



The Parish of Our Lady of the Angels, Mercia

With the churches of St Joseph the Worker, Winshill &
Ss. Peter & Paul's, Swadlincote,
including Repton the ancient capital of Mercia.

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5th Sunday of Easter



Date	Vocation Intention	Feast	Time	Church	Intention/Service
Saturday 27th April	Nottingham Seminarians	Vigil of 5th Sunday of Easter	5.00pm 6.00pm	SSPP STJ	The Quinn Family Polish Mass
Sunday 28th April	School Chaplains	5th Sunday of Easter	9.00am 11.00am 5.00pm	STJ SSPP STJ	Bridget Oldfield RIP Judith Frith RIP Frances McNeal
Tuesday 30th April	NDCYS and Young People	Tuesday of the 5th week of Eastertide	6.00pm- 7.00pm	STJ	Adoration Hour
Wednesday 1st May	Vocations to the Priesthood	Wednesday of the 5th week of Eastertide	10.00am	SSPP	Celebration of Word and Communion
Friday 3rd May	Vocations to the Diaconate	Friday of the 5th week of Eastertide	5.30pm	SSPP	Rosary & Divine Mercy
Saturday 4th May	All Discerners	Vigil of 6th Sunday of Easter	5.00pm 6.00pm	SSPP STJ	Ken Jackson RIP Polish Mass
Sunday 5th May	Our Schools	6th Sunday of Easter	9.00am 11.00am 5.00pm	STJ SSPP STJ	Melanie Purcell RIP Klarissa, Brendan, Tristan & Saxon INT All Parish EMHC's Team

**St Vincent De Paul (SVP) Conference Group
within the Parish area**

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PARISH NEWSLETTER
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Please note that there are no weekday Masses while Fr Neil is away

If you are in need of priest urgently, please contact:

St Mary & St Modwen, Burton 01283 563246

Our Lady of Lourdes, Mickleover 01332 514107

Our Lady of Lourdes, Ashby 01530 412237

Cafod Appeal for Sudan

The people of Sudan need our help urgently.

We are launching an [emergency appeal](#) for donations to get aid to them on the biggest scale we can muster. When violence broke out last year in Sudan between government and paramilitaries, most aid agencies evacuated. Now, humanitarian workers are struggling to get back into Sudan to help, meaning severe delays in getting aid to the people, and the challenges of getting into areas where fighting is still going on remain but the Church and our local partners are still there.

Please, stand with them today and donate if you are able to:

[Sudan Crisis Appeal \(cafod.org.uk\)](http://cafod.org.uk)

A Year of Encounter

With a UK general election due sometime this year, politicians will be looking for our votes. We have a responsibility as Catholics to make sure that parties commit to tackling issues such as poverty and injustice. Raising our voices and contacting parliamentary candidates as a parish community will send a strong signal to those standing for election in our local constituencies. *A Year of Encounter* is a joint initiative between **CAFOD** and **St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP)**, equipping Catholics to ask key questions of local candidates at the key moments. Please see cafod.org.uk/encounter for more information, including online sessions on Saturday 4th May to learn more.

Bishop Patrick invites you to a free online webinar, on Tuesday 21 st May, 6.00 – 8.00pm,

led by best-selling author and eminent speaker Sherry Weddell. Sherry has developed numerous unique formation resources that are used around the world. The seminar will be particularly relevant to parish catechists, teachers, pastoral ministers, religious, priest and deacons, and parishioners who wish to know more about evangelisation. Don't miss this opportunity to attend this free event: register at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/sw

**Christus Vivit Juniors group next meeting on Wednesday 15th May 2024
at 6.00pm until 7.30pm STJ Parish Centre**

New training Course in September for Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion

There will be a choice of three weekend alternatives for candidates to attend across the Diocese. For further information and to obtain an application form.

Please contact the parish office preferably by email.

**MAY ROSARY PROCESSION AT SS MARY AND MODWEN PARISH BURTON ON TRENT:
SATURDAY 18TH MAY 2024: 10:30AM**

There will be a Rosary Procession round Burton town centre on Saturday 18th May 2024 at 10:30am in honour of Our Blessed Mother Mary, Queen of the May.

[Pilgrimage to Walsingham Shrine Saturday 15th June 2024 Praying for Vocations](#)

Please sign the sheets at the back of the Church if you would like to go on a coach.

The **NDCYS** will be joining the **Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 13th- 20th July**

If there are young people in your parish in Year 10 upwards who may benefit from this opportunity, please contact bookings@ndcys.com