

The Catholic Churches in Corby

✠ Our Lady of Walsingham
Occupation Road, Corby, NN17 1EE

✠ St Brendan & St Patrick
Beanfield Ave, Corby NN18 0AZ

✠ St John Ogilvie
1 Copenhagen Road, Danesholme,
Corby, NN18 9BX

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY)

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12th APRIL 2026

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Sunday Psalm Response:

Give praise to the LORD, for he is good,
his mercy endures for ever.

April is the Month of the Holy Eucharist

The Holy Father's Intentions for April 2026:

For priests in crisis:

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

<https://www.popesprayer.va/praywiththepope/>

PARISH DIRECTORY

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At Our Lady's: Monday & Friday 10.00am - 4.00pm

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At Our Lady's: Tuesday & Thursday 12.30pm – 4.00pm

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Masses & Devotions Celebrated this Week

11th APRIL SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER - DIVINE MERCY

Our Lady's	5:00pm	<i>Mick Murray RIP; Margaret & Derek Hindwood INT</i>
St Brendan's	6:00pm	<i>Giovanni & Consolata Spinelli RIP; Jimmy Carr RIP</i>

12th APRIL SUNDAY MASSES THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER - DIVINE MERCY

St Brendan's	8:45am	<i>Thanksgiving; John Lynch RIP; John Keane RIP John McBride RIP</i>
Our Lady's	10:00am	<i>Grace Crawley RIP; Kathleen MacKenzie RIP</i>
St Brendan's	11:30am	<i>Margaret Owens RIP; Daphane Kelly RIP Maisie Short RIP</i>
St John Ogilvie's	5:00pm	<i>People of the Parish</i>

WEEKDAY MASSES & DEVOTIONS - IN THE 2nd WEEK OF EASTER

MONDAY - FERIA		
St Brendan's	7:00pm	Mass <i>Nicola & Giovanni Spinelli RIP; McGrath Family INT</i>
TUESDAY - FERIA		
Our Lady's	11:00am	MASS <i>Special Intention</i>
Our Lady's	12:45pm	Holy Rosary
Our Lady's	5:30pm	Adoration + 6:30pm Holy Rosary
WEDNESDAY - FERIA		
Our Lady's	9:30am	Mass <i>John Ostapczuk RIP; Mary Mack RIP</i>
Our Lady's	10:00am	Holy Rosary
THURSDAY - FERIA		
St Brendan's	9:30am	MASS <i>Mary Hurst RIP; Jimmy Carr RIP; Angela O'Neill RIP</i>
FRIDAY - FERIA		
St John Ogilvie's	9:30am	NO MASS
Our Lady's	11:00am	Funeral Service - John Ryan RIP
SATURDAY - FERIA		
Our Lady's	9:30am	NO MASS

18th APRIL SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Our Lady's	5:00pm	<i>Peter Harte RIP; James & Mary Griffin RIP</i>
St Brendan's	6:00pm	<i>John Fox RIP; Mark O'Brian RIP; Jamie O'Driscoll INT</i>

19th APRIL SUNDAY MASSES THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

St Brendan's	8:45am	<i>John Clifford RIP; Peter Kelly RIP; Andy O'Neill INT</i>
Our Lady's	10:00am	<i>Ellen & John McCallum RIP;</i>
St Brendan's	11:30am	<i>People of the Parish ; Betty McIvor RIP</i>
St John Ogilvie's	5:00pm	<i>Margaret Tilson RIP; Mary & Rod INT</i>



Seven Day Candles Burn for:

Sacred Heart: Duncan Potter INT

Our Lady of Grace: Carmel Joe Gallagher RIP

St Joseph: Michael Garnham INT



MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

John Ryan RIP - Funeral Service at Our Lady's on Friday 17th April at 11.00am

Patrick McGinlay RIP - Funeral Service at Our Lady's on Tuesday 21st April at 12.00noon

Mary Devine RIP - Funeral service at St Brendan's on Monday 20th April at 1pm

Patricia Aston RIP - Requiem Mass at St John Ogilvie's on Wednesday 22nd April at 11.00am

Margaret Ann Keogh RIP - Funeral at St Brendan's on Friday 24th April at 12.30pm

Davy O'Farrell RIP - Requiem Mass at St Brendan's on Thursday 30th April 10am

Please pray for their families at this sad time.

PARISH NOTICES

WELCOME AND THANK YOU: to Fr Andrew Behrens who will be celebrating the Saturday evening Mass at Our Lady's, to Fr Benedetto D'Autilia who will be celebrating the 6pm Mass at St Brendan's and the three Sunday morning Masses and to Fr Gregory Marchwiński who will be celebrating the Sunday evening Mass at St John Ogilvie's. Fr Mark would like to thank the priests for covering for him whilst he is away for a week's break.

A BIG THANKYOU: Fr Mark and Deacon Chris would like to thank everyone for their cards and gifts in the lead up to Easter and for your generosity shown in the Easter collection. Your kindness and support are greatly appreciated.

JOURNEY IN FAITH: Congratulations to all those who were baptised, received into the Church or celebrated their Confirmation at last week's Easter Vigil. It was incredible to see so many from the group celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation and shows the vitality of the Catholic Community here in Corby. Fr Mark would like to thank everyone who supported the Group and we will continue to meet over the next few months. Our next session will be on Monday 27th April, as usual after the Monday evening Mass at St Brendan's.

SUNDAY EVENING MASS: After the final Mass at St John's on Sunday 26th April there will be no Sunday evening Mass in Corby. Fr Mark will review this if another priest is appointed to assist him in June. Fr Mark will keep you updated.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER LITURGIES: Fr Mark would once again like to thank all the parishioners who helped to make the Holy Week and Easter Sunday Liturgies so powerful and memorable. For everyone who helped clean our churches, arrange the flowers, prepared the altar linen and cloths, worked behind the scenes to get everything ready, our musicians, singers, servers, readers, Eucharistic Ministers, stewards and everyone else - many thanks for all you do to make Corby's Catholic Community so welcoming and steadfast in the faith.

ST JOHN OGILVIE'S: As we prepare for forthcoming changes to the parishes in Corby following the Discernment Process, we are planning to conclude the Sunday evening Mass at St John Ogilvie's. The final Mass will be celebrated at 5:00pm on Sunday, 26th April.

This will be a special opportunity to give thanks for the vibrant community at St John's and to celebrate the significant contribution the parish has made to Catholic life in Corby. While this marks the end of a cherished chapter, we look forward with hope and optimism to the merging of our parishes. We warmly encourage all parishioners to come together as one community, building on the strong foundations established by the four parishes that have served Corby so faithfully.

The Church is entering a time of change, but we do so with confidence and trust that it will continue to grow and flourish. A celebration will follow the final Mass at St John's on 26th April, and we remain committed to continuing the Church's mission across the town - proclaiming the joy of the Risen Christ to all.

YOUTH/YOUNG ADULTS GROUP: We are excited to begin a Youth/Young Adults Group in our parish this month. This will be a space for anyone from the age of 18-35 focusing on fellowship, faith-sharing, and growing together in Christ. All young people are warmly invited to join us and to spread the word to others who may be interested. Meetings will start on Friday 17th April and take place on the first and

third Fridays of each month at St. Brendan's parish room at 7:00pm, followed by refreshments after. Come along, bring a friend, and be part of this new journey in our parish community!

NEW OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: If you were unable to collect your offertory envelopes from the back of the church on the weekend before Easter, please contact the parish office to arrange a convenient time for collection.

DONA STATION AT OUR LADY'S: Due to circumstances beyond our control, the Dona Station at Our Lady's is currently not working.

PARISH OFFICE: Please note that the Parish office is **closed on Wednesdays, Saturday's and Sunday's.**

CONFIRMATION AND HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMMES: It is important that the children attend the classes at St Patrick's school. Confirmation from 11.30am - 1:00pm: Saturday 18th April. The First Holy Communion children's classes will be on the same date, at the same venue from 9.30am - 11:00am. Fr Mark would like to thank the catechists for making such a huge commitment to help prepare the children to celebrate the sacraments.

SVP: The SVP run a foodbank as sadly those who are in need grows all year round. All our food parcels are distributed to those who need them in our Catholic Schools and parishes, here is a *REVISED* list of items in most need: tinned spaghetti, tinned tomatoes, rice, tinned vegetables, tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned fruit, tinned custard and rice pudding, breakfast cereals, biscuits, coffee, long life juice, UHT milk, disposable razors, shampoo, deodorant, shower gel, toilet rolls, toothpaste. If you can donate, please leave your items with a steward at the back of the church.

ALSO, if anyone is struggling with the cost of living, food, fuel etc or you know of anyone, please contact the St Vincent de Paul society, directly or through the Parish office.

ST PEREGRINE NOVENA: This Novena in honour of St. Peregrine begins on Friday 1st May and concludes on Saturday 9th May. It will be offered for all those living with cancer and other serious illnesses. Novena Packs will be blessed and available to buy at a cost price of £3.00 after the 10.00am Mass at OLW this Sunday 12th April. They will also be available after the 11.30am Mass at St. Brendan's and the 5.00pm Mass at St. John Ogilvie. Each Novena Pack contains a Prayer Card, a card to send or give to the person for whom you intend to pray the Novena and a unique set of Chaplet Beads. £1.00 from the sale of each Novena Pack will be donated to the Marie Curie Cancer Charity.

MINI-PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM CHURCH: On Tuesday 14th April 'Gregory Care' will be bringing a small group of parishioners from the Parish of St. Gregory the Great, Northampton to Our Lady of Walsingham Church for a mini pilgrimage. This will consist of Mass at 11.00am followed by refreshments. At around 12.45pm the Holy Rosary will be prayed in the Holy House followed by private prayer. All are welcome to join this event.

PARENTS A NOTE FROM SAFEGUARDING: If your child needs to use the toilet at Church they MUST be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Also please make sure that you are with your child if they are near the votive candles as it is not a safe area for unaccompanied children.