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Sunday 24th April - 2nd Sunday of Easter	
9:30	Deacon Gerry - Birthday Intentions All the Sisters of St Clare and friends living and deceased
11:30	Bridget Callanen - Anniversary RIP People of the Parish - Intentions
3 pm	Divine Mercy Mass
5 pm	Sandra Dias - Birthday Intentions Eugeniusz Bubicz 16 th Anniversary - RIP
Monday	
12:45	Jack Linnane - 30 th Anniversary RIP
Tuesday	
12:45	Rita Togher - RIP
7 pm	Mass for St George
Wednesday	
12:45	Vocations to the Religious Life
Thursday	
12:45	Sony Williams and Family - Thanksgiving Souls in Purgatory
Friday	
12:45	John Hutcheson - Birthday remembrance
Third Sunday of Easter	
9:30	John Cronin - Anniversary All the Sisters of St Clare and friends living and deceased
11:30	Father Dariusz - Intentions
5 pm	People of the Parish - Intentions

Parish Prayers
 Please pray for our young people who will be making their 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation this year.

Confessions: 12 o'clock before mass on Thursday and Friday

Parish Office
 Open Tuesday to Friday from 10 am to 2 pm

Forthcoming Events

Summer Camp 2022 - Join the NYMO team as they journey to Alton Castle this summer. Summer Camp is a week packed with dynamic talks, powerful times of prayer and adrenaline filled activities! It is for anyone aged 12 – 18 and prices start at £225 inc. accommodation, food, transport, activities and a day trip to Alton Towers. To book your place e mail Fiona@nymo.org

Bishop David will celebrate a special Mass for the Sick on Saturday 30th April at the Cathedral. This is specially for all our housebound, and we hope that they will be able to follow it on the Cathedral live stream via the diocesan website: <https://northamptondiocese.org/live/>

As part of our diocese desire to reach out to all those who have suffered any kind of abuse within our Church, you **are all invited to join Bishop David at the opening of our Healing Garden at Northampton Cathedral at 3 pm Sunday 15th May.** We hope that the garden will be a place that provides spiritual and emotional calming relief, reduce stress and improve a person's sense of wellbeing and hopefulness.

Sisters of St Clare – Mass and Thank you Celebration - 6 pm Monday 9th May

Everyone is welcome and afterwards in the hall to spend time showing our gratitude for nearly 50 years of their dedicated and faithful service.

Please ring Kevin on 07802 525581 if you would like to set up the parish hall or would like to contribute towards the refreshments

Gift giving envelopes for the Sisters are in the porch, if you do place a cheque in the envelope please make it payable to Our Lady Help of Christians. We will collect these envelopes in a 2nd collection on Sunday 1st May at all masses.

Repository – Our shop is open after every mass on Sunday, with 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation coming up there are lovely gifts available.

Covid Safety Measures: We welcome you all to Mass and would like to remind you of the measures we are taking to keep you safe. We still have to observe social distancing, hand sanitizing and face coverings.

Catholic Women for Synod 2021 - 2023: An online survey to gather feedback from Catholic women from across the world to provide data for submission to the XV1 Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops which is themed For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission.

The survey is open until 26th April and is available in English, Spanish, French, German, Italian and Polish. It takes 5 minutes to complete.

<https://redcap.hmri.org.au/surveys/?s=HYAKA3NJAWX9NKYD>