



THE PARISH OF ST PATRICK, LEICESTER & THE DIVINE INFANT OF PRAGUE, SYSTON

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Parish Priest: Fr Paul Smith – Email: paul.smith@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Priest In Residence (Syston): Fr Tom McGovern (Retired)

Parish Administrator & Centre Manager: Mrs. Asha Philip

Parish Office: Tuesday & Wednesday. 9.00am-5.00pm.

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15th Sunday of the Year

Date	Time & Place	Intention
Sat 11 th July	4.30pm – Divine Infant	Mary Costello, RIP
	6.30pm – St. Patrick's	For the soul of Lawrence Fernandes
Sun 12 th July	8.00am – St. Patrick's	Soul of Caetano Pereira
	9.30am – St. Patrick's	Thanksgiving & God's protection Martin Mulvany
	11.15am – Divine Infant	Damacian & Rosy Pereira, RIP
Mon 13 th July <i>Feria</i>	10.00am – Divine Infant	Christopher Donaghey, Wellbeing
Tue 14 th July <i>Feria</i>	9.30am – St. Patrick's	Caitano Marcelo, RIP, 6 th Anniversary
	10.00am – Divine Infant	Shaun McDaid Intentions
Wed 15 th July <i>St. Bonaventure (M)</i>	10.00am – Divine Infant	Bishop Patrick
	7.00pm – St. Patrick's	Thomas Doherty
Thu 16 th July <i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel (O)</i>	9.30am – St. Patrick's	Peter Harty RIP
	10.00am – Divine Infant	Holy Souls
Fri 17 th July <i>Feria</i>	7.00am – St. Patrick's	Parish Volunteers
	10.00am – Divine Infant	Pope Leo XIV
Sat 18 th July <i>Sat. Mass of BVM (O)</i>	9.30am – St. Patrick's	People of the parish
	10.00am – Divine Infant	Private Intention

16th Sunday of the Year

Sat 18 th July	4.30pm – Divine Infant	Tommy & Kathleen Reilly
	6.30pm – St. Patrick's	Margaret Mullenkey
Sun 19 th July	8.00am – St. Patrick's	Indre + Arvydas Pugacivoai RIP
	9.30am – St. Patrick's	Fr. Martin Hardy, birthday
	11.15am – Divine Infant	People of the parish

(S) = Solemnity; (F) = Feast; (M) = Memorial; (O) = Optional

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & ROSARY: Please join us for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9.15am until 9.45am at Divine Infant and Wednesdays at 6:00pm until 6.45pm at St. Patrick's; the Rosary will be prayed before Mass on Monday, Wednesdays, Fridays and at Divine Infant, and before the Saturday Vigil and Sunday Morning Masses at St. Patrick's. All are welcome, especially 'retired' Catholics in our towns and district!

MASS BOOKING FOR BOTH PARISHES: It will be helpful to indicate which of the Churches you would like to have your Masses said. You can post your Mass intentions through the letter box or give it to Fr Paul or email your intentions to stpatrick.leicester@dioceseofnottingham.uk

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS : Please pray for all who are sick and in need.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND: Please inform Fr. Paul at St. Patrick's (0116 5078225) or Fr. Tom at Divine Infant (01162608476) if you or a family member are sick or housebound so someone can bring you Holy Communion. Your priest will also administer the Sacrament of the Sick to whoever requires it, so please contact them when it is required, thank you.

ONLINE BANKING SYSTEM: ST PATRICK LEICESTER RCP, ACCOUNT NUMBER 01774984, SORT CODE: 30-94-97 DIVINE INFANT PRAGUE SYSTON RCP, ACCOUNT NUMBER: 03394798, SORT CODE: 30-94-97

DIOCESE OF NOTTINGHAM REGISTERED CHARITY 1134449 REGISTERED COMPANY 7151646

ALL/ BOTH PARISHES

CONFESSION TIMES:

- St Patrick's: Wednesdays from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- The Divine Infant of Prague, Syston: Wednesday and Saturday 9.30am–9.50 am.

LEGION OF MARY: The Legionaries meet each Tuesday at 7 pm in the Church. Everyone welcome.



ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH COLLECTION

Envelopes: £ TBA Plate: £ TBA Total: £ TBA

DONA machine June £636.60

300 club Winner: John Jjuuko No: 67 £75.00

Last week's Mass attendance: 420

2nd Collection this weekend for Stella Maris

THE DIVINE INFANT OF PRAGUE, SYSTON

Gift aid: £21.00 Loose: £375.35 Total: £396.35

DONA Machine June: £127.92

Last week's Mass attendance: 123

2nd Collection this weekend for Stella Maris

Come and join us for an evening of dance with the

SHANNON RAMBLER, Friday 31st July 2026.

Doors and Bar open 7pm. Dancing starts 8pm

Tickets £7.50 in advance, £10.00 on the door

Also

an evening of singing and dancing with

CJ JACKSON, Friday 21st August 2026.

Doors and Bar open 7pm.

Tickets £10.00 each or 4 for £35.00

For tickets for both events please see Jo Edwards or contact Gina Lindsay 07738571025. Donation of raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated.

ST PATRICK'S

FRIDAY COFFEE MORNING: The next Coffee morning will be on July 17th. Please spread the word and come along. If anyone has any donations of Bric-à-brac or quality clothing etc. they would be most welcome.

FRIENDSHIP GROUP is closed for the summer and will be back in September. Please contact Alison for details and future activities.

SET DANCING: Would you like to Dance for fun and raise funds for your parish. Let's Go - Dancing on a Sunday 7.30pm St Patrick's Hall, Beaumont Leys Lane, LE4 2BD. For further info: Jo 07977 351901

CHURCH GARDENING: Wednesday, 10 am – 12 noon. All help is very much appreciated.

THE DIVINE INFANT OF PRAGUE

YOUR LOCAL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL;

Bishop Ellis Catholic Voluntary Academy, 0116 2695510

Headteacher Andrew Monaghan

www.bishopellis.leics.sch.uk

Please do contact us if you would like to visit our lovely school.

THE DIVINE INFANT OF PRAGUE NEW SOUND SYSTEM: WE HAVE BEEN QUOTED £8,284.19 FOR A NEW SOUND SYSTEM FOR THE CHURCH. ANY FUNDRAISING IDEAS OR DONATIONS WOULD BE MOST WELCOME! – FR PAUL & FR TOM

CAR PARK CAMERA! You might have noticed the new ANPR camera in the car park in Syston. From Friday 26th June, all parishioners attending Mass, and visitors to the Hall will have to input their car registration into one of the two machines we have available, either at the back of Church, or in the doorway into the Parish Hall. Once you have done this you get 24 hours parking. If you forget, please let me know! Fr. Paul



MISSIO: VOLUNTEER REQUIRED FOR THE DIVINE INFANT OF PRAGUE, SYSTON; Each parish benefits from having a dedicated volunteer to administer the mission Red Boxes to raise funds for the Pope's charity for overseas mission. More information at missio.org.uk. If you think you could carry out this ministry for The Divine Infant of Prague's Church, then please make yourself known to Fr Paul who will put you in touch with Missio. Missio provide training and support.

GENERAL NEWS

JOIN THE CARITAS WORKSHOP for everyone on Saturday 12th September at Holy Cross Priory, Leicester. Pope Leo and Pope Francis ask all the baptised to build new relationships in the Church through 'synodality' (walking together). Led by Dr Austen Ivereigh, the workshop runs from 10am until 3pm and will explore practical ways to listen, build relationships and be inspired towards mission. A donation of £20 is suggested to cover costs, though if this amount means you can't come, you are invited to give what you can. Book through at <https://bit.ly/synodalityleics> or using the QR code

MOUNT SAINT BERNARD ABBEY All are invited to a Family Mass and Picnic at Mount Saint Bernard Abbey on Sunday 13th September. Bring a chair or picnic blanket, and arrive for Mass at 2.00pm, with a Marian Procession and Adoration too. More details from jnoakes@englishmartyrs.com

A WEEK OF GUIDED PRAYER for those affected directly or indirectly by abuse in the Church is being offered by the Jesuits between Sunday 18th and Friday 23rd October. For more details visit www.jesuitinstitute.org/events

CATHOLIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION Whether you are a doctor, nurse, student, or allied profession; if you are a Catholic in healthcare join the Catholic Medical Association to grow in fellowship, prayer, and formation. For more information visit <https://catholicmedicalassociation.org.uk>