



Catholic Diocese of Leeds
Parishes of St Aelred's, Harrogate.
and St Mary's Knaresborough.
 Diocese of Leeds Registered Charity Number 249404

12.10.2025		Twenty Eighth Sunday Year C		Office Week 4
Day	Time	Intention	Venue	
Saturday 11 th	05.30pm	People of the Parish	ST.A	
Sunday 12 th	09.00am	Gerard Armstrong	ST.A	Twenty Eighth Sunday Year C
	10.30am	Joseph Mercer	ST.M	
Monday 13 th		No Mass		St Edward the Confessor
Tuesday 14 th	10.00am	Teresa Burley	ST.A	St Callistus, I, Pope and Martyr
Wednesday 15 th	10.00am	Margaret Taylor	ST.M	St Teresa of Jesus (of Avila) Virgin and Doctor of the Church
Thursday 16 th	10.00am	Holy Souls	ST.A	
Friday 17 th	10.00am	Thanksgiving IK	ST.M	St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr
Saturday 18 th	5.30pm	People of the Parishes	ST.A	St Luke, Evangelist
Sunday 19 th	09.00am	Terry Bossons	ST.A	Twenty Ninth Sunday Year C
	10.30am	Eleanor Mayhew	ST.M	

Rosary: Tuesdays & Fridays 9.35am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every weekday half an hour before Mass

**Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before Mass at St. Mary's
or St. Aelred's at 5pm or by appointment**

**Evening Prayer of the church: Join other parishioners for prayer 6-6.15pm
any evening via Zoom: Meeting ID 748 9844 4879 Passcode: 4Z9YTB.**

**St Aelred's Prayer Group: every Wednesday from 7pm to 8.30pm
in the adoration chapel.**

Come and join us before the Blessed Sacrament. Everyone is welcome.

SVP: discrete help in tough times. When you need a friend or support with everyday living the SVP are only a call away St Aelred's Tel: 07311214364 or St Mary's 07985331743

Many thanks for your Offerings on the 21.09.2025	St Aelred's Loose Plate: £200.24 Envelopes: £136.00 Standing Orders: £552.17 Total: £878.96 Contactless September: £537.11	St Mary's Loose Plate: £136.10 Envelopes: £0 Standing Orders: £770.92 Total: £907.02 Contactless September: £312.90
Deadline for submitting notices to the weekly bulletin is 10am on Thursdays		Church Cleaning: See Rotas in the Narthex – more volunteers warmly welcomed.
Very Rev Canon Gerard F Kearney 71A, Woodlands Drive, Harrogate. HG2 7BE. Telephone: 01423 276496 Deacon David Arblaster Telephone 01423 560279 Deacon Philip Rogerson: Philip.Rogerson@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Telephone: 07709094535 Email: Gerard.Kearney@dioceseofleeds.org.uk David.Arblaster@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Parish Safeguarding Officers: St Aelred's: Frances Elliott - psr.felliott@dioceseofleeds.org.uk . Websites: https://www.st-aelred.org.uk https://stmarvsknaresborough.org		

Thank you to everyone who returned their CAFOD Fast Day envelope last weekend. It is not too late to bring them back, just put them with the offertory collection. Your support is making a life changing difference to communities in Ethiopia giving them a reliable water supply.

Live Simply: Pope Francis' called us to hear and respond to "the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor". Please think about what we can do individually and as a parish to act upon this call. There is a "Suggestion Box" at the back of church for your ideas.

St Mary's Finance Advisory Group will meet on Sunday 18th October at 11.30am in the meeting room.

St Mary's PPC will meet on Sunday 30th at 11.30am in the meeting room.

Our next Shared lunch will take place on Sunday 2nd November at 12 Noon in St Mary's Hall. Please see the signup sheets at the back of each church.

APF Mill Hill Red Boxes: Would box holders please leave their boxes at the back of church over the next 2 weeks and Michael and Ellen. Many thanks for your generosity. If anyone would wish to become a red box holder, there are some spare boxes available. If you wish to make a straight bank transfer, APF Mill Hill details are: account name – Mission Sort code - 16 00 16 Account number 10824230

Would you be interested in joining a Men's Group? The group will be for men of the parish to come together socially and support one another. The group will meet once a season (4 times a year), and there is no cost. If you're interested, please contact aidan.gillespie@hotmail.com

American Style Ceilidh - Saturday 18th October 7.30pm in St Aelred's Hall. The next in our popular twice-yearly series. Come and dance to a top class live band. Sociable and fun. No previous dance experience needed - our expert dance caller will explain everything. This event is open to the public - bring your friends from outside the parish. Tickets £12 / £6 on the door. Tea, coffee & cake in the interval. No licensed bar but you can bring your own drinks if you wish. For more information see Philip Rowe (Sunday organist 9am).

St Aelred's PPC warmly invite all parishioners to an open meeting. This will be held in the spirit of synodality. We will spend time in prayer, reflection and sharing. The meeting will be held on Wednesday 22nd October from 7 – 830pm in the parish hall. Please note this is not a business meeting.

St John's School, Boston Spa, are appealing for gifts for their silent auction to be held before Christmas. If you can help, please drop off donations to Fr Gerard before the beginning of December.

Friendship Groups: **St Mary's Friendship Group** meet Monday afternoons from 1.30pm to 3pm with refreshments and good cake! All most welcome. **St Aelred's Friendship Group** meet on the third Wednesday of each month at 1.30pm – 3.30pm all most welcome.

Mass intentions gratefully received using the brown envelopes in both churches. All Mass intentions must be made via the brown envelopes in the narthex and a cash donation placed in them or use the tab on the Dona machine. **Please give at least 2 weeks' notice** to facilitate a special day.

St Mary's: could you help prepare for Mass? If you can offer help in the sacristy, please see Fr Gerard or Janet.

Fishy Luncheon Tuesday 28th October. All welcome to come and enjoy fish and chips, mushy peas, coffee/tea, bread and butter and sweets for afters, as well as some good chat. Hall opens 12 Noon, luncheon served 12.30pm £7. Monies to be paid to Tony or Margaret. Please put your names on the list at the back of St Aelred's church or phone Tony on 07912790773.

Cake and Coffee with the SVP of St Mary's on Sunday 19th October after 10.30am Mass. Learn what we do and how you could put your faith into practice. All welcome. See display details next week for further information and chat to members without obligation.

Dates for your diary:

STA Cheese and wine: POSTPONED

STM 25th October concert of sacred music St. Mary's Singers at Holy Trinity Church

STM Shared lunch: 2nd November 12 Noon

STA Tuesday 11th November Memorial Mass 7pm

STA Christmas Fair: 30th November

CJM Music Day 6th December 10.30 to 4.30 followed by Mass

STA Carol Service: 7th December 4pm

STA First Confessions 4.30pm 14th March 2026

STM First Confessions 6pm 18th March 6pm

STM First Holy Communion 16th May 11am

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Details of classes coming soon!

Parish Hall Bookings: St Mary's OR St Aelred's
see the parish websites. Or email:

office.staelred@dioceseofleeds.org.uk
hall.stmary.knaresborough@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Please join us for refreshments after Mass in the church hall – all most welcome.



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