday of Easter

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Sunday 17th May	<i>6th Sunday of Easter</i>	Private Mass	Dorothy Clewes - In thanksgiving
Monday 18th May	<i>Easter Feria</i>	Private Mass	Deceased members of Fitzgerald and Keane Family
Tuesday 19th May	<i>Easter Feria</i>	Private Mass	Requiem Mass for John O'Callaghan
Weds 20th May	<i>Easter Feria</i>	Private Mass	Joanne Wostley
Thurs 21st May	<i>The Ascension of the Lord</i>	Private Mass	Joyce and Andrew Keane RIP
Friday 22nd May	<i>Easter Feria</i>	Private Mass	Alice Isitt RIP
Sat 23rd May	<i>Easter Feria</i>	Private Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 24th May	<i>7th Sunday of Easter</i>	Private Mass	John Paul Leonard

Masses and other devotions available on the internet.

Bishop Patrick McKinney - Has a channel on Youtube. He is broadcasting from Bishop's House

Fr Neil Peoples - I am also on Youtube and will be filming the Masses

www.churchservices.tv/nottinghamcathedral - Masses live from **St Barnabas Cathedral**, Nottingham

www.knockshrine.ie you can watch Masses etc from the **Shrine of our Lady of Knock**

www.walsingham.org.uk you can watch Masses etc from the **Shrine of our Lady of Walsingham**

Churches together in Swadlincote

Churches Together in Swadlincote have been made aware of the need for hot meals for some individuals and families across Swadlincote. We are looking to address this need by providing a hot meal once a week on a Friday and delivering these to the identified people. We are working with the council and CVS to identify people and make deliveries but need volunteers, particularly those with current hygiene certificates to cook food. We will be based at Emmanuel Church hall. If you can help please let Rev Stella know by Monday 18th May her email address is greenwoodstella@yahoo.com

Postponement of First Holy Communion and Confirmation

With the latest announcements from the Government, we are looking at Churches not being open until the beginning of July at the earliest. So this means sadly that the First Holy Communion and Confirmation in our parishes will have to be postponed.

At this time, there is no point trying to set new dates, with regards First Holy Communion, we will give a month's notice on the new dates.

For Confirmation we will be depending on dates that the Bishop can do, I can only imagine that his diary is going to be very busy, trying to fit in all the Confirmations that have been postponed, as well as those already booked in. I will do my best to get a good date but we might be looking at a summer date in 2021.

Baptism

During this time, we will not be holding any baptism classes and those baptisms that have been arranged will only take place if the lockdown has stopped. I will contact families to arrange a new date if the original date is not possible. **Please note that Baptism will take place in cases of emergency.**

Sacrament of the Sick

During the lockdown, the sacrament of the sick is still being administered to those in danger of death. So please don't hesitate to contact me.

May God Bless you and your families.

Fr Neil