



Our Lady of the Angels, East Leake

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Pentecost & Seventh Week of Ordinary Time 18-26 May

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Saturday Vigil Mass*	18th May	5.30 -5.50pm 6pm	Confessions Bob and Irene Harlow RIP
Pentecost Sunday*	19th May	11am	People of the Parish
Monday BVM, Mother of the Church	20th May	10am	No Mass Intention
Tuesday Feria	21st May	10am 10.30-11.00am	No Mass Intention Exposition & Benediction
Wednesday Feria	22nd May		No Public Mass
Thursday Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	23rd May		No public Mass
Friday Feria	24th May		No public Mass
Saturday Vigil Mass	25th May	5.30-5.50pm 6pm	Confessions People of the Parish
Trinity Sunday	26th May	11am	George Sparkes Intentions

Confessions: before the Saturday evening Mass or by making an appointment with Fr Michael

Pentecost, a day of Special Prayer for the Church. Bishop Patrick writes: “may I encourage everyone in the diocese to wear something red to Mass this Pentecost as a sign of their desire for their hearts to be filled afresh with the fire of the Holy Spirit.” A page on the diocesan website has been set up with more details about Pentecost, and photographs of parishioners in red can be uploaded to: www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/wear-red-for-pentecost

The Vigil Mass for Pentecost has its own readings which must be used. Copies of the readings will be made available for those attending on Saturday evening.

A reflection from Pope Francis for the Year of Prayer, Pentecost Sunday: Jesus’ example of praise calls us to respond as he did at times when we feel God is absent or evil seems victorious: in this way we come to view things in a new and greater perspective. Saint Francis of Assisi, praised God for everything, even “Sister Death”; Francis, together with all the saints, teaches us the importance, in all the circumstances of our lives, of praising God who is always faithful and whose love is eternal. The full reflection and more resources are at dioceseofnottingham.uk/yearofprayer

Holy Family Sisters of the Needy Mission this weekend We welcome Sister Dymphna from The Holy Family Sisters of the Needy who will be making an appeal at both Masses.

Race Night Friday, 21st June 7pm. Tickets for this fun evening will be on sale after Masses this weekend. All proceeds to Aid to the Church in Need. £10 including a ploughman's supper.

Young Adults in the Diocese of Nottingham Brief details of some upcoming events:

- Thursday 23rd May 6.00pm-8.00pm: Karen Foong is speaking on *Our Lady* at Sacred Heart Church, Mere Road, Leicester. Rolling start from 6pm ending with Compline and social time.

- *Restoring Pugin Young Adults Forum*: the young adults of the diocese have been invited to Saint Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham on Tuesday 4th June for an evening to discuss the ongoing Restoring Pugin project. Food is provided and the evening is from 6:30pm – 8:30pm. Sign up on the diocesan website.

- *Young Adults in Walsingham*: The diocesan young adult group is travelling to Walsingham overnight on 15th/16th June, joining the Diocese of Nottingham on the annual pilgrimage. For costs and more information visit www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/walsingham-2024-young-adults-pilgrimage

Warmer Welcome workshop: Monday 20th May at 7.00pm. Caritas invites anyone involved in a parish hospitality or outreach project to their next online 'Warmer Welcome' workshop – a friendly opportunity to get support and advice from fellow organisers around the diocese and diocesan staff. Visit bit.ly/WarmerWelcome to book your place.

FAQs on assisted suicide Please see the parish website for replies to some frequently asked questions on Assisted Suicide and why the Church has always been against euthanasia and assisted suicide.

Prayer for Peace 20th May 11.50am You are invited to join Bishop Patrick in Prayer for Peace. This short period of prayer is a schools' response to the various conflicts affecting thousands of people across the world, especially in Sudan, Gaza & Ukraine. Joining together in prayer will be a powerful way of showing solidarity with those suffering in these countries. Please join with Bishop Patrick in praying the Angelus & CAFOD's Prayer which you will find on our parish website.

First Holy Communions We are getting ever closer to the wonderful celebration of first holy communion with our children on Sunday the 9th of June. We will continue the celebrations after Mass in the parish rooms. If you would like to contribute to the breakfast, there is a list in the Narthex. Please add your name next to the item you'd like to bring or add your own speciality! Thank you.

Upcoming CAMEO and other parish events (until the end of June)

Thursday	6th & 20th June	10.00am 10.30am - 12 noon	Service of the Word and Holy Communion CAMEO Coffee morning <i>All Welcome</i>
Thursday	23 & 30th May, 13 & 27 June	8pm	CAMEO Zoom Session: Talks Quizzes, Updates
Sunday	02 June	12 noon	Tea & Coffee in Parish Room at the back of our church – ALL welcome
Sunday	09 June	11am	First Holy Communions (please keep Toby, Lanre, Elicia and Sophia in your prayers)
Tuesday	11 June	7pm	Parishes Linking Team Meeting (at Shepshed)
Wednesday	19 June	7pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Friday	21 June	7pm	Race Night - Parish Room