



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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20th Sunday of Ordinary Time

<u>Date</u>	<u>Vocation Intention</u>	<u>Feast</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Intention/Service</u>
Saturday 17th August	Bishop Patrick McKinney	21st Sunday of Ordinary Time	11-noon 5.00pm 6.00pm	SSPP SSPP STJ	Confessions Fr Prince Polish Mass
Sunday 18th August	Permanent Diaconate	20th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.00am 11.00am 5.00pm	STJ SSPP STJ	Pat Dillon RIP Anne O'Brien RIP People of the Parish
Tuesday 20th August	Staff and Seminarians at Beda College	Feria	6.00pm- 7.00pm	STJ	Adoration Hour
Friday 23rd August	Married Life	Feria	5.30pm	SSPP	Rosary & Divine Mercy
Saturday 24th August	Staff and Seminarians at Allen Hall	22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	11-noon 5.00pm 6.00pm	SSPP SSPP STJ	Confessions Holy Souls Polish Mass
Sunday 25th August	Priests in Lincolnshire	22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.00am 11.00am 5.00pm	STJ SSPP STJ	Pat Dillon RIP People of the Parish Marciek Oramus Birthday

Fr Prince – Arrival

Fr Prince will be starting on the 31st August/1st September and we look forward to welcoming him to our parish. Fr Colin will be covering the weekend Masses for the 24th/25th August.

Farewell from Fr Neil

This weekend marks the end of my time with you as your parish priest. It has been an interesting 5 years, starting with a pandemic and lockdown and ending with me breaking my leg at the Chrism Mass. During these 5 years, I have been encouraged by your prayerfulness and love for God and for this parish and have been greatly supported by your practical help as well. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time with you and will be sad to leave but I also look forward to my next chapter – though whenever moving it is always daunting. My time has been filled with great happiness and I especially thank our three schools, the staff and pupils have all been a delight to work with and are a great way for us to share our faith with the wider community.

Please continue to pray for me, as I will for you and to any who I may have upset or disappointed during my time, please accept my deepest apology.
God Bless you all now and in to the future. Fr Neil

Mercia – Children's Choir (Ages 7-13 years)

Sign up to the new and exciting Children's Choir starting in our Parish in September!

Meeting on Wednesdays 4.30pm to 6pm at St Joseph's Church

Free to join - To sign up visit: www.nottinghamcathedral.co.uk/music/children-youth/

Adoremus: Saturday 14 September, at St Mary's College, Oscott.

The focus of the day is on the Eucharist with Mass, Adoration and Benediction. To find out more and book please visit: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/adoremus-2024

Invocation at Adoremus -Sunday 15th September at St Mary's College, Oscott

Invocation at Adoremus is a Vocation discernment day. This day will offer you the time and place, as well as resources, formation, and accompaniment to embrace what God is asking of you.

This event is being offered free of charge. Attendees must be over 18 need to be registered to attend. <https://cymfed.org.uk/invocation-at-adoremus/>

Family Pilgrimage at Mount Saint Bernard Abbey

Takes place on Sunday 1st September. Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2.00 pm followed by a Marian Procession and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic and enjoy the Abbey grounds. All are welcome. Please contact James at JNoakes@englishmartyrs.org for further details

Next Baptism Course Will take place on Thursday 29th August at Ss Peter and Paul from 7pm to 9pm.

At least one parent must attend and course must be completed before a date is set for Baptism.

RCIA – Journey in Faith For those who are interested in becoming a Catholic or for those who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith. We will be running the Sycamore Course starting on Wednesday 11th September from 7pm to 9pm in **Parish Hall at SSPP.**

For more information, please email the parish office.

FHC and Confirmation Forms For those who wish to apply for the Sacrament of Holy Communion and Confirmation, forms are available at the back of the Church. Please complete and return asap.