

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

Easter Week 7

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	<u>Mass times</u>			<u>Mass location</u>	<u>Feast Day</u>	<u>Intention</u>
20 th	Saturday Sun vigil	17:00	pm	Donington	7 th Sunday of Easter	Steven O'Mara (RIP)
21 st	Sunday	9:30	am	Melbourne	7 th Sunday of Easter	People of the Parish
		11:00	am	Ashby	7 th Sunday of Easter	Bsp David O'Connell (RIP)
22 nd	Monday	09:15	am	Melbourne	St Rita of Cascia	The Holy Souls
23 rd	Tuesday	17:00	pm	Donington (Holy Hour)	-	-
		18:00	pm	Donington	Easter feria	Mark Quinn (RIP)
24 th	Wednesday	9:30	am	Ashby	Easter feria	Chick Rushton (RIP)
25 th	Thursday	9:15	am	Donington	St Bede the Venerable	
26 th	Friday	8:30	am	Melbourne (Holy Hour)	-	-
		9:15	am	Melbourne	St Philip Neri	People of the Parish
27 th	Saturday	8:00	am	Ashby	St Augustine of Canterbury	A special intention
		8:30	am	Ashby (Holy Hour)	-	-
28 th	Sun vigil	17:00	pm	Donington	Pentecost	The Pope's Intention
	Sunday	9:30	am	Melbourne	Pentecost	People of the Parishes
		11:00	am	Ashby	Pentecost	Dennis Payne (RIP)

Praying the Rosary

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

Castle Donington 20 minutes before Mass during the week

Melbourne: Divine Mercy Chaplet on Fridays during Holy Hour

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is regularly available during the Holy Hours. You may also arrange a separate time with Fr. Andrew, just ask.

***Please join us for coffee, and a chat after Sunday Mass at Ashby
 and also at Melbourne after Mass on the 4th Sunday of the Month***

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Attendance	Loose Plate	Envelopes	Standing Orders	Total	
Ashby: 110	£ 137.97	£ 108.97	£ -	£ 245.97	£ -
CD & Melbourne: 86	£ 195.98	£ 69.00	£ -	£ 264.98	£ -

Second Collection this Weekend 21st May World Communications Day

Comboni Mission appeal 27th & 28th May – Fr. Melaku from the Comboni Missionaries (Verona Fathers) will be holding a mission in our churches on the above weekend. The Comboni Missionaries serve Christ in some of the most testing conditions in the world. Come and hear their story.

Parish Website – The parish website has been up and running for a half a year now. Please have a look for parish newsletter, homilies, PPC and Finance and 'Way Forward' membership, roles and minutes.

Health and Safety Officer for Melbourne – Our Health and Safety Officer for Melbourne church has had to step aside for the time being. This is a vital role for the continued running of the church. Some experience in this field would help but is not essential as guidance will be provided.. Please speak to Fr. Andrew after Mass or call.

Melbourne Children's Liturgy Future Dates are 21/5, 4/6, 18/6. We will continue to hold C/L alternate Sundays for the time being. Meryl Baldwin 01332 865 352.

Faith and Footprint: Monday 5th June at 7.00pm – 8.30pm. Caritas invite you to their next online workshop with CAFOD on caring for Creation in our parishes and homes. The session is a chance to meet others who are praying and working for a greener Church, or interested in the parish earning the Livesimply Award. This time we'll focus on:

- Planning for activities for the Season of Creation, which starts on 1st September
- Designing a 'campaign journey' and assembling resources to engage parishioners
- Hosting a screening in your parish of The Letter, a film about putting *Laudato Si* into action.

To receive the Zoom link book your place at bit.ly/FaithandFootprint

A **retreat day** open to all is being hosted by the Nottingham Secular Discalced Carmelites, as a time of prayer and adoration in preparation for the solemnity of Corpus Christi, on **Saturday 10th June** from 8.00am until 4.00pm, at Saint John's church, Midland Avenue, Stapleford NG9 7BT. Come when you can, stay as long as you wish, light refreshment as well as members of the community will be present throughout. A poster is on display at the back of church, or contact Heather Ward: heatherward55@gmail.com or 01773 599982.

Melbourne Coffee Morning On Sat 27th May is in aid of Teams4U. This is a humanitarian charity working alongside children that are without a family or community, traumatised through abuse, war, and poverty. We aim to provide hope for the future and to see them laugh and play again. Next Sunday I after mass I hope to tell you more. In the meantime please look at their website.

Interested in entering the Catholic Church? – From 8th of June we will start holding a course every 2nd Thursday of the month for all who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church. At this stage the course will open to all: the Baptised, the non-Baptised, Catholics who would like to return to a practice and those who wish a deeper understanding of their faith. The Course will take place from 6:30pm to 8pm in the Crypt of the church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Ashby. Please contact the office if you have any questions

Persecuted Christians Today – Reflection and workshop. The Diocesan Ecumenical Commission has arranged a day led by Teresa Kehoe (Aid to the Church in Need) at Infant of Prague parish hall, 63 Broad Street, Syston, LE7 1GH on Saturday 27th May; 10.00am to 1.00pm. Aid to the Church in Need supports the Catholic faithful and other Christians where they are persecuted, oppressed or in pastoral need. No need to book, just come on the day; refreshments available, please bring a packed lunch. For more information contact Fran Hazel at ecumenicalcommission@dioceseofnottingham.uk