

Holy Trinity (Year A)

6/7 June 20

Mass Intentions this week: (said in private)

Sun:	Mons Tom McGovern Prot Ap; 50 th Anni of Ordination – ad multos annos
Mon:	Maggie Heneghan RIP
Tues:	Feast of St Columba
Wed:	Brenda Bethall RIP
Fri:	Msgr. John Coghlan RIP
Sun:	Body & Blood of Christ Ivan Brentnall RIP

Money Matters:

Offertory: £ 572
Others: £55.06

For those who regularly contribute to the church via the Envelope Scheme there are a number of ways you may continue to do so:

Drop the envelope to the Presbytery or put them aside each week for when the present crisis is over.

Another option would be to set up a Direct Debit or Standing Order – Lloyds Bank: sort code 30-92-59; account number 01620555 – English Martyrs, Derby RCP.

Payments to the parish by cheque should be made payable to:
English Martyrs Derby RCP

Sanctuary Lamp

Prayers for the Sick: Please always keep in your prayers the sick and housebound especially William Johnson, Simon Thompson, Lynda King, Christine Dreuitt, Joan Ison, for all suffering from COVID-19 and for all on our sick list.

Please Pray for the repose of the soul of Elisabeth Haughian RIP; graveside service at Nottingham Road Cem on Monday 8th at 11.00 am – invitation only, and all who have died from COVID-19. Please also remember their families in your prayers. May they rest in peace.

Please Pray for Rolls Royce workers as they face the prospect of losing their jobs.

English Martyrs Parish was established in 1909 and Catholics were among those who moved to Derby with RR from Manchester at that time.

Dear All,

Over the last few weeks we have witnessed tremendous dedication and commitment to serve from our caring staff across the board; a renewed spirit of selflessness has been seen throughout the communities which make up this country.

This last week our school has tentatively reopened to reception, year one and year 6, as well as continuing to provide school based education for all those whose parents have been working on the front line during this crisis. It was wonderful to see the children at the school on Tuesday, to hear how eager they were to return to school. The dedication of the staff and support workers – I did single out the chefs – as all armies, even little ones, march on their stomachs; all have worked so hard to create a safe environment and to provide a caring place for the children and staff as we tentatively move back to normal.

Please keep our school in your prayers, as you have been keeping all our vulnerable, isolating and grieving during this time.

Fr Brentnall

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

As we cannot attend daily Mass, we can use this prayer to express our faith in Christ and His Presence in the Eucharist, and ask Him to unite Himself with us.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols homily at Pentecost:

<http://www.cbcew.org.uk/cardinal-nichols-now-is-the-time-for-the-phased-reopening-of-churches/>

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Knitted Together: With many of us now at home please support this project, publicise it and have a go!

Knit or crochet: Scarves for the homeless ideally about 9in wide and 60in long. (that is about 25cm x 150cm)
Scarves, hats or mittens for babies / young children for those experiencing hardship.

Cannot knit or crochet? – everyone, including children, can still contribute by making pompoms. These will be attached later.

Keep your items until we can move around again and be distributed in autumn / winter.

Any colours, any stitches the choice is yours! Some supermarkets and stores still open do have wool .

Veronica Morrison has a variety of balls of wool which she is happy to deliver to the doorstep in the locality of her walks for exercise.

Contact on email veron.morrison@gmail.com

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Each Sunday, **CAFOD** are hosting an online Children's Liturgy. You can register to participate here [Online talks and presentations | CAFOD](#)

Job Vacancy - Director of Communications

The Diocese of Nottingham seeks to appoint a Director of Communications to work with the Bishop of Nottingham and the Parishes, Chaplaincies and Schools of the Diocese to lead the development and implementation of an effective communications framework across the Diocese, promoting the Diocesan Vision and Mission and the three themes of Encounter, Discipleship and Missionary Discipleship. This would suit a committed Catholic with a strong track record in communications; an experienced media professional (or journalist) who has recently been involved in leading communications in a dispersed organisation. **Salary:** £45,000 - £50,000 dependent on qualifications and experience. **For more information and an application pack email:** office@dioceseofnottingham.uk **Closing date 22 June.**

Job Vacancy: St John Fisher Voluntary Academy, part of the St. Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi-Academy Trust is looking to appoint an enthusiastic and highly motivated Deputy Head Teacher who is a practising Catholic with a passion for education to share in the leadership of our caring school from September 20. For more details please access via our trust website www.srscmat.co.uk

SVP: For our parishioners who live alone and are sick or self-isolating, and family and friends or neighbours are unable to help you with shopping or obtaining medicines, please contact the Parish Office and leave a message on 01332 574474.

A prayer of St Teresa of Avila, which is so appropriate for the present situation we are all in:

“Let nothing disturb you, nothing frighten you.
All things are passing, God never changes.
Patient endurance attains all things.
Whom God possesses in nothing is wanting.
Alone God suffices.”

CAFOD Appeal: The Catholic Agency for Overseas Development calls us to Unite against coronavirus.

In his Easter Urbi et Orbi message of hope, Pope Francis urges debt cancellation for the poorest countries.

Please can you sign the petition to ask our government to help the most vulnerable people in our world at <https://e-activist.com/page/59334/petition/1>

Our sisters and brothers overseas do not have access to healthcare systems as brilliant as the NHS. We are urged to work together with other world leaders to:

Make sure that any vaccine developed with UK public money is made available to everyone regardless of their income or where in the world they live.

Provide urgent financial and technical support to help developing countries cope with this crisis.

Cancel all debt payments by developing countries due in 2020 and 2021 so that countries can spend money on much needed healthcare rather than debt repayments.

Put plans in place to rebuild a fairer, more just society after the crisis so that the world's most vulnerable people can live in dignity and to restore our common home for future generations.

Donations to the CAFOD Emergency appeal can be made on-line by visiting: cafod.org.uk/coronavirus

You can listen to on-line talks about the work of CAFOD and recordings of Eucharistic celebrations. Please pray of the work of CAFOD

Visit: cafod.org.uk/coronavirusprayers

Pope Francis – Prayer intentions for June 2020: The Way of the Heart

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Re-opening of Churches – Diocesan update:

The UK Government last week announced the second phase of the easing of Lockdown, after 8 weeks the country is slowing opening. The Government has stated the opening of places of worship will be part of the third phase. When this will be hasn't been confirmed, but it will be dependent on a number of factors. The Diocese are beginning to look at the measures that will need to be in place when we do open. Procedures proposed so far:

- Social distancing protocols and Stay Alert guidelines will have to be observed in church.
- Hand sanitiser used on entering and leaving the church.
- Schedule to ensure regular cleaning of surfaces, doors & pews.
- Volunteer Parishioners to steward, and monitor numbers to ensure that Social Distancing is maintained
- Initially only a few churches in each deanery will be open