

RED WEDNESDAY

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Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) have asked Dioceses to make the following request:

'The world is largely silent when it comes to religious persecution, so it is up to us to defend religious freedom and shine a light on the suffering of persecuted Christians and others – especially in Syria, Iraq, Nigeria, Pakistan and China. Your prayers and action are vital. Be visible. Wear something red. Light your local landmark red. For information; prayer resources; lighting instructions; to add your event/action to ACN's #Red Wednesday Map and for a FREE fundraising pack to help displaced Christian families in Syria, Nigeria and over 100 other countries across the world please visit:

<https://acnuk.org/our-campaigns/red-wednesday/>

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS

"THE GOD WHO SPEAKS": A Year of the Word 2019-2020 Scripture lies at the centre of everything the Church does. In 2020, the 10th anniversary of Pope Benedict's Apostolic Exhortation *Verbum Domini*, and in conjunction with the Bible Society, the Bishops' Conference is undertaking a special year, with the focus on the Word of God. Look out for a range of events, activities and resources to participate in, all around the country.

SAINT JOHN HENRY NEWMAN



May He support us all the day long,
till the shades lengthen
and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.
Then in His mercy
may He give us a safe lodging,
and a holy rest and peace at the last.
Amen.

THIS WEEK'S NEWMAN QUOTE

"A man would do nothing if he waited until he could do it so well that no one could find fault."



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THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 3rd November 2019

HYMNS

First Reading: Wisdom 11:22-12:2

Psalm: 144:1-2.8-11.13-14

Responsorial Psalm

I will bless your name forever, O God my King

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Entrance: A New Commandment—920

Offertory: Gifts of Bread and Wine—643

Communion: Love is His Word—803

Recessional: City of God—824

Sunday 3rd November	10 am	Music practice/ Mass set-up	Great Hall, Trent Building (+ Mooch after Mass)
	11 am	Mass	
Tuesday 5th November	4.30 pm	Exposition & Benediction	Portland Chapel next to Mooch Bar
	5.15 pm	Mass	
Friday 8th November	12 noon	Rosary	Jubilee Campus in the Open Room, XU Yafen Building. Fish and chip lunch in Aspire Café after Mass
	12.15 pm	Mass	
Sunday 10th November	10 am	Music practice/ Mass set-up	Great Hall, Trent Building (+ Mooch after Mass)
	11 am	Mass	

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Catholic Chaplain: Father Jonathan Rose is both Bishop's Private Secretary and Catholic Chaplain to the University of Nottingham. He is normally on campus throughout the term on Tuesdays, Fridays and Sundays. Please do

schedule a time to come to meet with him informally in the Chaplaincy (Chaplaincy Faith and Support area - Ground Floor of Portland Building - close to Mooch Bar and the Portland Chapel). As Fr Jonathan is not resident on campus the best way to make contact with him is initially by email: bishop.privatesec@dioceseofnottingham.uk or by telephoning the Bishops Office: 0115 9474786 or mobile 07526 711287 (emergencies only please) or just pop into the Chaplaincy during the week and speak with Laura Hallam, the Chaplaincy Administrator, who will be happy to put you in touch with Fr Jonathan or take a message for him.

CATHOLIC CHAPLAINCY

WELCOME—FR JONATHAN



We warmly welcome any students and visitors joining us for Mass for the first time and a special welcome to Chris Howitt, the new Lay Chaplain.

Do stay to join us for coffee after Mass, and take a look at our weekday service times and activities—as you can see, there's plenty to do next week.

-Fr Jonathan

NOVEMBER

November is a time for remembering. Few Christians need encouraging to pray for the dead. We pray for them naturally as we pray for our loved ones and friends who are still living. It would be strange not to do so as the Faithful Departed are as near to us as Christ.

Take time to light a candle in a church or at home, say a prayer to remember them:

Almighty Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, grant that our relatives and friends who have passed from this life may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, come to share your Eternal happiness through Christ our Lord. Amen

Eternal Rest, grant to them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

WELCOME—NEW LAY CHAPLAIN

This week sees the start for our new Lay Chaplain Chris Howitt. Chris is joining us from the University of Derby where he spent two years in the same role, working ecumenically and co-presenting Three Christians Podcast. Having just completed his MPhil in Theatre and Theology, Chris studied Drama for his undergraduate degree before completing his MA in the Arts. Originally from Nottingham he spent 19 years as Alter Server in his home parish before being commissioned as Eucharistic Minister last year for his Derby parish. Away from work Chris enjoys cooking, creative writing, time with family and being outdoors. He is delighted to be back home in Nottingham and eager to meet as many new faces as possible, so please do stop him and say hello if you get chance!

MASS TIMES/RECONCILIATION

Tuesdays: Exposition from 4.30 pm followed by Benediction, with Mass at 5.15 pm, Portland Chapel next to Mooch Bar and the Chaplaincy, lower ground floor Portland Building.

Fridays: Rosary at 12 noon followed by Mass at 12.15 - Jubilee Campus in the Open Room, XU Yafen Building. Fish and chip lunch in Aspire Cafe after Mass.

Confessions are by appointment or before or after Mass; Tuesdays, Fridays and Sundays.

CATHOLIC SOCIETY



WHAT'S ON

The Catholic Society is an official student affiliated Society of the Students Union.

It is run and led by Catholic students from the University of Nottingham. Members of the Committee will be around before and after Mass each Sunday during term time, and we are always happy to speak with you about the Society and our many activities. New members are always warmly welcomed

NEWS—PUBLICITY SEC

This week is a busy one for CathSoc. Monday is the usual with Storming Heaven at 5:30pm and Rosary Group is meeting at 5pm on Wednesday, both in the Chapel in Portland Building. The All Saints' Party is on Tuesday at 7pm and is definitely going to be one of the highlights of the semester! With party games, food, music and a bonfire, you won't want to miss out on this great social. Dress code: come as your favourite saint! It will be at Newman House, 10 Broadgate, Beeston and there will be a group leaving from Portland Steps at 6:45pm if you're not sure how to get there. On Thursday, CathSoc is going to Sutton Bonnington Campus for the SB International Music Night at 7pm in the Charnwood Room. If you're on SB, come pop in and say hi! A quick one for the diary is a volunteering opportunity with Emmanuel House on November 20th, more details to come soon. From everyone on committee, we hope you all have a great week and work isn't getting too tough!

-James Morrison, CathSoc Publicity Officer

Storming Heaven

Take some time to join us on Monday 4th November at 5:30pm in the Portland Chapel for half an hour of praise and worship.

All Saints Party

Tuesday 5th November at 7pm Newman House, 10 Broadgate, Beeston and there will be a group leaving from Portland Steps at 6:45pm if you're not sure how to get there.

Rosary Group

Join us on Wednesday 6th November at 5 pm in the Portland Chapel to pray the Rosary. We will also be reflecting on the scriptures for each decade, so do come along to take some time out of your busy week.

International Music Night

Thursday 7th November CathSoc is going to Sutton Bonnington Campus for the SB International Music Night at 7pm in the Charnwood Room.

CHAPLAINCY WEBSITE

Check out the Catholic Chaplaincy website for downloadable bulletins and other relevant information:

<http://catholic-community.org.uk>