

St Mary's Mirror



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Sundays 26th July 2026 – 2nd August 2026

St Mary's is a down to earth Christian community seeking, serving and worshipping God by sharing the love of Jesus with all.

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/17960>

Sunday 26th July - Eighth after Trinity

9am & 11.30am Choir Practice

9.30am Bellringing



10am Parish Mass (Sung) (Readings: 1 Kings 3:5-12, Romans 8:26-end, Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52). Our fantastic Sunday School, 'Whiz Kids' will be taking place during the Service (for ages 5-11). There is a well-stocked Children's Corner

in church for pre-school children to enjoy with their parents. Refreshments are available in the Upper Hall after the service. If you are unable to attend church in person, the service can be watched online via our YouTube Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@bulwellchurch>

To help us keep livestreaming our Services, if you are able, please leave a donation: <https://givealittle.co/campaigns/ec595deb-2497-91d67f3dc088>

Mon 27th July

6.15pm–7.15pm 48th Nottingham Beavers (Upper Hall)

Tuesday 28th July

Rev Bob day off – emergencies only please.

5.50pm Peal (Bellringers, tower)

6pm–7.30pm 87th Nottingham Brownies (Upper Hall)

Wednesday 29th July

9.30am–11.30am Little Acorns Toddler Group (Upper Hall) Contact Zoe:

zoejackson000@gmail.com

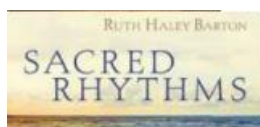
1pm - 3pm Bestwood and Bulwell Food Bank 07527 048226

7.30pm - 9pm Bell Ringing (Practice)

Thursday 30th July

9.30am Walsingham mass

10am Tea & Toast (Upper Hall)



2pm Bible & Nurture

Study Group, looking at the 'Sacred Rhythms' course (Upper Hall)

6pm–7.30pm 88th Nottingham Brownies (West Rm)

7pm–9pm 87th Nottingham Guides (Upper Hall)

7pm–9pm Rangers (14+ yrs) (West Room)

Friday 31st July

5.15pm–6.15 pm Rainbows

Sunday 2nd August

9am & 11.30am Choir Practice

9.30am Bellringing

10am Family Mass with baptisms

(Reading: Matthew 14:13-21) There is a well-stocked Children's Corner in church for pre-school children to enjoy with their parents. Refreshments are available in the Upper Hall after the service. If you are unable to attend church in person, the service can be watched online via our YouTube Channel:

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7.15pm–9.25pm Farnaby & Co Choir Practice



If you would like yourself or a loved one to be prayed for,

please speak with/contact St Mary's Pastoral Visitor, Jackie Bramford, jackiebramford@hotmail.co.uk

or Daniel Newton newtondaniel826@gmail.com
Re: safeguarding/data protection. If you are requesting prayer for somebody other than yourself, please obtain the person's permission in the first instance. Failing that, give their first name only. Any details about health matters should only be shared with the person's permission. Where an individual is seriously ill or not an adult, this permission may be given by the person's caregiver, guardian or family member.



The Aumbry Lamp

is the 7-day candle that burns before the aumbry in the Lady Chapel, announcing the Sacramental

Presence of Our Lord in the aumbry. Sponsoring the lamp is a wonderful way to show gratitude for answered prayer, or as a tangible way to extend our petitions before God. Lamp sponsorship covers the cost of a candle for one month and can be sponsored for just £10 for a month. Please

Speak with Fr Andrew if you would like to sponsor St Mary's aumbry lamp. *The Aumbry Lamp has been kindly sponsored from January 2026 to June 2026 in prayerful memory of Norah who passed away in 2024. Carol and Brian Butler have kindly sponsored the Aumbry Lamp from July 2026 to August 2026. Mavis Polkey has kindly sponsored the Aumbry Lamp for September 2026 in prayerful memory of Alan Polkey who passed away in 2019. Carol Ezard has kindly sponsored the Aumbry Lamp from October to November 2026 in memory of Audrey Walker who passed away in October 2019. Ann Hotson has kindly sponsored the Aumbry Lamp for December 2026 in prayerful memory of Ray Hotson who passed away in 2025.*



Holy Water

There is a holy water stoup by the south porch entrance with which folk can cross themselves with as they enter and leave the church building, and a holy water urn on the St George Altar folk can fill any suitable small bottles with (please bring your own bottle).



Dear Friends - have you booked your place on the CFPSS Annual Conference yet? Entitled *Is Death the End*, we explore the theological and parapsychological thoughts of what happens after death, and especially those who don't pass into this next life as they should. We have three fantastic speakers lined up for you:

The Right Reverend Peter Eagles was, until retirement, Bishop of Sodor and Man, and the Church of England Lead on Deliverance. He is now a trustee of the Julian of Norwich partnership.

Fr Andrew Fisher is a CFPSS member and trustee, a parish priest, hospital chaplain, and has worked in deliverance for a number of years.

Heather Davey is a CFPSS member whose first novel, *The Ghosts of Merry Hall*, was published last year. Heather's paranormal story was featured on the televised series of *Uncanny* in 2023.

We do hope you will join us for this excellent conference! Residential tickets are now available on our website:

<https://www.churchesfellowship.co.uk/theme-is-death-the-end>

Day and online tickets will be available at the end of June. Hope to see you there! Every blessing, Jo

Gratitude Tree

At Bulwell St Mary's we always like to consider how we can 'Take Care', be thoughtful, respectful and show kindness. During a Collective Worship, Mrs Burge shared with the whole school the story of Jesus healing 10 men with Leprosy. From this the children were encouraged to think about 1John 4 v11 "since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another." From this the children further reflected during their class Collective Worship and the whole school created 'gratitude leaves', considering who or what they were grateful for and a beautiful tree was created!

This is in the children's corner the back of church. Thanks to Emma Bell and the children of year 1 Bulwell St. Mary's Primary School.



Congratulations

On Tuesday 21st July our Church Wardens Eleonora and Martin were formally inducted at Southwell Minister.

Pictured here with Rev Bob:

