

St. Mary's, St. John Bosco, and St. Edward's

Parish Website: cathparishmje.co.uk

32, 33 & 34 OT, Theme: The Mass and The Eucharist

Saturday 8th Nov.

11:30am Baptism *Poppy and Rosie Ackerman St. Mary's*

5:30pm Confession *St John Bosco*

6pm Mass *St John Bosco Holy Souls*

Sunday 9th Nov. Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

9am Mass *St. Edward's Holy Souls*

11am Mass *St. Mary's Holy Souls*

2pm Blessing of Graves *Wigston Cemetery*

Monday 10th Nov. St. Leo the Great

6:15pm 9 Lessons and Carols practice *St. Mary's All Welcome*

7:15pm Folk Group Workshop (Big Sing) *St. Mary's*

Tuesday 11th Nov. St. Martin of Tours

12pm Friendship Club *St. John Bosco Hall*

3:20pm First Holy Communion Prep. *Holy Cross School*

Wednesday 12th Nov. St. Josaphat

10am Extraordinary Service of the Eucharist *St. Edward's*

Thursday 13th Nov.

6pm First Holy Communion Prep. *St. John Bosco Hall*

Friday 14th Nov.

1-3pm Chat and Craft Group for all *St. Edward's Hall*

Saturday 15th Nov.

6pm Mass *St John Bosco Holy Souls*

Sunday 16th Nov. 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am Mass *St. Edward's Holy Souls*

11am Mass *St. Mary's Holy Souls*

2pm Blessing of Graves *Blaby Cemetery*

3pm Blessing of Graves *Countesthorpe Cemetery*

4pm LACY - The Big Sing, Franciscan Convent, LE13 0BP

Monday 17th Nov. St. Hugh of Lincoln

6:15pm Choir Practice *St. Mary's*

Tuesday 18th Nov.

3:20pm First Holy Communion Prep. *Holy Cross School*

Wednesday 19th Nov.

10am Extraordinary Service of the Eucharist *St. Edward's*

7pm: SVP Meeting *St. Mary's Hall All Welcome*

Thursday 20th Nov.

6pm First Holy Communion Prep. *St. John Bosco Hall*

Friday 21st Nov. The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

1-3pm Chat and Craft Group for all *St. Edward's Hall*

Saturday 22nd Nov. St. Cecilia

10am - 2pm Christmas Fayre *St. John Fisher School*

6pm Mass *St John Bosco Holy Souls*

Sunday 23rd Nov. Christ the King

9am Mass *St. Edward's Holy Souls*

11am Mass *St. Mary's Marion Peutrill RIP*

2pm Blessing of Graves *Gilrose Cemetery*

5:30pm Confession

6pm Mass (incense) *St. Mary's Holy Souls*

Monday 24th Nov. St. Andrew Dung-Lac

6:15pm Choir Practice *St. Mary's*

7:30pm Folk Group Workshop *St. Mary's All Welcome*

Tuesday 25th Nov.

12pm Friendship Club *St. John Bosco Hall*

3:20pm First Holy Communion Prep. *Holy Cross School*

Wednesday 26th Nov.

10am Mass and Benediction *St. Edward's Holy Souls*

7:30pm Confirmation Preparation *St. Mary's Hall*

Thursday 27th Nov.

10am Mass of the Dead *St. John Bosco Holy Souls*

6pm First Holy Communion Prep. *St. John Bosco Hall*

6pm Confession

6:30pm Latin Mass *St. Mary's All Parishioners*

7:30pm PPC Members Meeting *St. Mary's Hall*

Friday 28th Nov.

10am Mass *St. Mary's Bernard Shryane RIP*

1-3pm Chat and Craft Group for all *St. Edward's Hall*

7:10pm Adoration and Benediction *St. Mary's*

7:45pm Teaching of the Church Discussion *St. Mary's Hall*

Saturday 29th Nov.

12pm - 3pm Christmas Fayre *St. Edward's Hall*

5:30pm Confession *St John Bosco*

6pm Mass *St John Bosco Holy Souls*

Sunday 30th Nov. First Sunday in Advent

9am Mass *St. Edward's Holy Souls*

11am Mass *St. Mary's Johanna Hume RIP*

3pm SPANNED Mass *St. John Bosco*

5:30pm Confession

6pm Mass (incense) *St. Mary's Linda Mary Toner RIP*

Seafarers Christmas Shoe-boxes are available at all churches.

9 Lessons and Carols, St. Mary's, Saturday 13th December, 4pm

Practice for all budding singers and musicians, Monday 10th of November at 6:15pm-7pm in St. Mary's. All welcome and encouraged to come.

Christmas Fayres: Saturday 22nd November at St. John Fisher School.

10am-2pm and Saturday 29th at St. Edward's Hall 12pm - 3pm. These are our biggest fund-raisers of the year to support the work of the parishes, so we are very grateful to everyone who gets involved in whatever capacity. For the 22nd, face-painters would be welcome, materials can be provided. Do enter the Colouring competition. A lolly will be given to those children who hand in their entries at the Fayre. Get festive in the **dressing up competition** at 12:30pm. The theme is: Christmas Tree Decorations. There will be two classes: 10 and under, and 11+ (no upper age limit!) Please hand fliers out and encourage as many as possible to join the fun.

St Edward's Children Carol Service is being held on **Saturday 6th December at 3pm**. With a shared tea for the children with all contributions of food gratefully received. If any children would like to read in the service, please speak to Fran or Marysia. Thank you in advance for your support.

St John Fisher School are inviting **admission applications** for Reception 2026-27. There are places in the current Reception and Year 1 classes.

Why Choose St John Fisher?

- **Outstanding Catholic Life:** Both our recent **Ofsted** report and our **Catholic Schools Inspection** report praised us for our exemplary standards. Our **Catholic Life and Collective Worship** were specifically rated as **Outstanding**—a testament to our vibrant faith community.
- **High Standards & Excellent Behaviour:** We maintain **high academic standards** in a learning environment supported by **excellent behaviour** from our pupils. We believe in nurturing both the minds and souls of our students.
- **Fantastic Community:** Join a warm, welcoming, and supportive community of staff, parents, and children who work together to make St John Fisher a truly special place to learn and grow.

Come and See For Yourself! We warmly encourage all prospective families to visit our school, meet our staff, and see our wonderful pupils in action. To **book a visit**, please contact us: **Call:** 0116 2882203 or **Email:** office@stjohnfisher-wigston.leics.sch.uk We look forward to welcoming you!

Holy Souls Envelopes are now available in all churches.

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Parish Priest: Fr. John Owens frowens@pm.me

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Donations to your Parish via Bank Transfer

Acc: St Mary and St J B S Wigston RCP, SC: 30-15-97, AN: 00346385

Acc: St Edward Conf Leicester RCP, SC: 30-15-97, AN: 00554352