

St Winefrides Catholic Church, Shepshed 01509 502313
Parish Priest: Fr Gabriel Offor - 01530 832098 (Coalville)
Email: stwilfspriest@gmail.com
St Winefrides Parish Admin Email:
stwinefrides@dioceseofnottingham.uk

St Winefrides Safeguarding Reps:
carmel.obrienpsr@dioceseofnottingham.uk
liam.bournepsr@dioceseofnottingham.uk | Phone 07513725323 (Liam)
www.stwinefrideshepshed.org



Christ The King (34th Week of Ordinary Time) – 21st – 29th Nov

Date	Mass & Services	Timings	Intentions & Notes	Other Events/Meetings St Winefrides
Sat 21st Nov	Reconciliation **Mass** – Christ the King	5.30pm **6pm**	*Rosary* *John Rennocks (RIP)* *National Youth Sunday*	***Day Trip to London*** *Liturgical grp meeting 10am* ***2nd Collection for Flowers for Christmas***
Sun 22nd Nov	Whitwick Mass Coalville Mass	9am 10.30am	*Holy Rosary – 8.15am* *Holy Rosary – 9.45am*	
Mon 23rd Nov	Adoration Mass	9.30am 10am	*St Wilfrid's Coalville (in chapel)*	**(Hall in use 5.45 – 7.15pm)**
Tues 24th Nov	**Funeral Mass - St Wilfrid's Coalville**	**10am**	*Funeral mass for Rae (Yvette) Stevens* *(no mass @ Shepshed)*	***Choir practice 5pm in hall*** (Hall in use – 6.15-7.30pm)
Wed 25th Nov	**Adoration Mass**	9.30am 10am	*Holy Cross, Whitwick*	**Prayer grp 6.30-7.30pm**
Thurs 26th Nov	No Mass	----------		**(Hall in use 5.45-7pm)**
Fri 27th Nov	No Mass	----------		
Sat 28th Nov	Reconciliation **Mass** – 1st Sun of Advent	5.30pm **6.00pm**	*Rosary* *1st Communicants Enrolment Mass*	
Sun 29th Nov	*Whitwick Mass* *Coalville Mass*	*9am* *10.30am*	*Holy Rosary – 8.15am* *Holy Rosary – 9.45am*	

Please pray for our sick & housebound: Fr Michael, John & Jean B., Dee O., Colin B., Marie R., Margaret W., Aileen R., Deacon Bill H., David W., Kathleen L., Sharon, Cathy L., Mary & Michael W., Terry H., Joan B., Beryll W., Danny B. & Tara.

Holy Communion at home – Anyone who cannot attend weekly mass & would like to receive Holy Communion at home please let Fr & Teresa know via the email address: admin.SP@dioceseofnottingham.uk **Note:** If contacting on behalf of someone else, permission to contact MUST be obtained first. Please note name, address and contact details required.

Saturday's Coffee Morning raised a fantastic £504.67. Many thanks to everyone who came along on the day & to all who helped &/or supported in any way. Thank you to all who donated cakes & raffle prizes.

Gift Aid Envelope number 50: Please can the parishioner who generously provides their collection donations in an offertory envelope with number 50 on it, contact the Parish Administrator via email or telephone as we need to update the gift aid doner details in order to be able to obtain the Gift Aid. Thank you.

Father Patrick Bassey's Induction Mass: will take place on Thurs 10th Dec, 7pm at Our Lady & St Joseph's Church, 1 St Joseph's Street, Matlock, DE4 3NG. Mass will be followed by food & drink in the Parish Hall. There will be a 16-seater minibus leaving St Winefrides, Shepshed at 5.15pm, & returning 11pm. If you are interested in going, please add your name on the list at the back of Church. Cost £15 per person.

Future Parish and Community Events

Date / Time	Details
Tues 1st Dec – 3.45pm – 4.45pm	First Holy Communion preparation classes begin @ St Winefrides. These will take place each Tuesday during term time until after Holy Communion Day.
Please join St Winefrides primary school in the following services	**Tuesday 1st December 9.30am Advent Mass (In school)** Thursday 17th December 1.30 pm Carol service (In St Winefrides church) **2027** - Wednesday 6th January 2.15 pm Mass for the Epiphany.
Sat 5th Dec 10am – 2pm *Christmas Fayre & Raffle to be drawn at the Fayre*	Christmas Raffle tickets on sale - £5 a book. Prizes: 1st £150, 2nd £100 3rd £50.00 4th Luxury hamper & many more. Box in porch for returned stubs. All donations for Tombola, Bottle & other stalls gratefully received, please leave in main porch. **We respectfully ask NO DVDs or books.** Thank you.
St Winefrides Prayer Group – 9th Dec	Our prayer group will continue to meet at St Winefrides on the **2nd & 4th Wed of each month** 6.30pm – 7.30pm. All welcome.
Fri 11th Dec – 9am Church cleaning	**To prepare our church for Christmas,** if you are free, please join us on Fri 11th Dec from 9.00am onwards to help undertake a deep clean. All welcome. **We also require** regular volunteers to undertake specific small cleaning tasks on a regular basis. Please email admin.SP@dioceseofnottingham.uk if able to help and to find out further details. Thank you
Wed 23rd Dec at 5pm Carols by Candlelight	We shall be holding a carol service at Holy Cross, Whitwick led by musicians from Whitwick, St Winefrides choir and school children. Details to follow.
Sat 6th Feb 2027 - 7pm *Cheese & Wine Evening*	Following the success of last year's **Missio cheese & wine evening** we shall be holding the event again after evening mass. More details to follow.

Father Patrick Bassey's Induction Mass: will take place on Thurs 10th Dec, 7pm at Our Lady & St Joseph's Church, 1 St Joseph's Street, Matlock, DE4 3NG. Mass will be followed by food & drink in the Parish Hall. There will be a 16-seater minibus leaving St Winefrides, Shepshed at 5.15pm, & returning 11pm. If you are interested in going, please add your name on the list at the back of Church. Cost £15 per person.

Join **Young Adults** from across the Diocese at **Holy Cross, Leicester, on Sun 6th Dec** to enjoy Vespers, Adoration, Mass, Mince Pies, Mulled wine & a Quiz! From 5.45pm there'll be an evening of prayer, community & joy as the year turns towards Christmas. All Young Adults are welcome to come along. Please sign up at www.dioceseofnottingham/events or contact charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk for information. The Gathering is FREE although donations to support the Diocesan World Youth Day pilgrimage are more than welcome!

All invited to celebrate the **Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe,** patroness of the unborn. **Sat 12th Dec** at St Barnabas Cathedral, Nottingham NG1 5AE. Mass 12.00pm, followed by a talk @12.45pm by Fr Patrick Lynch MIC about the incredible story of the apparition of Our Lady in 1531, the image which she left for us, & the enormous impact of this event upon Catholicism. Refreshments (Shared table) 1.15pm & games on a Mexican theme ending 3.30pm. No cost, but donations welcome. Contact pro-life@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Date	Welcoming	Readings/ Bidding Prayers	Offertory Procession	Eucharistic Min'
Sat 28th Nov	*Marion B.*	*Jedidiah A*	*Marion B*	*James L*

Date	Additional Collections / appeals	
Sat 21st Nov	*Collection for Christmas flowers to decorate the sanctuary for Christmas*	*Cash only please via 2nd collection or give to Erica or Betty directly*
Sat 5th Dec	*Parish Development Fund St Winefrides*	*Weekend of 1st Sun of the month*
Sat Dec 12th	*Poor and Needy Parishes*	*Held over from 5th Dec*