



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

17.05.2026		Seventh Sunday of Easter. Year A		Office Week 3
Day	Time	Intention	Venue	
Saturday 16 th	10.30am	First Holy Communion	ST.M	
	5.30pm	Holy Souls	ST.A	
Sunday 17 th	09.00am	First Holy Communion	ST.A	Seventh Sunday of Easter
	10.30am	Thanksgiving (L)	ST.M	
Monday 18 th		No Mass		
Tuesday 19 th	10.00am	John Edmund Bunwell	ST.A	St Dunstan, Bishop
Wednesday 20 th	10.00am	Tony Agar	ST.M	
Thursday 21 st	10.00am	Rose Stamper	ST.A	
Friday 22 nd	10.00am	Mary Teresa Byrne	ST.M	
Saturday 23 rd	5.30pm	Mark Smith	ST.A	
Sunday 24 th	09.00am	Maureen Illingworth	ST.A	Pentecost Sunday
	10.30am	Frances Buchanan	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 10.05.2026	St Aelred's Loose Plate: £236.45 Envelopes: £81.00 Standing Orders: £ 835.93 Total: £1,153.38	St Mary's Loose Plate: £209.70 Envelopes: Standing Orders: £780.00 Total: £989.70 Building fund per month £609.00
Deadline for submitting notices to the weekly bulletin is 10am on Thursdays		Church Cleaning: See Rotas in the Narthex – more volunteers warmly welcomed.
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Welcome - We welcome into the family of the church Daisy Sky baptised last weekend at St Mary's.

Students - As we enter the academic, exam season, we want to wish all our students every blessing and every success. As you prepare and sit each exam, may you know God's presence beside you, His wisdom within you, and His peace surrounding you.

Priest Availability - If you are in need of a priest, in an emergency only, for the hospital, nursing homes or at home and Fr Gerard is away or on his day off, please telephone one of the local parishes in Harrogate for help and advice.

SVP Request – A local family have asked St. Aelred's SVP if we can provide any garden furniture or outside toys. A 4 year old boy would dearly love a sandpit with a cover, or other toys to play with in the garden. If you are able to help, please call the SVP on 07311 214364. Thank you.

Life In The Spirit Seminars 2026 - St. Aelred's Church, 20th May, 7.00pm to 8pm. 'Transformation' with Deacon Martin Fenlon. Free event. Register by calling Dolores Omand 01423870789 or register on the night.

Deanery Day of Renewal - Saturday 13th June 11.30 am to 3.45 pm in St. Aelred's church hall. Speaker is Rev. Michelle Lepine. The title of her talk is "Repair shop -The power of Jesus to restore us." All most welcome.

Live Simply/Cafod meeting - Tuesday May 19th 7pm in St Aelred's hall. All welcome.

St Aelred's Social Committee – Will be meeting on Tuesday 2nd June 2026, 7pm, in the parish hall to plan the summer fayre, if you are able to help in anyway or have any ideas please come along, all are welcome.

Summer Fayre - St Aelred's Church will be holding their summer fayre on Sunday 28th June after 9am Mass. Please come along and join in on the fun, games, food and beverages! If you have any donations for the raffle or bottle tombola then please leave at the back of Church, raffle tickets will be on sale soon. Many thanks!

Fishy Luncheon - Monday 1st June. All are welcome to come and enjoy Fish & Chips, mushy peas, coffee/tea, bread & Butter and sweets for afters, as well as some good chat. Hall opens 12 noon, luncheon served 1230. £8.00. 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/text Tony on 07912790773.

Calling all current and past families of St Robert's School! To celebrate the retirement of the lovely Headteacher Miss Collins, St Robert's School will be hosting 'Jillfest' on Friday 26th June from 5.30 – 8.30pm. There will be pizza and ice cream vans, live performances, inflatables, raffle, silent auction, games, bar and more! It would be great to see as many old and present families as possible to give her a good send off. Raffle tickets are available to purchase online: <https://app.classlist.com/events/#/events/view/1450970830>

Volunteers Needed for Knaresborough Bed Race – Would you like to be part of ensuring our Bed Race Café is a huge success and meet new people and support a fantastic community cause? We are looking for volunteers to donate cakes, buns and biscuits and help set up and volunteer on the day. The church will be open: (for cake drop off and set up), Friday 13th: 5:00pm – 6:30pm and Saturday 14th: 9:00am – 11:00am. We would love volunteers from both St Mary's and St Aelred's parishes to come together, build new friendships and create a wonderful community spirit.

Knaresborough Choral Society's 40th Anniversary concert - Performing Haydn's 'Creation' at Ripon Cathedral on Saturday 23rd May, 7:30pm. Tickets are available on www.knaresboroughchoralsociety.com or on the door.

Food Bank: A Tin A Week - Our SVPs collect food for the hungry, can you spare a tin a week for this, also some toiletries? These can be left in the boxes at the back of our churches. The Lord tells us to feed the hungry, so thank you all for your donations which are sincerely appreciated.

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.

Dates For Your Diary:

17 th May	11.30am STM PPC
9 th June	6.45pm STA PPC items for the agenda no later than 1 st June.
14 th June	Knaresborough Bed Race & Café.
28 th June	10.00am St Aelred's Summer Fayre

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