



The Catholic Church of Our Lady of the Assumption,
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and

St Francis of Assisi Church, Tamworth Road,
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Times of Masses and other Services: Fourteenth Sunday: C.

Fourteenth Week of Ordinary Time: 6th – 12th July 2025 (Weekday Cycle Year I / Psalter Week II)

G	Saturday 5th July: <i>Fourteenth Sunday of the Year: C</i> 5:00 pm: Confessions 5:30 pm: Vigil Mass; Tony Saville RIP (Anniversary) (Anne)	PARISH FINANCES
		28 th / 29 th June 2025
G	Sunday 6th July: <i>Fourteenth Sunday of the Year: C</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Pro Populo; People of the Parish 11:00 am: Mass (St Francis); Mary & Willie McHale & Deceased Members of the McHale Family (Willis) 8:30pm: Adoration & Ales; The Assumption Adoration Chapel	Envelopes: £ 266. 06 Loose Plate: £ 300. 60 S / Orders: £ 475. 70 TOTAL: £ 1042. 36
G	Monday 7th July: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 10:00 am: Mass; Louise Aldred RIP (Twomey)	Peter's Pence: £ 265. 61
G	Tuesday 8th July: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 10:00 am: Mass (St Francis); Peter McCann RIP (Curtis)	<i>Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our Parish.</i>
G	Wednesday 9th July: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 10:00 am: Mass; Holy Souls	<i>Your Prayers are requested for those who are sick:</i>
G	Thursday 10th July: <i>Weekday Feria</i> NO MORNING MASS	Kathleen Anderson, Isobel Alana Barnes, Marica Borsos, Mary Evans, Andrea Hoffman, Breda Keaney, Brenda Lowe, Michael Morrissey, Julie Mortimer, Anne – Marie Reid, Simpson Family, Eileen Thompson Kay Twomey, Evelyn Venning and John Wilcox.
W	Friday 11th July: <i>St Benedict, Abbot & Patron of Europe (Feast)</i> 10:00 am: Mass; Special Intention	
G	Saturday 12th July: <i>Fifteenth Sunday of the Year: C</i> 5:00 pm: Confessions 5:30 pm: Vigil Mass; Private Intention	
G	Sunday 13th July: <i>Fifteenth Sunday of the Year: C</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Pro Populo; People of the Parish 11:00 am: Mass (St Francis); Monica Murrell RIP (Goodhind)	

SUNDAY MISSALS (Proper Prayers & Readings Sunday pages 1016ff / Order of the Mass pages 522ff)
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY FOR STELLA MARIS (SEA SUNDAY)

REQUIESCAT IN PACE: Please remember in your prayers to pray for the repose of the soul of *(Teresa) Anne Hutchinson*, of Rosedale Close, Long Eaton, who died on **Monday 16th June 2025** aged 85 years. Anne will be received into Church on **Tuesday 15th July 2025 at 5:00 pm** and her Requiem Mass will take place on **Wednesday 16th July 2025 at 11:30 am** followed by Burial at West Park Cemetery. We pray for Anne and her family at this sad time. May she rest in peace.

CATHOLIC MEN OF THE PARISH: Join us at The Assumption, Beeston THIS **Sunday, 6th July 2025 at 8:30 pm** for an hour of Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament, followed by a drink at one of our local pubs. Hope to see you there! Any questions ask David Aldred or Fr Christopher. *(In association with Catholic Man UK. For more information see: <https://catholicman.uk/>).*

SVP RAFFLE TICKETS: will be on sale after Masses this weekend.

JUBILEE EVENING WITH DAVID WELLS: A big thank you for all who helped to make the David Wells Jubilee Talk such a great success and to all who came along to support it.

MISSIO BOXES: please can you all hand in your boxes for collection. Thanks for your continued support – *Kerry Garton.*

HOSPICE COLLECTION: Whilst praying that assisted suicide does not become Law, as an expression of practical support parishioners in our Diocese last autumn raised over £10,000 through Second Collections to support the work of the 18 hospices across our Diocese. These institutions provide superb care for those coming towards the end of life and help families to accompany their loved ones at such a difficult time. By supporting hospices in this way, as Catholics we are putting into practical action our prayers for a respect and a dignity of life, from conception to natural death.

ANNUAL INTERDIOCESAN PADLEY PILGRIMAGE: in honour of the martyrs Blessed Robert Ludlam and Blessed Nicholas Garlick is being celebrated on **Sunday 6th July 2025**. Pilgrims are invited to arrive early and picnic in the grounds; then to meet at Grindleford Station (S32 2JA) at 3:00 pm before the procession to the Mass, Celebrated by Bishop Ralph (Hallam) at 3:30pm, with Bishop Patrick preaching. More details are on the poster.

THE DIOCESAN CATHOLIC YOUTH SERVICE: is looking for its third and final **Programme Leader** to complete their Programme Team for the next academic year. Visit ndcys.com/job-vacancies or email recruitment@ndcys.com for more information. The closing date is **Friday 18th July 2025**.

LOURDES FROM HOME – SIGN UP NOW: Join the Diocesan Pilgrimage from wherever you are, between **Monday 14th and Friday 18th July 2025**. Free registration gives access to live streams and the chance to have your intentions taken to the Grotto. You can also order a Pilgrim Pack for just £10 (including UK postage) including prayer resources, the official pilgrimage book, a Robin Hood hat, and a candle lit in Lourdes for your intention. at: dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/lourdes-from-home or email: communications@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information.

ACCOMMODATION IN NOTTINGHAM SOUGHT: My name is Henri de Cacqueray and I am currently in my first year of engineering school in France. Between mid – September and mid – December, I will be in England to study at Nottingham Trent University. I am looking for accommodation in exchange for services and a moderate rent. I studied at a Seminary until last year and the director, Father de Lacoste, will provide a reference if required. If you are able to offer accommodation, or know of anyone who might be able to, I would be very grateful if you could contact me: henridecac@gmail.com +33 769 025 898.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME & ASSISI IN THIS HOLY YEAR: led by Canon Chris Thomas, Parish Priest at Holy Family Parish, East Nottingham. Flying from Birmingham on **Monday 3rd November 2025** and returning **Friday 7th November 2025** with accommodation in Rome for 2 nights and 2 nights in Assisi. The cost is £1056 per person plus £135 for single supplement. They have seven spaces left – itinerary includes; procession through the Holy Doors, Mass in St Peter's, guided tour of the City, visiting the Catacombs and St Paul's outside the walls. Contact Diane at ccen@dioceseofnottingham.uk for further information and booking form or contact Tangney Tours: Sarah@tangney-tours.com.

Items for the newsletter can be given to Fr Christopher or e – mailed to frcathomas@outlook.com by WEDNESDAY (before 6:00 pm) of each week for inclusion in the next issue.