

Welcome to the Parish of St Charles Borromeo, National Forest

Primary School

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Our Lady of Lourdes & St Charles Borromeo, Ashby
Our Lady of Mercy & St Philip Neri, Melbourne
Church of the Risen Lord, Castle Donington

Secondary School

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20th Week of Ordinary time – 17th August

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14th September is a Retiring Collection for Mary's Meals

	<u>Mass times</u>			<u>Mass location</u>	<u>Feast Day</u>	<u>Intention</u>
16 th	Saturday	17:00	pm	Castle Donington	20 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Webb family (intentions)
17 th	Sunday	9:00	am	Melbourne	20 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Helen Bullough (health)
	-	11:00	am	Ashby	20 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Intentions of Slawek
18 th	Monday	9:15	am	Melbourne	Feria	Protection of our children
20 th	Tuesday	8:30	am	Castle Donington (Holy Hour)	-	-
	-	9:15	am	Castle Donington	Feria	Helen Bullough (health)
21 th	Wednesday	9:30	am	Ashby	Service of Holy Communion	-
22 th	Thursday	9:15	am	Castle Donington	NO MASS	-
				Melbourne		
23 th	Friday	08:30	am	(Holy Hour)	-	-
	-	09:15	am	Melbourne*	NO MASS	-
24 th	Saturday	08:00	am	Ashby *	St Rose of Lima	Peace in the Holy Land
	-	08:30	am	Ashby (Holy Hour)	-	-
	Sun vigil	17:00	pm	Castle Donington	21 st Sunday of Ordinary Time	Norman Feighan (RIP)
25 th	Sunday	09:00	am	Melbourne	21 st Sunday of Ordinary Time	John Winton (RIP)
	-	11:00	am	Ashby	21 st Sunday of Ordinary Time	People of the Parish

*Mass of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham

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Praying the Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet during the week

Ashby: Tuesdays 10.15 am for Priests & Religious & vocations & Fridays 10:15 am for Peace

Wednesdays at 9:10 am Divine Mercy Chaplet

Castle Donington: Rosary 20 minutes before Mass during the week

Melbourne: Divine Mercy Chaplet on Fridays during Holy Hour before Mass



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Mike Reynolds and Tony Dicken.

Free Rosary Booklet

EWTN GB media have sent the parish some lovely booklets to accompany praying the rosary, entitled; Walsingham, Fatima, and What our Lady Asks of Us Now. These are available FREE in the parish. This coincides nicely with a reminder and invitation to renew the **1st Saturdays devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**. Details of this are on the church notice boards and the parish website.

Donations to St Charles Parish through easyfundraising

Thank you to everyone who supports us through #easyfundraising – you are a great help! Want to get involved? Sign up for free and turn your online shopping at over 8,000 retailers into free donations for our cause! Sign up now: <https://join.easyfundraising.org.uk/st-charles-borromeo-national-forest-/ygy9ej/dda1/tzanbMkd/Q2251/facebook/>

Bible Alive! For August is now available at the back of the churches. Please do pick up a copy and/or for yourself and for a friend.

"Youth Group Planning (Ages 12–17)—Volunteers & Young People Wanted! - We are in the early stages of planning a new Youth group in the parish for ages 12 to 17. The aim is to create a space to grow in faith, build friendships, and learn new skills through Bible discussions, guest speakers (such as mechanics, seamstresses, and more), hands-on activities, and sports. If you are a young person interested in joining, a parent who would like to help, or someone with skills to share, we would love to hear from you! Meetings will mainly take place at Melbourne Church Hall." Please contact Fr. Andrew or Magdalena Holly on 07544 353756.

A **Jubilee of Hope Pilgrimage** will be held at Mount Saint Bernard Abbey on **Sunday 31st August**, starting with Mass at 2pm, together with a family picnic, Marian Procession, and Adoration. For more details email: jnoakes@englishmartyrs.org

What is God? Philosophical, Christian and Islamic Approaches, Friday 22nd until Monday 25th August this annual course in partnership with CEPHAS will look at the nature and knowledge of God from a pre-religious, philosophical understanding, before comparing the Islamic concept of God with the Christian, leaning on Saint Thomas Aquinas' elaboration of the Trinity and the Incarnation. For more information and to book: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/what-is-god/>

Finance Committee Member

We are looking for a new member to join our Finance Committee, from either Castle Donington or Melbourne. If you know of someone who might be willing to assist in this capacity, please let Fr. Andrew

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, 5 October, Castle Donington

Spend a fun afternoon learning the dos and don'ts of afternoon etiquette from the Victorian Baroness Bolsover; then, enjoy a homemade afternoon tea with all the trimmings- £10 per person. Don't miss this- it's a very enjoyable way to spend a Sunday afternoon!

Raffle and tombola prizes

Search your cupboards and drawers to donate to our monthly coffee morning raffles at Castle Donington Nad Melbourne and for our upcoming Christmas Cracker tombola. Leave your donations in church or contact Linda at lawordsworth@hotmail.com Thank you for your continued generosity.

The Martyr-Saints of the North-West, Friday 12th until Sunday 14th September is a weekend studying some of the Reformation-era martyrs of the North-West region. Part-retreat, part-biographical, the weekend will be led by Monsignor John Allen of Salford Diocese, who has recently published a history of the diocese with a foreword by Eamon Duffy. For more information and to book: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/the-martyr-saints-of-the-north-west/>

INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH?

RCIA (Roman Catholic Initiation for Adults) course every 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month for all who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church. **6:30pm to 8pm** in the Crypt of Our Lady of Lourdes, Ashby. **The next Meeting is August 28th. Dates for September are 11th and 25th**

Keep her (Mary, Mother of God) in your mouth, keep her in your heart. Follow the example of her life and you will obtain the favour of her prayer. Following her you will never go astray. Asking her help, you will never despair. Keeping her in your thoughts, you will never wander away. With your hand in hers, you will never stumble. With her protecting you, you will not be afraid. With her leading you, you will never tire. Her kindness will see you through to the end. – St Bernard of Clairvaux

Attendance	Collections	Envelopes	Standing Orders	Total	2nd Collection
203	£ 537.36	£ 65.00	£ -	£ 602.86	£ n/a