

ST BEDE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

(Diocese of Hallam)

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11th June 2012

Mr Martin Kimber
Chief Executive
Rotherham MBC
Riverside House
Main Street
ROTHERHAM
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Dear Sir,

I write to voice the complaints of myself, my congregation and my neighbours at the car parking chaos which pertains in Masbrough largely caused by the workers at Riverside House.

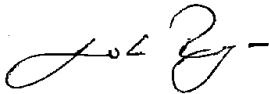
In attempting to find a solution to this problem of the Council's making, may I request that the needs of the residents, the local businesses and the worshippers of the churches in Masbrough have priority.

St Bede's is used on a daily basis by people from across Rotherham and beyond, as well as being a venue for funerals and weddings. It is important that those involved be able to park within reach of the church without severe financial penalty.

I enclose a petition signed by residents and worshippers of St Bede's to request that the needs of the congregations of the churches in Masbrough be recognised, and that if parking meters are to be introduced that there be no charges at the weekend, that there be one hour free of charge and that there be a maximum stay of two hours with no return within four hours.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,



Monsignor John Ryan

PARKING PETITION

from St Bede's Catholic Church, Station Road, Masbrough

I support the following statement with regard to on- street parking in the area surrounding our church.

1. That the needs of the congregations of the churches in Masbrough be recognised;
2. If parking meters are to be introduced:
 - that there be no charges at the weekend
 - that there be one hour free of charge
 - that there be a maximum stay of two hours with no return within four hours