

**BAZAAR NEWS!!! 26th NOVEMBER 2022 9.00am until 3.00pm**

Nativity Donations Board: We have had a wonderful response to the Nativity Donations Board. If you wish to donate: View the board in the Cloister & choose a donation tab. Write your name and contact phone number on the back. Place the tab in the box provided. We'll do the rest.



Prize Draw (Tickets Monies and Counterfoils): Tickets for sale, available after mass on Saturday and Sunday. Return all counterfoils & monies in an envelope and hand it to a helper at mass on Saturday or Sunday. Alternatively, post your envelope through Fr Chris's door. Thank you so much for help and support.

Bits & Pieces Stall: Celia would be most grateful for donations of: TOILETRIES.

Refectory Stall: Wendy would be most grateful for donations of: HOME MADE JAMS & CHUTNEYS

Cake Stall: (Cake boxes available, after masses, if required) Janet would be most grateful for: Sponge cakes, Fruit cakes, Cup cakes, Fairy cakes, or any other cake you can think of, even if it's purchased. Please ensure your cakes arrives in the Octagonal Hall either Friday evening 25th November or Saturday morning 26th November, so they're nice & fresh!! And of course all the usual such as bottles!

Advertise the Bazaar: Please tell all your relatives and friends about the bazaar SATURDAY 26th NOVEMBER, DOORS OPEN 9.00am till 3.00pm. Father Christmas has confirmed he will be with us all day, with presents for all the Children & Grandchildren. Ho! Ho! Ho! Thankyou! With your help and support, we will have a really successful Bazaar.

There are Posters available as well. To advertise it.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR VALUED SUPPORT. (We can't do it without you)

**THIRD WORLD GROUP:** Due to the ongoing limitations on social events for fund-raising, our main source of income at the moment is selling items on eBay, but our stock is dwindling. If we are to keep our promises to our beneficiaries we must maintain this activity. Please look through your cupboards, drawers, lofts, even sheds and garages, for good quality items that you no longer need. Clothing is the most popular but anything as long as it is in good condition and still has some value. Our box is under the table opposite the noticeboard in the cloister.

**Annual Caritas Assembly "Bring your loaves and fishes" Saturday 5 November, 10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. at St Joseph's Pastoral Centre, Goodwood Road, Leicester LE5 6SG**

A day of listening, discerning and acting together on the cost-of-living crisis with national and local speakers, including Sean Ryan of Together for the Common Good, and a range of afternoon workshops. As we head into the winter, and potentially two years of pressure on the poorest households, join us to share what we bring from our parishes, build common purpose and let the unexpected happen. You are invited to start the day with the breaking of bread, at Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick. 10.00 Mass; 11.00 Introduction and 'parish swapshop' 11.20 Keynote speakers and discussion about how to start something. 1.00 Lunch and swap-shop continues 1.45 Workshops (see opposite) 3.15 Action planning 4.00 Closing liturgy. See poster & flyers

Bring your loaves and fishes is day of listening, discerning and acting together on the cost-of-living crisis with national and local speakers and facilitators: (Sean Ryan, Together for the Common Good) Dr Amy Daughton, University of Birmingham) And a wide range of practical afternoon workshops. To book visit [www.bit.ly/loavesandfishes2022](http://www.bit.ly/loavesandfishes2022) email [caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:caritas@dioceseofnottingham.uk) or call Paul Bodenham on 0115 649 1509; Also see <https://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/caritas> and Gapevine.

Judith Snape would like go with someone. Please let me know if you are interested. The workshops look interesting.



# Our Lady of Victories

Market Harborough

30th October 2022  
31st Week of Ordinary Time  
Psalter Week 3

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Parish Pastoral Council Members: see photos on notice board

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## Times of Services

### Sunday: 31st of Ordinary Time

Sat. 6.00pm: Lilly Murphy RIP (Crocker)

9.00am Mass: People of the Parish

11.00am Mass: Ewaryst Nowakowski

### Monday: Feria

9.00am Mass: Personal Int

### Tuesday: ALL SAINTS—Holy day of Obligation

10.00am Mass: Michael Hebble (school with us)

7.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

### Wednesday: ALL SOULS

10.00am Mass: Holy Souls

7.00pm Mass: November Dead List

### Thursday: Feria

10.00am Mass: Emma O'Malley RIP anniv

### Friday: St Charles Borromeo

7.00pm Mass: Rose McCabe RIP

### Saturday: Feria

6.00pm Mass: Barbara O'Malley RIP

### Sunday: 32nd of Ordinary Time

9.00am Mass: People of the Parish

11.00am Mass: Greg O'Connor RIP

## No Rosary on Sunday 30th October

**PLEASE NOTE: Please sanitise as you enter the church and we encourage people to wear masks but please respect those who do not. Please to not come to Mass if you have any symptoms of a viral infection.**



*The Son of Man  
has come to seek  
out and save what  
was lost.*

**CONFESSIONS**  
11am &  
5.15 -5.45pm  
Saturdays

**FR CHRIS WRITES: First Communion:** Our dear Catechists Kate Crawford and Rose Williams have decided to retire as our First Communion Catechists after many years of service to the Parish. We thank them. **We are now looking for new people and some from a younger generation who would like to be part of a team to prepare our children for next June or July.** This is a very great ministry and full of great blessings. Please speak or ring Fr Chris. A DBS clearance would need to be done. of world mission through prayer and study.



**All Saints – A Holyday of Obligation.** Tuesday 1st November is the Feast of All Saints. This day not only glorifies the canonised saints, who were special models of Christ's discipleship, but also those countless saints who successfully lived a good Christian life on earth, and it calls all of us to live by the norms of the Beatitudes so that one day we too may be with the saints in heaven. The school will join us for Mass at 10.00am. There is an evening Mass at 7.30pm.

**Wednesday 2nd November is the Feast of All Souls.** This is a special day when we can gather together and pray for the souls of our loved ones. Join us to remember deceased family, friends. Mass at 10.00am & 7.00pm We will have the blessing of graves on Sunday 13th November at 3.00pm at Market Harborough cemetery.

Sadly, Jeanne Edwards died on Thursday. Please pray for her, and for Michael and the family. Also, I have a graveside funeral service at Great Bowden for Howard Summer- Fergusson at 2.30pm. Howard lived here many years ago. He is to be buried with his wife Clare. Also Michael Crone died this week who will be known to some of you through the Club

**SYNOD 2021-2024:** At the end of the Sunday Angelus (16th October), the Holy Father announced that the upcoming 16<sup>th</sup> **Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops** will be held in two moments, that is, in two sessions, spaced one year apart: the first from 4<sup>th</sup> until 29<sup>th</sup> October 2023, the second in October 2024. This decision stems from the desire that the theme of a Synodal Church, because of its breadth and importance, might be the subject of prolonged discernment not only by the members of the Synodal Assembly, but by the whole Church. Moreover, this choice is in continuity with the ongoing synodal journey, to which the Pope himself referred: the Synod is not an event but a process in which the whole People of God is called to walk together toward what the Holy Spirit helps it to discern as being the Lord's will for his Church.

Synod  
2021  
2024

**SUNDAY COLLECTIONS IN CHURCH:** During COVID we have been taking the Collections as we leave Church. However the time has come, I think to take them once again in Church which is the norm. we tried it last week at the 11.00am Mass. So I am asking for volunteers or indeed families who would like to be responsible the collection and Offertory procession at a given Sunday mass. Hopefully we can produce a rota. The person on duty could ask someone to help them that day. There is a list in the Cloister for you to sign up with name Mass and contact details. Many thanks.



		11.00 a.m.	R. Lewin	B Tyrell
	Sunday, 9.00 am	C. Reed	S Acton	
	Sat. 6.00 pm	C. Baldam	E Andrews	
Readers	29/30 October	5/6 November		

**STATEMENT FROM THE CATHOLIC COUNCIL FOR THE INDEPENDENT INQUIRY INTO CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE ON THE FINAL REPORT OF THE INQUIRY:** The Panel of the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse has published its final report after seven years of work. The Catholic Council welcomes this report, thanks the Inquiry for its work and will carefully study its contents and recommendations. In the work of safeguarding all who are members of, or come into contact with, the Roman Catholic Church in England and Wales, at no point will the Church stop on its journey of dedicated effort in making the life and work of the Church safe for all. Before the publication of the case study report into the Roman Catholic Church in November 2020, the Church commissioned an independent review into its safeguarding work and structures which is in the process of being implemented. The new national safeguarding body, the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA), which began operational work in April 2021, provides a regulatory function to organisations within the Church in England and Wales ensuring that standards are upheld, and all safeguarding processes adhered to. These changes were fully aligned with the Inquiry's recommendations in the case study report. Key to this progress is the voice of victims and survivors of abuse which has been an integral element in the development of this new agency. The Church remains committed to listening with humility to those who have been hurt by the actions of Church members so that their experiences will inform our work. It is important for us to again offer an unreserved apology to all those who have been hurt by abuse in the Roman Catholic Church in England and Wales and to reaffirm our commitment to the continued refinement and improvement of our safeguarding work to protect all children and the vulnerable. Cf <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/safeguarding/> <https://www.catholicsafeguarding.org.uk/>

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING WORLD MISSION SUNDAY:**

Thankyou very much for your donations to World Mission Sunday last week with a collection of £305.60. Your prayers and support of World Mission Sunday will help missionaries work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Please pray for the work of Missio and all those working to offer the love of Jesus, that we may remain strong in our witness to Christ's love for all peoples. To continue supporting mission throughout the year, please go to [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk) or call 020 7821 9755 (office hours).



**WELCOMERS NEEDED:** We're very short of welcomers at the 11am Mass, so if you mostly go to that Mass and think that you could spare a half hour or so, once a month (or less often if that's what you can manage) to welcome your fellow parishioners we'd love to hear from you. New volunteers to welcome at other Masses would be very helpful too. Please contact Theresa Kendrick on 07748 591398 or Beatrice Stewart on 01858 465492, or just have a word with Fr Chris.

**November Month of the Holy Souls - NOVEMBER DEAD LIST:** The Catholic Tradition of praying for the Holy Souls, particularly our own departed family and friends, takes on a special focus in November. During this month and during the rest of the year Masses will be offered with this intention in mind. If you would like to make a list of your deceased loved ones, it will be placed near the Altar during our November Masses. An offering is given and a series of Masses are offered for all our dead Loved ones in November and throughout the year. **Forms & Envelopes are available as you leave Church.**

