

St. Dominic's Community - Team Ministry for South West Leicestershire
Incorporating St. Peter's Parish, Hinckley, St. Peter & Paul's Parish, Earl Shilton
Lady and St. Gregory's Parish, Market Bosworth.



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News and events for the week beginning September 6th 2026

Book of Remembrance: Evelene O'Meara, Josef Nitsche, Bish Holubecki, John Ugarte, Bernard Webb,
Craig McCrea, Paul Plumridge, and Terry Daies

23rd SUNDAY of Year A

Sat. 5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth *Dead List*

Sat: 6.30pm Mass in Hinckley: *Lisa McDonald*

Sun: 8.00am Mass in Hinckley: *Anna McGlynn's Ints.*

9.45 am Mass in Hinckley: *David Forsythe*

11.30 am Mass in Earl Shilton *Artur Lebek*

6.00pm Meeting to arrange the SPANED Jubilee Mass in the Mary Forryan Centre

MONDAY 7th: Of the Day

8.00 am Mass in Hinckley: *Vocations (Catenians)* 8.30am Meeting of the Pastoral Team

10.00am Mass in Earl Shilton *Dead List*

10.30am Meeting of the Pastoral Team

12.30pm Funeral Service for Cynthia Flowers

6.00pm Don Bosco group

7.30pm Meeting of AlterNativity organisers

7.30pm Prayer Group in Market Bosworth

TUESDAY 8th: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9.30am: Eucharistic service in Hinckley

WEDNESDAY 9th: Of the Day

9.30 am Mass in Hinckley: *Bernadette Alesbrook*

12.00pm: Funeral Mass for Patricia Glover in Market Bosworth

1.00pm Friendly Club

THURSDAY 10th: Of the Day

9.30 am Mass in Hinckley: *Dead List*

FRIDAY 11th: Of the Day

12.00pm Mass in Hinckley: *Keith Oxley*

SATURDAY 12th: Of the Day

10.00 am : Confessions in St Dominic's Chapel

24th SUNDAY of Year A

Sat. 5.00pm Mass in Market Bosworth *Dead List*

Sat: 6.30pm Mass in Hinckley: *Merlene Langham (Bennet)*

Sun: 8.00am Mass in Hinckley: *Ray Brooks*

9.45am Mass in Hinckley: *John Gibbons*

11.30 am MASS in Earl Shilton *Dead List*

4.30pm Gathering of children and young people to arrange a Christmas play

Outreach – is an essential part of our mission as Christians. In serving Our Lord, we look not only to the quality of our own lives but also to the lives of others all round the world with whom we share what we have not as a matter of charity but of justice. It is not right for us to have so much when others have so little or nothing and they are our brothers and sisters. Much of this work is carried out through regular fund-raising activities of one sort or another, in addition to mandatory diocesan second collections, CAFOD Fast Days and several ‘one-off’ needs as they crop up during the year, such as the Venezuelan earthquake and the appalling tragedy in Nepal. We support these needs and crises not only in our prayers but also in this financial manner. So here are some of the regular projects and needs which we support every year:

Developing World Group – this group was set up 40 years ago in response to the Ethiopian famine of 1984, and since that time has raised in excess of £200,000 for various projects many of which have a direct personal connection with our parishes. During the year a number of events take place such as Valentine’s Day stall, Mothering Sunday, Easter chicks, Plant sale, autumn produce sale and Christmas Tombola and quiz to raise funds and awareness the results of which are published annually in our report. If anyone would like to offer their services to join our humble group, you will be welcome. Please see Paul and Angela Scola or Norma Armson.

Hope House Orphanage – for the past 20 years we have been supporting this orphanage in Owerri Nigeria, in response to a request from Fr.Michael, who is personally involved in its running. The aim was to ‘sponsor’ an individual named child’s education up to secondary school or beyond and so far 200 children have been supported in this way by our parishes. The organization is a registered charity and funds are sent to it via Fr.Joel Nwalozie in Narborough. The children also need food as many of them do not have sufficient to live on. If you are interested in supporting this work, please contact Beatrice Bishop or Fr.Michael.

African Village Dream – this project in the village of Ker Leven in the Gambia was set up by Lee and Pam Glasgow in memory of Stuart to help villagers improve their lives and avoid poverty by introducing the growing of rice in the village. In addition, they have provided the resources to build 7 classrooms for a school. Lee and Pam have visited the village several times and a lovely connection now exists between us and them For more information , search: www.africanvillagedream.org.

Missio Red Boxes – are used in our homes to support to missionary activity of the church and are collected by David Mather and friends on a regular basis.

Lawrence House – is the hostel for homeless young people round the corner from our church and is supported in many ways and projects during the year

LOROS Hospice – provides sensitive palliative care for people nearing the end of their lives in a beautiful facility in Leicester, which is now struggling for funds as government subsidies have been cut.

Foodbank – the local foodbank provides food from donations for families in need in the town. We have collection boxes in all our churches.

Change in Mass time – Wednesday in Market Bosworth for the funeral of Patricia Glover

Lourdes group Sponsored Walk – Saturday September 19th round Rutland Water – the group will be asking for your support in Hinckley and in Market Bosworth this weekend, and Earl Shilton next weekend. See Ian Coe or Andy Blower if you would like to join the walkers.

Don Bosco Group – re-commences on Monday from 6.00pm-7.45pm in the Leo Kane studio. Lots of fun and games for young people aged 8-14

AlterNativity organisers – meet for the first time to organise this year’s event on Monday at 7.30pm in the Carbery Room.

SPANNED Jubilee Mass – takes place with Bishop Patrick on Saturday September 26th at 2.00pm in Hinckley. It will involve a lot of work and we hope that those of you willing to help will come along to a brief meeting this Sunday evening at 6.00pm in the centre. Our magazine will be on sale this weekend

A play for Christmas – we are hoping to present a play with children and young people in the first week of the New year. There will be a meeting next Sunday at 4.30pm in the centre.