

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE RECEIVING THE SACRAMENTS::**

- for Michael, Maja and Maya who made their First Holy Communion last week and for Teresa and Anne, preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation, on 15th September, at St. Mary's, Boston.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:** especially for Dennis Wright, Patrick Doyle, Peter Holmes and Lawrence Doolan.

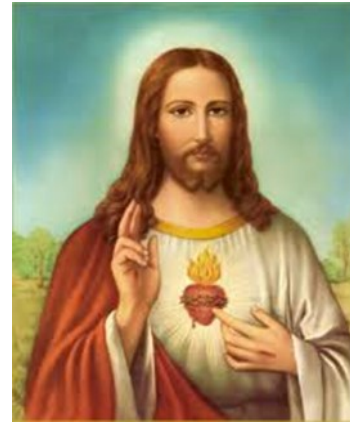
**FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART (24th June):** This year it will be possible for us to celebrate this Patronal Feast Day as you have done in the past, with a special **Mass at 11.00a.m.**, followed by refreshments in the Hall. There will not be a charge for refreshments, although any donations will be gratefully accepted. It would be a wonderful opportunity for us to meet and celebrate the Mass together and then to join together as a community, from both parts of the parish. We look forward very much to greeting as many of you as possible on this day. May God bless each one of us, our families and the parish as a whole. *Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us.*

**FEAST OF THE BIRTH OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST:** transferred this year to 23rd June because the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus occurs on 24th.

**WORK REPLACING PAVING STONES OUTSIDE SACRED HEART CHURCH:** This work began on Monday and it is expected that it will be completed on 29th June. During this time, I suggest that access to the church for most weekday Masses be through the side door from the car park, taking care, please, to be on time since access will be through the sanctuary. On the feasts of the Sacred Heart and of Ss. Peter and Paul, as at the weekend of 25th-26th June, access, including disabled access, through the main doors will hopefully be assured. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**LATEST UP-DATE ON COVID. REGULATIONS:** 1. Sanitisers are to be available for all entering and leaving the church. 2. Masks may be worn by those who wish; it is encouraged during singing. 3. Social distancing is no longer needed; churches should operate up to full capacity. 4. Holy communion is to be distributed still only under one kind, the priest or minister wearing a mask during its distribution, sanitising their hands before doing so. 5. Ventilation of the church must be maintained. Anyone with Covid should isolate themselves & not come to Mass; similarly for any contact.

God bless. Fr. G.J. Woodall.



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Day	Date	Time	Place	Liturgical Calendar	Mass Intention
Saturday	25	6.00pm	SK	Vigil	d. Giuseppe Colaci's int.
Sun.	26	9.00am 11.00am 3.15pm 4.30pm	SP SK SK	13th Sunday of the Year - C (Polish) (Tridentine)	People of the Parish Louise Davidson, RIP Private int.
Mon.	27	10.00am	SK	St. Cyril of Alexandria	Private int.
Tues.	28	10.00am 6.00pm 7.00pm	SK SP	St. Irenaeus of Lyons Vigil (St. James's)	Private int. People of the Parish Farewell - Rev. P. Coates
Wed.	29	10.00am. 12.00noon 7.00pm	SK SP SK	Ss. Peter & Paul - Holyday of obligation	James McGurk, RIP Patrick Doyle - ill Private int.
Thurs.	30	10.00am	SK	Proto-Martyrs of Rome	Lawrence Doolan- ill
Fri.	1 July	6.00pm	SK	Feria	Bp. Patrick McKinney's ints. anniversary of episcopal ordination 3rd July.
Sat.	2	6.00pm	SK	Feria Vigil	People of the Parish
Sun.	3	9.00am 11.00am 3.15pm	SP SK	14h Sunday of the Year - C (Polish)	Peter Holmes - ill John Ambrose NelsonRIP

**OUR MISSION IN THE CHURCH:** Both the synodal process and the diocesan process emphasise mission, rooted in our becoming and being strengthened as disciples of Christ through baptism and confirmation. Last week in the homily, I said I would be writing to everyone by Pentecost, to try to bring back to the fuller practise of their faith those dispersed perhaps through Covid or for other reasons. I had no idea that the Bishops Conference was going to call people back to church by Pentecost, since the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holidays cannot be fulfilled virtually, except where people are physically or morally unable to attend. This I had explained in Bulletins earlier in the year. It is time for us all to begin again, to return, to welcome people back, to continue to build up the community of the Church and to witness to Christ in our parish. May the Holy Spirit sustain and guide us all. **DIOCESAN 'ROADSHOW' FOLLOW-UP** meeting in Boston last Tuesday, together with the Grantham deanery; our (Fenland) deanery will be united with Grantham deanery to form a South Lincolnshire deanery in the near future, comprising the parishes of Skegness, Boston, Sleaford, Spalding, Deeping St. James, Grantham, Stamford, Oakham and Melton Mowbray. Major changes in parishes in other parts of the diocese, taking place now or projected in the future, do not involve our parish. We were asked to identify some focuses for our parish in relation to mission: the main one of recuperating those who used to come and others remains. I believe we need to address the specific pastoral needs of tourists and also of refugees. **ECUMENICAL SERVICE IN SPILSBY REV. PETER COATES:** Tues., 28 June, St. James's, 7.00 p.m. Farewell service Rev. Peter Coates. Since Rev. Peter Coates has been working in this area over very many years, has worked very closely with our church in Spilsby and has been a great friend of the community,. Thanks to all who contributed to the special collection in Spilsby, to give him a gift upon his retirement on 28th June. **ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**, 25th July, £699-00 per person (flight with 10k luggage, all transfers, 4 nights full board in Knock House Hotel, all entertainments and excursions; day trips. Single supplement £100-00). Contact Patricia 01268-762278/ 07740-175557/'knockpilgrimages@gmail.com'. Fully protected by ATOL T7613,

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**THE HALL:** please join us for tea & coffee after 11.00 a.m. Mass.

**GIFT AID:** is a major way for charities like ourselves to earn extra income. Last year, we received £5,763-00 free money from the government because of the generosity of thirty people in the parish, who have signed up to Gift Aid their offerings. The government allows us to claim back 25p in every pound given in offerings. This is an extremely important source of extra income for us because, without it, we would have to borrow from our savings account to survive and, if that continued, it would not last long or, indeed, provide us with essential funds to do work in the parish. If you pay income tax through your wages or pension, then please sign up to Gift Aid to help your parish. It only takes a minute. All information is kept strictly confidential. You make a declaration once and then all the monies you give through your offerings can help the parish. For example, if you give £10-00 every month, your contribution to the parish is £120-00 per year; however, with Gift Aid, we can claim an extra £30-00, which means your contribution to the parish would now be £150-00. Please, consider signing up for Gift Aid. There are forms at the back of the church, for you to fill in and return to me or to Jacinta. For further information, then please, talk to Jacinta or e-mail her on 'jacintalewis21@aolo.com'.

Collection:	Skegness			Spilsby			INCOME: <u>19th June, 2022.</u>
	5th	12th	19th	5th	12th	19th	
Gift Aid:	£ 20-00	£125-00	£ 55-00	£ 60-00	=	£260-00	
Loose:	£147-25	£ 54-02	£ 58-70	£ 93-50	=	£353-47	
Total:	£167-25	£179-02	£113-70	£153-50	=	£613-47	= <b>£613-47.</b>
<b>Special Coll.</b> for Rev. P. Coates (12th)		£103-00					= <b>£103-00</b>
<b>2md. Coll.</b> (Day for Life - 19th) SK	£37-80			SP	£30-50		= <b>£ 68-30.</b>
<b>Other:</b> Mass offerings: £50-00; Repository: £14-20							= <b>£ 64-20.</b>
<b>Overall total:</b>							= <b>£848-97.</b>

Thank you very much.