



The Catholic Diocese of Leeds  
**Parish of St Jeanne Jugan**  
*Churches of St Urban's and Our Lady of Lourdes*



29.03.2026		Holy Week – Year A		Office Week 2
Day	Time	Intention	Venue	
Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup>	06:00pm	November Dead List	STU	1 <sup>st</sup> Mass of Palm Sunday
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup>	08:45am	People of the Parish	OLOL	Palm Sunday
	10:30am	Hugh O'Malley - Anniv	STU	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>		NO MASS		
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	12 noon	Requiem Mass – Mary Carden	STU	
	07:00pm	Bernadette Kelly	STU	
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	10.00am	NO MASS	STU	
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	08:00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper	STU	Maundy Thursday
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	03:00pm	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord	OLOL	Good Friday
	07.00pm	Veneration of the Cross	STU	
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup>	08:00pm	Kevin Murphy LD	STU	Easter Vigil
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup>	08:45am	Anthony Fanning LD	OLOL	Easter Sunday
	10:30am	People of the Parish	STU	

Sunday Masses at St Urban's are livestreamed

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 05:15pm STU or by appointment. Sunday: Our Lady of Lourdes before Mass

**Sunday Readers and Eucharistic Ministers Rota**

Date	Time	First Reading/ Psalm	Second Reading/Intercessions	Eucharistic Ministers
28.03.26	06:00pm	Christine Cheseldine	Christine Cheseldine	Mary Murphy/ Brendan Meehan/Mark Jackson
28.03.26	08:45am	Phil Ward	Phil Ward	Phil/Cecilia Weston
29.03.26	10.30am	Ian Rothbury	David Wilcock	Helen/Graham
04.04.26	06:00pm	Jessica Elwes	Jessica Elwes	
05.04.26	08:45am	Mark Chesters	Mark Chesters	Barre/Adriano
05.04.26	10.30am	Ali Hodrien	Tara McStay	Ian/Breda
Many thanks for your offerings. Our offering QR code:  		STU: £152.55 OLOL: £166.61 Standing Orders: £702.78 Total: £1,021.94	<b>Counter's Rota</b> 29.03.26 Neema/Shiobhan 05.04.26 Peter/Maureen 12.04.26 Claire/Dom 19.04.26 Karen/Mark Aldridge	
<b>Deadline for submitting notices to the weekly bulletin is 10am on Wednesday</b>			<b>Church Cleaning</b> <b>STU Mondays at 9:30am - OLOL Fridays after Mass</b>	

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**THIS WEEK IS HOLY WEEK:** This is the most holy time of the year recalling the passion, death of Our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, culminating in his glorious resurrection. Jesus truly died, as we will, but He also truly rose again by which Heaven is opened to us if we choose to accept the invitation to eternal life. Please note the changes to Mass times this week **Palm Sunday Masses will be at our usual Sunday Mass times** with the First Mass of Palm Sunday on Saturday evening at 6.00pm at St Urbans. There will be **Stations of the Cross on Palm Sunday at 3.00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. There is no Mass in the parish on Wednesday due to the celebration of the Chrism Mass in the Cathedral at 11.00am** celebrated by Bishop Marcus where all the priests of the Diocese will renew their promises and the Holy Oils for 2026 will be blessed. All are welcome at the Chrism Mass which is a beautiful occasion. On **Holy Thursday the Mass of the Lord's Supper, including the "Mandatum" the washing of feet, will be celebrated at 8.00pm at St Urban's** followed by watching at the Altar of Repose until 10.00pm. On **Good Friday the Celebration of the Lord's Passion will be at 3.00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes with Veneration of the Cross at 7.00pm at St Urban's.** On **Holy Saturday the Easter Vigil Mass will be at 8.00pm at St Urban's;** this Mass meets the obligation for Easter Sunday. **Easter Sunday Masses will be at our normal times.**

**VOLUNTEERS FOR OUR HOLY WEEK LITURGIES:** Please see the lists at the back of St Urban's asking for **volunteers to help with our Holy Week liturgies.** Roles include volunteering to have feet washed on Holy Thursday; people to help carry the canopy to the Altar of Repose on Holy Thursday; readers for the liturgies on Thursday, Friday and the Holy Saturday Vigil. It is a great way to play a part of honouring The Lord's passion and resurrection.

**CELEBRATING EASTER:** After the 10.30 Mass at St Urbans on Easter Sunday we will hold our **annual easter egg raffle.** It is still not too late to kindly donate an easter egg as a prize. It's a **great way to support our parish family, including enabling the purchase an easter gift for housebound parishioners.**

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OF APRIL:** The Second Sunday of Easter, "Divine Mercy Sunday" is a special time of grace and I am keen that our parish community has the opportunity to obtain the plenary indulgence associated with this day. **Our Divine Mercy liturgy will commence at 2.00pm at St Urban's with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.** During Exposition **Confession will be available,** followed by **Divine Mercy devotions concluding with the 3 o'clock prayer.** The plenary indulgence is available under the normal conditions – Confession with a detachment from sin, receipt of the Eucharist within a reasonable period (normally 7 days), and prayers for the intentions of our Holy Father Pope Leo.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION:** Baptism preparation sessions will be held on the **18<sup>th</sup> of April** and the **23<sup>rd</sup> of May** both at **3.00pm in the meeting room at St Urban's.**

**PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOPS:** A series of 15 sessions of Prayer and Life Workshops, a program where you "learn to pray and you learn to live", will be held in the meeting room at **St Urban's every Wednesday from 6.45pm to 8.45pm starting on the 15th April 2026.**

**JOIN BISHOP MARCUS IN PRAYING FOR VOCATIONS:** "Our Lady of Unfailing Help! Pray that the Lord of the Harvest will send labourers into His harvest and that He will grant an abundance of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life within the Diocese of Leeds, and throughout the world. Amen."

**CONSULTATION ON THE FUTURE OF THE DIOCESES OF LEEDS & MIDDLESBROUGH:** As part of the consultation currently taking place across our two Dioceses, there is an opportunity for all clergy, religious and members of the lay faithful to contribute by completing an online questionnaire, either individually or as a parish group. Prayerful reflection should be given to the questions so that the Holy Spirit may guide this process of discernment. Prayer resources and a presentation are available on the diocesan website to support this process. **Responses should be submitted no later than Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of May 2026.** For more information and to complete the questionnaire, please visit: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/leeds-middlesbrough-consultation-2026/>

**CARDINAL HEENAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS:** Students and staff have been busy raising money for the Diocesan Good Shepherd appeal through innovative and creative activities such as sports competitions, games and a rap battle! Students in year 8 & 9 have been taking part in Class Masses and other students have been receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation in RE. Read the school newsletter here: [https://www.cardinalheenan.com/?jet\\_download=5a23c625e761a985e49bb3e35d35c2980bb581e3](https://www.cardinalheenan.com/?jet_download=5a23c625e761a985e49bb3e35d35c2980bb581e3) or visit [www.cardinalheenan.com](http://www.cardinalheenan.com) and search for 'newsletter'. It is great to have the school within our parish.

**200 CLUB:** The winning numbers for the 7<sup>th</sup> draw are £30. 142. £20. 28. Congratulations to the winners.