

Northampton Cathedral Hub serving the following Churches in our Diocese

Cathedral NN2 6AG | St Aidan's Kingsthorpe NN2 6QJ | SS Francis & Therese Hunsbury NN4 0RZ | St Thomas More Towcester NN12 6JX

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	PARISH REPOSITORY/SHOP: ST THOMAS CENTRE For Mass cards and religious items. Mon, Tue, Wed & Fri, 10am-1pm - closed Thursday.

11th JUNE 2023 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST YEAR A

Feast Days; Tuesday St Anthony of Padua Friday; The Sacred Heart of Jesus Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of Mary

Day	Date	Time	Cathedral Church of Our Lady Immaculate & St Thomas of Canterbury
Saturday	10th June	9.30am	Wendy Tibbert RIP, Christopher Stephenson RIP, John Brewin Int, Michael & Ann Heaphy Int EXPOSITION AND CONFESSION AFTER MASS
		12noon	Baptism of Diego, Ada, Aada and Tia-Mae
		6.00pm	Theresa, Michael & Denise Hennessy RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, Francis & Olwen Borg RIP, Joseph Borg RIP
Sunday	11th June	8.30am	Maureen & Jimmy Leong RIP, Pat & Joe Ryan RIP, Vincent Ryan RIP, Mai Ryan RIP
		11.00am	FOR THE PARISH
		5.15pm	John & Mary Hickson RIP, Diana Katumbi French RIP, Elena, Ben & John Int
Monday	12th June	7.00pm	Terry McLoughlin RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, May Cox-Brown Int
Tuesday	13th June	9.30am	John & Margaret Collins RIP, Eileen Brimbly RIP, Tony Mulcock RIP
Wednesday	14th June	9.30am	Nora Willis RIP, John Macken RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, Marie Barden Int
Thursday	15th June	7.00pm	Terry McLoughlin RIP, Patrick McDaid RIP, Rosa Botticelli Int, Mrs Helm Int
Friday	16 th June	11.00am	Jubilarians Mass celebrated by Bishop David
Saturday	17th June	9.30am	Danuta Hust RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, Elizabeth Pauline Legg RIP, Terry McLoughlin RIP EXPOSITION AND CONFESSION AFTER MASS
		2.00pm	Wedding of Abigail Odame and Emmanuel Boateng
		6.00pm	Noreen Healey RIP, Patrick Bowen RIP, Bonnie & Paddy O'Dwyer Int
Sunday	18th June	8.30am	FOR THE PARISH
		11.00am	Adrian Carvell RIP, John Macken RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, Gerry White Int
		5.15pm	Alechia Craven RIP, Diana Katumbi French RIP, Margaret Cox RIP

Day	Date	Time	St Aidan's, Kingsthorpe www.staidansnorthampton.org
Sunday	11th June	9.45am	Nora Hurley RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP, Ann & Peter Cassidy Int
Monday	12th June	9.30am	Joan & William Moore RIP, Joseph Callin Int, Maria Adair Int, Isobel & Callin Adair Int
Thursday	15th June	9.30am	Maurice Bassett RIP, Mgr Peter Wilson RIP
Sunday	18th June	9.45am	Patrick Carolan RIP, Mike Heaphy Int, Margaret Gavins Int

Day	Date	Time	SS Francis & Therese, Hunsbury www.ss-francis-and-therese.org.uk
Sunday	11th June	9.30am	Thomas & Beatrice Mulhall RIP, Michael Earley RIP, Terry McLoughlin RIP, Melanie Lleshi Int
Tuesday	13th June	9.30am	Ann Keane Int, Marylan McCaughan Int ADORATION, ROSARY & CONFESSIONS
Thursday	15th June	9.30pm	Special Intention ADORATION, ROSARY & CONFESSIONS
Sunday	18th June	9.30am	FOR THE PARISH

Day	Date	Time	St Thomas More, Towcester www.stthomasmorerc.org
Saturday	10th June	5.30pm	Nicky Berrill RIP Adoration + Confession 4.45pm to 5.15pm
Sunday	11th June	11.00am	Mission of the Parish
Monday	12th June	9.30am	Fr Paul Hardy RIP
Friday	16th June	2.30pm	Special Intention
Saturday	17th June	5.30pm	Deceased Members of the McAllister Family Adoration + Confession 4.45pm to 5.15pm
Sunday	18th June	11.00am	Patricia O'Dwyer RIP

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Christ our food and drink.

Just as in our physical lives we need food and drink to sustain us, so also, we need Christ to sustain our spiritual lives. He feeds us with himself, just as God fed the Jewish people with manna in the wilderness. Our sharing of the Body and Blood of Christ means that we share with each other Christ's eternal life.

NEXT SUNDAY – DAY OF LIFE

There will be a second collection next Sunday for the Day of Life.

MONDAY 19th JUNE

A Mass for the Dedication of the Cathedral will be celebrated at 9.30am

VISIT TO THE CATHEDRAL FROM THE NEW APOSTOLIC NUNCIO TO GREAT BRITAIN

His Excellency, The Most Reverend Miguel Maury Buendia, Apostolic Nuncio to Great Britain will visit our diocese from Thursday 6th July to Saturday 8th July. This will coincide with the Becket Festival, our diocesan Mass for the Translation of the Relics of Thomas Becket and the opening of the Saint Thomas Centre.

CATHEDRAL FRONT CAR PARK CLOSED ON TUESDAY 13th JUNE

The car park at the front of the Cathedral will be closed to enable tree surgeons to work on the trees in the car park that are needing attention. The Café will be open and access will be from the back car park and through the St Thomas Centre reception.

GOOD COMPANIONS 12noon to 3pm on Wednesdays

The Good Companions is a club for both ladies and gentlemen who like to socialise with others in a fun and friendly way. We offer a range of activities and outings. There is a weekly fee and costs for special events are kept to a minimum. Come along and give it a try or call the office for more information. Tel 01604 714556

NORTHAMPTON INTER-FAITH FORUM WALK – SUNDAY 25th JUNE at 11am from Northampton Cathedral

A Walk of Unity between people of different faiths. Appreciating the diversity of Northampton. A walk of 1.92 miles – visiting 6 different places of worship with a break at noon for refreshments. Starts at Northampton Cathedral NN2 6AG at 11 am and ends at The Synagogue NN1 3JW at 3 pm for tea.

Register for this event before the 15th June 2023 by CONTACTING: Daniel at danielc.tabor@outlook.com or on 07980839950

POLITE NOTICE: Please remember to bring some water, suitable footwear, and an appropriate head covering/head scarf.

Parking: Town centre car parks, or at St Thomas' Centre, Barrack Road.

FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION IN REPARATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Starting on Saturday 1st July at the Cathedral, beginning with 9.30am Holy Mass, followed by Adoration, Confession, meditation on one of the Mysteries of the Rosary, recitation of the Rosary, Benediction.

For the salvation of souls and peace in the world.

CATHEDRAL HUB PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Thank you for your generous support.

Cathedral W/e 3 rd & 4 th June £1705.07plus S/O £1000.00 approx	St Aidan W/e 3 rd & 4 th June £245.55 plus S/O £278.00 approx Total £523.55
Ss Francis and Therese W/e 3 rd & 4 th June £419.60 plus S/O £167.00 approx Total £586.60	St Thomas More W/e 3 rd & 4 th June £508.96 plus S/O £150.00 approx Total £658.96

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Please pray for those who have died recently.

Mary Wearmouth: Monday 19th June at 10.15am (St Aidan)

Diana Katumbi French: Wednesday 21st June at 11am (Cathedral)

Annie 'Ann' Walker: Monday 26th June at 10.30am (Cathedral)

Terence McLoughlin: Wednesday 28th June at 11am (Ss Francis & Therese)
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

It is now possible to have a reception into church the evening before the funeral. This service could be led by a lay person if the priest is committed elsewhere.

FR PAUL HARDY RIP

It is with sadness that we announce the death on 22nd May of Fr Paul Hardy RIP who served in our diocese for over 48 years in a variety of roles. **The funeral arrangements are: Sunday 11th June, 7pm** Reception into church followed by Mass at St Edward the Confessor, Shenley Church End, Milton Keynes. **Monday 12th June, 11am** Requiem Mass followed by committal at St Mary's cemetery Woburn Sands and refreshments in hall.

PRIEST CHANGES AT THE CATHEDRAL

Fr Jais will be taking up a new appointment as priest in charge at our Lady of Lourdes in Aylesbury on the 4th July. We would like to thank Fr Jais for his wonderful ministry in the Cathedral Hub and we pray that the Lord will continue to bless him as he prepares to take up his new Ministry.

Fr Daniel Rooke will be joining the Cathedral Hub early next month and we look forward to welcoming him to the team.

Fr Simon Penhalagan will be taking up his new appointment as Dean of the Cathedral on the 16th August.

Fr Mark is taking a sabbatical before he takes up his new appointment next year. We are planning a 'leaving do' starting with Mass at 7pm followed by a reception in the St Thomas Centre on Friday 14th July, to acknowledge his twelve years at the Cathedral. More details will follow. Fr Mark celebrates his final Mass on Sunday 13th August.

JUBILARIANS MASS – FRIDAY 16th June at 11am in the Cathedral Bishop David will be celebrating milestone anniversaries with the priests of the Diocese. All are welcome to this special Mass.

CATHEDRAL HUB GROUPS 2023

Scripture Reflection Tuesday 13th June at 7pm in the Choir Room

Good Companions Wednesday 14th June 12noon to 3pm

Food Store Distribution Thursday 15th June 10am -1pm

Choir Rehearsal Thursday 15th June at 6.30pm Choir Room

Young Adults Prayer Group Next date to be confirmed

Bereavement Group Saturday 1st July in the Cathedral 2.30 to 4.30pm

PREPARATION FOR THE DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY 15th July 2023

Many groups of volunteers are starting to prepare for our Assembly, from those running the tech desk and the youth stream, to those stewarding and providing hospitality. We thank God for their generosity and faithfulness. "Holiness is an encounter between your weakness and the power of God's grace." Pope Francis, *Rejoice and Exult* 34

Prayer of the Faithful:

We pray for all the baptised of our Diocese, that through our Synod process and Assembly, we might be inspired by a new joy to share our faith with all who need to hear the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Monday nights, from 12th June Assembly webinars: a chance for everyone to get involved in thinking about some of the key themes that came from last year's Synod listening. Register here:

https://assembly_webinars.eventbrite.co.uk

MISSION APPEAL LITERATURE - Available today

This year's theme for the Bishop's Mission Appeal is Go and Make Disciples of All Nations. The Mission Appeal is an annual diocesan appeal to strengthen our mission across the diocese. Your generous gift will enable the continuation of projects designed to bring more people into deeper relationship with Jesus through our four key areas of mission; youth ministry, social action, catholic education and outreach. Please pray for the success of the appeal using the appeal prayer found on the webpage www.northamptondiocese.org/appeal