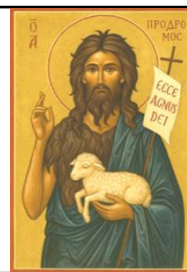


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Day	Time	Liturgical Celebration week beginning – 10/10/26	Intention
Sat	6pm	Vigil for the 28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	C George and Betty Nelson
Sun	10am	28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	C People of the Parish (Missa pro Populo)
Mon	9am	St Wilfrid (Patron of the Diocese)	C James, Mary & Maureen Richardson
Tues	9am	St Edward the Confessor	C Tony Cunningham
Wed	12noon	Feria	C In Thanksgiving
Thurs	12noon	St Teresa - Funeral 9:20 – Wakefield – Stanislaw Chocholski	C Margaret Walker
Fri	9am	Feria (Adoration to 10am)	C Mary Sadler
Sat	6pm	Vigil for the 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	C Ron & Julie Raby
Sun	10am	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	C People of the Parish (Missa pro Populo)

Confessions: Saturday - 5:15pm - 5:45pm or on request in Church

Alms Box – Bethlehem Hospice Care

Parish Website QR code



Sick List: E Gillen, A Cunningham, J Morrison, P Notsi, S Kaye, G Walker, M Crompton, J Bradley, J O'Hara, Z Horodnichenko, E Zaskalko, C Harrington, G Lenord, M Reape, G Walker, L Wise, L Ivers.

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Lynne Hartill

who, fortified with the Rite of Holy Mother Church, went to the Lord on 1st October, the feast of St Theresa of Lisieux. Lynne's body will be received into the Church at 4pm on Tuesday 20th October to be followed by her Requiem Mass at 12:30pm on Wednesday 21st October. Please pray for David, Caroline and all the family. *May she rest in peace.*

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Stanislaw Chocholski,

who died, aged 64 years, on 25th September. Please remember his family in your prayers.

Stan's Funeral Service will be at **Wakefield** Crematorium at 9:20am Thursday 15th October. *May he rest in peace.*



12 October
26 October
16 November

St Joseph's Castelford and St John's, Normanton series of presentations on the Catholic Church will begin on Monday 5th at Castleford at 7pm. I have a couple of places in my car if anyone wants a lift (6:15). The dates and topics are:

19 October
9 November
Incarnate of the Virgin Mary
I believe in the holy, catholic Church
Sacraments: outward signs of inward grace.

He suffered death and rose again
I believe in the communion of saints

1st Confession and 1st Holy Communion 2027

Applications are now closed for this year.

Please keep an eye on the bulletin for when the Preparation Books will be available .

Zapisy na ten rok są już zamknięte.

Prosimy śledzić biuletyn, w którym pojawi się informacja o dostępności książek przygotowawczych.

Rosary in October:

There will be a decade of the Holy Rosary after Masses (excluding Funerals) for those who wish or are able to stay. It is, after the Holy Mass, a most powerful form of prayer, 'scripture on beads' and united with Our Lady, Mother of God and Mother of the Church.



November – Month of the Holy Souls.

In preparation for November the 'November Dead List' and envelopes are available at the back of the Church. All those enrolled will be remembered in the Masses of November and throughout the year. The Lists will be scrolled and placed into the casket which will remain on the Sanctuary throughout November and in the Sacred Heart and Martyrs Chapel throughout the year.

"It is a good and noble thing to pray for the dead." It is also important and an act of love and respect.



Cake Stall after Mass this Sunday!



Safeguarding: Please pass any safeguarding issues to Matthew Harris at PSR.Mharris@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

EVENTS AND CHANGES:

N. B. Week of 19th Oct: Mass Time changes -

Lynne Hartill's Requiem Mass will be at

12:30 Wednesday 21st Oct

Stan Chocholiski - Burial of Ashes 9:30am Thurs 22nd Oct

- Mass at 12noon

Funeral Service for Richard Thrower, 11:40am Frid 23rd Oct, in Harrogate,

- No Mass in the Parish.

Feast of Our Lady, Queen of the Holy Land – Saturday 24th Oct –

- Mass at 12noon.

My apologies for the changes.

24 / 25th Oct:

There will also be an Appeal for Aid to the Church in Need.

The Clocks go BACK 1 hour.

Wednesday 28th Oct –

Wednesday Mass will be at 9am due to a funeral

All Saints and All Souls:

All Saints falls on the weekend of 31st and 1st Nov.

All Souls is on Monday 2nd Nov -

there will be the traditional three Masses for the dead.

Remembrance Sunday - 8th Nov.

This year Mass will remain at 10am as normal and will conclude with the Service of Remembrance at 11am, remembering our War Dead commemorated in the Church, and joining with the King and Nation in remembrance.



DIOCESAN

The Oratory of St Joseph: Catholic Men's Group (ages 21-35). Helping young men to grow in faith, fellowship and formation in order to become the saint that God is calling them to be. Meeting on the last Thursday of the month, Hinsley Hall, 6.30pm. For more information email oratory.stjoseph@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

St Wilfrid, patron of the **Diocese of Leeds**, is one of the greatest saints of the early English Church. Born in Northumbria around AD 634, Wilfrid was inspired from a young age to seek a deeper knowledge of the Christian faith. He travelled to Rome, where he gained a love for the Church's traditions and a vision of its unity that would shape his whole ministry.

As Bishop of York, St Wilfrid played a leading role at the **Synod of Whitby** in 664, helping to bring the Church in England into closer unity with the wider Catholic Church. He founded monasteries, built churches, encouraged learning and tirelessly preached the Gospel throughout northern England. Even when faced with exile, opposition and political difficulties, he remained steadfast in his faith and committed to the mission Christ had entrusted to him.

St Wilfrid's life reminds us that fidelity to the truth often requires courage and perseverance. The acceptance or applause of others, the popularity game, 'likes' are irrelevant if we do not have the courage to be honest and to defend the truth, the Gospel and the Lord. His deep devotion to the Church, his love for worship and his determination to spread the Gospel continue to inspire Christians today.

As we honour our diocesan patron on Monday, let us pray that, through the intercession of **St Wilfrid**, our Diocese may continue to grow in faith, unity and holiness, bearing witness to Christ with courage empowered by the grace of the Sacraments.

Bishop Marcus' Prayer for Vocations:

Prayer cards are available at the back of the Church

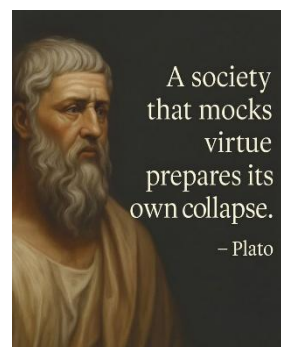
Our Lady of Unfailing Help!
Pray that the Lord
of the Harvest will send
labourers into His harvest and
that He will grant
an abundance of vocations
to the priesthood,
diaconate and religious life
within the Diocese of Leeds,
and throughout the world.
Amen.

MASS PARTS:

Kyrie eleison.
Christi eleison.
Kyrie eleison.

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus.
Dominus Deus Sabaoth!
Pleni sunt caeli et terra
gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.
Benedictus qui venti
in nomine Domini.
Hosanna in excelsis.

Agnus Dei,
qui tollis peccata mundi:
Miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei,
qui tollis peccata mundi:
Miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei,
qui tollis peccata mundi:
Dona nobis pacem.



Pope's Intentions for October: For mental health ministry

Let us pray that mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses

QR code in the narthex for those who wish to donate to the Parish via the internet, or scan here:

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