

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

**THE SIXTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
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15th February 2026

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Sunday Psalm Response:

**Blessed are those
who walk in the law of the LORD.**

February is the Month of the Holy Family

The Holy Father's Intentions for February 2026:

For children with incurable diseases

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

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

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Priest: Fr Mark Floody

Assistant Priest: Fr Liam Castle

Parish Deacon: Deacon Chris Colaco

Parish Office Hours: Tel: 01536 203121

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

At St Brendan's: Tuesday & Thursday 10.00am – 12.00noon

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

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stbrendanscorby.org.uk

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At St Brendan's: see Catherine MacLellan

At St John Ogilvie's: 07956363869

PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St Brendan's Primary School: Beanfield Avenue, NN18 0AZ

Tel: 01536 202491 office@sb.cor.olicatschools.org

St Patrick's Primary School: Patrick Road, NN18 9NT

Tel: 01536 744447 www.stpatricksprimaryschool.com

Our Lady of Walsingham Primary School: Occupation Rd,

Corby NN17 1EE Tel: 01536 203805

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Masses & Devotions Celebrated this Week

14th FEBRUARY SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Our Lady's	5:00pm	Margaret & Phil Kelly RIP; Charlie Lynn RIP; Linus Paplauskas & Agota Sneideraitiene RIP; Harry Connelly RIP
St Brendan's	6:00pm	Sylvia Swift RIP; Celine Doherty RIP

15th FEBRUARY SUNDAY MASSES THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

St Brendan's	8:45am	Kathleen Reilly RIP; Marie Kennedy RIP
Our Lady's	10:00am	James & Mary Griffin RIP; Mary Hurst RIP; Thomas & Pat Kennedy RIP; Karen Welsh RIP
St Brendan's	11:30am	Sr Kieran Byrne RIP; Margaret Crawford RIP
St John Ogilvie's	5:00pm	Iuliana Vasile RIP; Mike Garnham INT

WEEKDAY MASSES & DEVOTIONS (6th WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME/ BEGINNING OF LENT)

MONDAY - Feria			
Our Lady's	9:30am	Mass	<i>Charlie Lynn RIP; Ian Garvey RIP; Thomas Kennedy RIP</i>
St Brendan's	6:00pm	Holy Hour + Confessions	
St Brendan's	7:00pm	Mass	<i>Fay Hadden RIP; Kerry Robb INT</i>
TUESDAY - Feria			
St Brendan's	<u>9:15am</u>	Mass	<i>Betty McIvor RIP; Julie McAuley INT</i>
ASH WEDNESDAY			
Our Lady's	9:30am	Mass	<i>Members of Confraternity of the Holy House; Esta King RIP; Richard Mason RIP; Alec & Margaret McCann RIP</i>
Our Lady's	10:00am	Holy Rosary	
St Brendan's	<u>7:00pm</u>	Mass	<i>Kevin Cutcliffe RIP; Angela O'Neill RIP</i>
THURSDAY - Lent Feria			
St Brendan's	9:30am	Mass	<i>Mary Hurst RIP; John Evelyn Ryan RIP</i>
FRIDAY - Lent Feria			
St John Ogilvie's	9:30am	NO MASS	
SATURDAY - Lent Feria			
Our Lady's	9:30am	Service of the Word & Communion <i>Followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	

21st FEBRUARY SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Our Lady's	5:00pm	Joe & Maureen Savage INT; Charlie Lynn RIP
St Brendan's	6:00pm	Donna Rigney RIP; Denis Ekuhoho RIP

22nd FEBRUARY SUNDAY MASSES THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

St Brendan's	8:45am	Margaret Owens RIP; Paddy Cassidy RIP
Our Lady's	10:00am	Harry Connelly RIP; Margaret Coleman RIP
St Brendan's	11:30am	Charlie Kearney RIP; Anthony O'Keefe RIP
St John Ogilvie's	5:00pm	Shay O'Connor RIP; Suzanne INT; Kevin Cutcliffe RIP



Seven Day Candles Burn for:

Our Lady of Walsingham:

Eamonn McAuley & Family INT

Our Lady of Grace: Jimmy Carr RIP

St Joseph: Duncan Potter INT

Sacred Heart Lamp: Charles Habib & Family INT



MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Mary Kirkpatrick RIP - Requiem Mass at St Brendan's on Wednesday 4th March at 12.00pm.

Maureen Fyfe RIP - Funeral Service at Our Lady's on Thursday 12th March at 11.00am.

Rosaleen Davies RIP - Requiem Mass at Our Lady's on Wednesday 18th March at 11:00am

PARISH NOTICES

DISCERNMENT PROCESS - NEW WINE SKINS: Fr Mark would like to thank everyone who attended the meeting last Monday, the second of the open meetings. Having time to consider the scenario presented a few weeks ago we will now go ahead and propose to the Trustees of the Diocese that our plan will be formally adopted. This would see the closure of St John Ogilvie's and Fr Mark would like to thank the community at St John's for their understanding as we move forward. This change will affect the whole community in Corby and we will work together so we can build up our one parish in Corby, made up of 2 churches at Our Lady's and St Brendan's. It is proposed that whilst the names of the two Churches will remain the same, Our Lady of Walsingham and St Brendan, we could have a new parish name for the new united parish. If you have suggestions for a new patron of our parish please let us know.

ASH WEDNESDAY: There will be two Masses on Ash Wednesday: 9.30 at Our Lady's and 7.00pm at St Brendan's. Whilst it is not a Holy Day of Obligation it is a wonderful way to begin our journey of Lent. We will have Stations of the Cross after morning Mass on Thursday at St Brendan's and 7pm on a Friday evening at Our Lady's. Leading up to Easter Fr Mark will put on more times for people to go to confession.

LENT: We clear the Sanctuary in preparation for Lent including the frames for the 7 day candles at Our Lady's but we will continue to print the Intentions for them in the Newsletter.

PARISH OFFICE:

Please note that the Parish office is **closed on Wednesdays**.

BAPTISM MEETING: If you are planning for your child's baptism then please come to the next parents' meeting on: Tuesday 24 February at 7:00pm at Our Lady's.

EACH TUESDAY: between 5:30pm & 6:30pm at Our Lady's Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament followed by the Rosary at 6:30pm is celebrated. This is also live-streamed.

CAFOD Lent Appeal – Family Fast Day collection: This Lent, live out the Gospel call to love your neighbour. By fasting and giving what you save, you join in Christ's compassion and help another family put food on the table. Your donation can help families around the world grow food in difficult conditions – such as on flood-resistant floating gardens or using solar-powered water pumps in times of drought. Collect a CAFOD envelope to bless others with your support, donate online at cafod.org.uk/envelope or call 0303 303 3030. Text CAFODLENT to 70085 to donate £10 - or use this QR Code:



CAR PARKING AT ST BRENDAN'S: Please note - St Brendan's School car park will now be open for the 8.45am Mass on Sunday mornings.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD: Are you a man who is wondering whether God may be calling you to the priesthood? The Diocese warmly invites you to 'Come and See' - a day of prayer, reflection, and questions for men who are thinking about or discerning a vocation to the priesthood. Date: Saturday 28th March, 2026. Programme: A day including prayer, reflection, input on priestly vocation, and an open Q&A. Who is it for? Men who are exploring, questioning, or dis-

cerning a call to the priesthood. Where? Our Lady of Christian and St Lawrence, Olney. This day offers a relaxed and supportive opportunity to reflect on God's call, to learn more about priestly life, and to ask honest questions in a prayerful setting. To register your interest or for more information, please contact:

Fr Pius vocationsdirector@northamptondiocese.org 01753 523147

CONFIRMATION AND HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMMES: We began the Confirmation Classes on Saturday at St Patrick's School, Patrick Road. It is important that the children attend the classes. **Confirmation from 11.30am - 1:00pm:** Saturday 28th February, Saturday 21st March, Saturday 28th March and on Saturday 18th April. The **First Holy Communion children's classes will be on the same dates, 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.

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED BEING SCHOOL GOVERNOR AT OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM SCHOOL? Our primary school is Ofsted rated Good and we are proud that our school is a nurturing, caring environment for our children to learn and grow. We are looking for some new governors to join our experienced, friendly and organised Governing board. As a new governor, we will help you understand the roles and responsibilities of the Governing Board and how your experience and skills can support the school. If you would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact

Donna Gallagher - Chair of Governors - Dgallagher@olicatsschools.org
Theresa Bannigan - Vice-Chair of Gover - TBannigan@olicatschools.org

HOLY FACE OF JESUS NOVENA: This Novena concludes on Tuesday 17th February (Shrove Tuesday). Thank you to all those who are taking part in this beautiful devotion, which is being offered for all the Deacons, Priests and Religious in the Diocese of Northampton. In total, over 190 Novena Packs have been taken. Most Holy Face of Jesus: Gaze upon us in mercy and fill our hearts with your divine love...

DIOCESAN OPPORTUNITIES: We are currently recruiting three Property Area Coordinators, each responsible for the maintenance, compliance, and performance of a defined portfolio of properties within an allocated geographic area of the Diocese. The role ensures that buildings are safe, legally compliant, well maintained, and fit for mission and ministry, while providing support to parishes, clergy, and diocesan stakeholders. This is a full-time, 12 month fixedterm contract, with the possibility of extension or becoming permanent. As each role covers a different part of the Diocese, three area specific Job Descriptions are available, and candidates should review the one relevant to their preferred location. The closing date for applications is Friday 7 March 2026. Interview dates will be confirmed in due course; however, we reserve the right to close the advert early should we receive a sufficient number of applications. Full information for the position and an application form can be found by visiting <https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs>

All candidates should complete a Diocesan application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org

REFRESHMENTS are served after Sunday's 11:30am Mass & Tuesday's Mass at St Brendan's, at St John Ogilvie's after Sunday's 5:00pm Mass, and after Wednesday's recitation of the Holy Rosary at Our Lady of Walsingham.