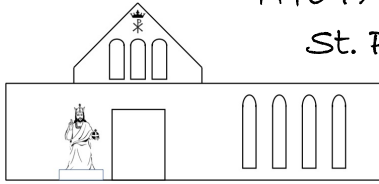


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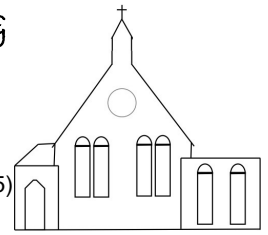
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Eleventh Sunday: Weekly Bulletin 13th – 21st June 2026

<u>Alfreton</u>	<u>Clay Cross</u>																
<p>Saturday 13th June: 6.30pm Mass: Winnie Stenson Ints</p> <p>Sunday 14th June: 11am Mass: Martin Hynes Ints</p> <p>Monday 15th June: <u>NO MASS</u></p> <p>Wednesday 17th June: 9am Adoration, 9.30am Mass: Pat & Matthew Clarke RIP</p> <p>Friday 19th June: 9am Adoration, 9.30am Mass: Jim & Linda Noone Wellbeing</p> <p>Saturday 20th June: 6.30pm Mass: Sean McGing RIP</p> <p>Sunday 21st June: 11am Mass: Miroslaw Piwowar RIP</p>	<p>Sunday 14th June: Jim & Linda Noone Wellbeing</p> <p>Tuesday 16th June: 9.30am Adoration, 10am Mass: St Benedict School Year 11 Ints</p> <p>Thursday 18th June: 9.30am Adoration, 10am Mass: Betty Deane RIP</p> <p>Sunday 21st June: 9am Mass: Mr & Mrs James Ints</p>																
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Second Collection: Next Saturday/Sunday 20th & 21st June: Day for Life

Heartfelt thank you: As part of our Five-Year Future Plan for the parish, we recently held our final meeting before the submission to the Diocese. A sincere thank you to everyone who attended and generously contributed their ideas, suggestions, time, and energy throughout this important process. Your support and involvement have been greatly appreciated. A special word of thanks to Fiona Molumby and Veronica Grant for their wonderful leadership, dedication, and guidance during all these meetings. Soon, our two-page parish submission will be shared with the congregation before it is officially submitted to the Diocese. Thank you once again for your continued support and prayers for our parish community.

Sausage or Bacon cobs: The SVP society of Christ the King, Alfreton and St. Patrick and St. Brigid, Clay Cross would greatly appreciate your support on Sunday 14th June when we will be serving sausage or bacon cobs after Mass at both churches. Your support will help us to provide grocery packs in the summer holidays for children in our parish who receive free school lunches during term time.

Baptism: We warmly welcome all parents who are planning to baptise their child in the future. As part of the preparation, we kindly ask families to attend Holy Mass regularly for at least three months and to take part in the Baptism preparation sessions led by Fiona Molumby. Please note that among the two Godparents, at least one must be a practising Catholic. For more details or to arrange the preparation sessions, please contact Fiona Molumby at: fmolumby@aol.com

Missio Boxes: Thank you to all who brought their boxes in for emptying. 4 boxes emptied this time with a total of £39.41. Please collect your emptied boxes from the back of church. Also at the back of both churches you will find the latest editions of Mission Today magazine and some special Red Box prayer cards. Please take your free copy. Should more be required, please inform your collector.

The Diocesan Walsingham Pilgrimage is taking place on Saturday 20th June. The itinerary is: 12 noon – Arrivals at the Anglican Shrine in Walsingham Village (coaches please park at Village Coach Park); 12.45 pm – Opening Liturgy and Procession of Our Lady to the Catholic Shrine; 3pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet at the Catholic Shrine; 3.30pm Holy Mass in the Catholic Shrine. All are very welcome!

Young adults aged 18–35 are invited to join a special overnight Pilgrimage to Walsingham (Saturday 20th to Sunday 21st June), taking place alongside the annual diocesan pilgrimage, with dedicated time, space and community for young adults. Staying at Elmham House (half board) pilgrims will share in the wider celebrations while also enjoying moments specifically for the young adult community and encounter. For any questions, contact Charles Archer, Young Adult Ministry Lead charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk. Bookings at www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/walsingham-2026

Parishioners from across our Diocese are welcome to attend the Diocesan Roodsley Pilgrimage Mass in honour of Saint Ralph Sherwin at 1.00pm on Tuesday 30th June. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Patrick at Saint Marys Church, Derby. If you have any questions please contact Jamie Agius at jaگیus@srscomat.co.uk

Pensioner's Lunch: Join us for the parish lunch on Monday, 6th July 2026, at 1pm! The booking lists for the July Pensioners Lunch are now available at the back of both churches. If you'd like to join us, please be sure to reserve your spot by adding your name to the list by Sunday, 28th June, or give us a call at 07739896735 by Wednesday, 1st July 2026. (If no one answers, please leave a message!) We're looking forward to sharing a lovely meal together!

The inter-diocesan Padley Pilgrimage will be celebrated on Sunday 12th July: gather at Grindleford Train Station for the Rosary Procession at 3.00pm; followed by Mass at Padley at 3.30pm celebrated by Bishop Patrick. All are very welcome.

Respond to Our Lady's invitation, and join Bishop Patrick, in the Nottingham Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026. Places are still available, departing from East Midlands airport on Monday 13th July, to enjoy five days in Lourdes with over 200 people from across our diocese. Those with additional needs will be cared for by our health team and helpers' team. Mary invites us all to come to this holy place. More details from the tour operator: <https://www.tangney-tours.com/diocese-pilgrimages/diocese-nottingham/>

Lourdes Youth Pilgrimage 2026 — 12th to 19th July: Are you 16 or over? Join the Nottingham Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes this summer. Travelling overland by coach with four nights in Lourdes and a stop in Paris on the way home, you'll serve assisted pilgrims, share in the life of the Sanctuary, and follow a programme of prayer, talks and time together. £1,050 all-in; bursaries available in confidence for any young person who needs one. To find out more or to register interest, email director@ndcys.com.

All Young Adults are warmly invited to join the Diocese of Nottingham and Pope Leo in Seoul, South Korea, for World Youth Day 2027: a week of Encounter and Discipleship with 100,000s of other Young Catholics ready to hear the Lord speak into their lives. Please contact charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk for more information! As numbers are limited please do this by 31st July 2026.

Low-income countries are being pushed into a deepening debt crisis, forced to pay ever higher interest rates to wealthy lenders. Money that should be spent on healthcare and education is flowing out of countries that can least afford it. In 2027, the UK will host the G20, a crucial gathering of the world's 20 most powerful economies. These leaders have the power to fix the global debt system. Please sign CAFOD's Debt Justice Petition today and strengthen the call for action from the UK Government: Please sign on line by visiting CAFOD: <https://action.cafod.org.uk/page/189582/petition>

Next Saturday/ Sunday (20th & 21st June) Holy Mass Readings: Jeremiah 20/10-13, Romans 5/12-15, Mt 10/26-33

After the 9am Mass at Clay Cross and the 11am Mass at Alfreton, tea and coffee will be available in the hall. Please take this opportunity to chat, catch up with old friends, and make new ones. We look forward to seeing you there.