

# The Catholic Parish of St Mary and St Augustine Webster, North Lincolnshire

## LENT & EASTER 2026 - AT A GLANCE

Day	Time	What's on
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> February <b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>	9.30am 7.00pm	Mass with Distribution of Ashes in Barton Mass with Distribution of Ashes in Brigg
<b>Every Monday</b>	7.00pm - 8.00pm	Online scripture reflection & prayer and/or Stations of the Cross <a href="https://zoom.us/j/97388559750?pwd=Agvgt4axARAFk9Gn3aDkbMDpAdO48e.1">https://zoom.us/j/97388559750?pwd=Agvgt4axARAFk9Gn3aDkbMDpAdO48e.1</a>
<b>Every Tuesday</b>	9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – St. Mary's, Brigg
	After 9.30am Mass	Stations of the Cross – St. Mary's, Brigg
	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
<b>Every Wednesday</b> (except 18 <sup>th</sup> Feb & 1 <sup>st</sup> April)	9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
<b>Every Thursday</b>	9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - St. Mary's, Brigg
	After 9.30am Mass	Stations of the Cross – St. Mary's, Brigg
	6.30pm - 8.15pm	Evangelium course continues – St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg
<b>Every Friday (except 20<sup>th</sup> Feb &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> April)</b>	9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
	10.00am	<i>If Mass is taking place</i> - Confessions - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
<b>Every Saturday</b>	5.00pm	Holy Hour with Adoration - St. Mary's, Brigg <i>Confessions also available</i>
Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	After 11.00am Mass	Opportunity for Prayer Ministry – St. Mary's, Brigg
	3.00pm	Rite of Election for RCIA candidates - Nottingham Cathedral
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	7.00pm	Evening Prayer of the Church and Benediction – St. Mary's, Brigg
	7.00-8.45pm	Youth Group – St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	7.00pm	Deanery Lenten Station Mass – Our Lady of Lincoln, Lincoln (preceded by Adoration and confessions from 5.45pm)
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	11.00am	World Day of Prayer - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
	2.30pm	World Day of Prayer hosted at St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg
	7.00-8.45pm	Youth Group – St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	10.00 - 10.45am	Youth Lent gathering after Mass – St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	7.00-8.45pm	Youth Group – St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	7.00am	Dawn Mass, St. Mary's Brigg
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	4.00pm	Children's Stations of the Cross with Lenten/Easter crafts – St. Mary's Church Hall, Brigg (Note: Children & families are welcome from 3.15pm)
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	7.00pm - 8.30pm	Teens' Group – St. Mary's Presbytery
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	10.00am - 12.00noon	<b>St. Augustine Webster, Barton</b> <b>Parish Lenten Reflection Morning – Theme: I will give you rest</b> Guided prayer, reflection, Mass and Stations of the Cross
	7.15pm - 8.00pm	Youth Stations of the Cross – St. Mary's, Brigg
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Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> March	3.45pm - 7.00pm	<b>St Mary's, Brigg</b> <b>Parish Lenten Retreat Afternoon – Theme: The Suffering Servant</b> <i>Talk, Adoration, confessions, Holy Hour (5-6pm), prayer ministry and closing with Vigil Mass of Palm Sunday at 6pm</i>

## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

Day	Time	What's on
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	9.00am 11.00am	Both Palm Sunday Masses will begin with a procession from the church gardens (weather permitting)
Tues 31 <sup>st</sup> March	6.00pm	Mass, followed by confessions (6.30pm-7.00pm) – St. Mary's, Brigg
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> April	11.30am	Mass of Chrism with Bishop Patrick - Nottingham Cathedral <i>All are welcome to attend and support Fr. Lim and other clergy as they renew their commitment to pastoral service in our diocese.</i>

## EASTER TRIDUUM

Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> April <b>HOLY THURSDAY</b>	7.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper (followed by Adoration) – St. Augustine Webster, Barton.
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> April <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>	11.00am (TBC)	Brigg Passion Play (time to be confirmed)
	11.00am	Stations of the Cross – St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
	3.00pm	Celebration of the Passion of Our Lord – St. Mary's, Brigg
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> April <b>HOLY SATURDAY</b>	8.00pm	The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night – St. Mary's, Brigg.
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup> April <b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>	9.00am	Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord - St. Augustine Webster's, Barton
	11.00am	Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord – St. Mary's, Brigg (followed by shared meal in St. Mary's Church Hall and children's Easter Egg Hunt)

## Some suggestions for Lenten Fasting in 2026

**If you're considering what to give up this Lent, also think about what you'll replace it with...** Because every time we say "no" to something, we're saying "yes" to something else — even if we don't realise it.

+ **If you're giving up social media:** Replace it with reading the [daily Mass readings](#), or a daily devotional, or replace it with listening to a podcast (like the [Bible in a Year podcast](#)). Text a friend about what you're reading. Put a picture of a short prayer as the background of your phone and pray it every time you reach for it.

+ **If you're giving up podcasts, tv shows, or movies:** Replace it with watching or listening to Catholic talks that help you grow in your faith life, like an online [lenten Retreat](#), [lenten meditations](#), or listen to a [lenten music playlist](#), or [daily homilies](#) you can find online. Take the time to watch a show like [The Chosen](#) and pray [the Rosary](#) or the [Divine Mercy Chaplet](#), spend time with our Lord in [Eucharistic Adoration](#), or join an [online weekly lenten scripture study](#).

+ **If you're giving up complaining:** Replace it with a journal of gratitude and praise for the Lord. Write down the little blessings you see around you throughout your day. Plan to share an encouragement or a compliment with someone each day. Say [prayers of gratitude](#) every morning before getting out of bed and every night as you fall asleep.

+ **If you're giving up shopping for yourself:** You can donate what you no longer need or volunteer your time during Lent. You could visit a friend you haven't seen in a while, and ask them if they need something helpful before you drop by.

+ **If you're giving up any sort of food or drinks:** You can replace it with a prayer for those who are hungry and in need. For people who are lonely or forgotten, or for the [souls in Purgatory](#). You can volunteer to make a meal for someone you know or someone in your parish. You can join this UK 2026 initiative to [adopt a bishop](#) and commit to praying for them.

Each of these major Catholic media apostolates has a programme for Lent 2026: [Ascension's Crux retreat](#), [Hallow's Pray40 challenge](#), and [Word on Fire's Seek the Inner Room](#). Also check out [twenty suggestions for Lent](#).

Fasting is a way to make space for the Lord to work in our lives, so these sacrifices -- big or small -- give our Lord the opportunity to speak and it gives us the chance to respond to Him and be in relationship with Him.