



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

10.05.2026		Sixth Sunday of Easter. Year A		Office Week 2
Day	Time	Intention	Venue	
Saturday 9 th	5.30pm	Margaret Heekin	ST.A	
Sunday 10 th	09.00am 10.30am	Barry Coyne People of the Parishes	ST.A ST.M	Sixth Sunday of Easter
Monday 11 th		No Mass		
Tuesday 12 th	10.00am	Ray Richardson	ST.A	
Wednesday 13 th	10.00am	Tony Agar	ST.M	
Thursday 14 th	10.00am 7.00pm	John Murray Edna Gibson & Rodney Smith	ST.M ST.A	Ascension of the Lord. Holy Day of Obligation.
Friday 15 th	10.00am	BH	ST.M	
Saturday 16 th	10.30am 5.30pm	First Holy Communion Mass Holy Souls	ST.M ST.A	
Sunday 17 th	09.00am 10.30am	People of the Parishes Thanksgiving (L)	ST.A ST.M	First Holy Communion

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 03.05.2026	St Aelred's Loose Plate: £183.20 Envelopes: £126.00 Standing Orders: £ 559.72 Total: £868.92	St Mary's Loose Plate: £95.00 Envelopes: Standing Orders: £763.00 Total: £858.00 Contactless April: £322.75
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 Email: Gerard.Kearney@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Deacon David Arblaster Telephone 01423 560279 David.Arblaster@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Deacon Philip Rogerson: Telephone: 07709094535 Philip.Rogerson@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Parish Safeguarding Officers: St Aelred's: Frances Elliott - psr.felliott@dioceseofleeds.org.uk St Mary's: Emma Tolan - psr.etolan@dioceseofleeds.org.uk Websites: https://www.st-aelred.org.uk https://stmarysknaresborough.org		

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.

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.

Life In The Spirit Seminars 2026 - St. Aelred's Church. Wednesday evenings from 7.00pm to 8pm. Sessions, topics and speakers. 13th May, 'Growth' with Rev. Olivia Lambert. 20th May, 'Transformation' with Deacon Martin Fenlon. Free event. Register by calling Dolores Omand 01423870789 or register on the night.

SVP Tea Party - The SVP are having an over 60s afternoon tea party in the hall at St Joseph's Bilton, on Tuesday 19th May from 1pm till 3pm. Alongside delicious sandwiches and cakes, there will be bingo and entertainment from St Joseph's Primary School. A great opportunity to meet people and have some fun! Also, it's free! Please sign the list on the notice board or tell one of your Parish SVP members you would like to attend by Friday 8th May.

Calling all current and past families of St Robert's School! SAVE THE DATE for a big bash to celebrate the retirement of Miss Collins, our lovely headteacher. It would be great to see as many old and present families as possible to give her a good send off. Friday 26th June 5:30 - 8:30pm, come rain or shine. More details soon!

The Chapel Of Our Lady of the Crag in Knaresborough - We are a small group of local people who hold the Chapel of Our Lady of the Crag in Trust. We are in need of more trustees, gardeners, volunteers and fundraisers to help us in our mission to keep this unique site open to visitors. The Chapel is now open 2-4pm (provided the weather is clement) until the end of September and by appointment at other times. Please see our website for more details: www.ourladyofthecrag.org/

Celebration of Married Life on Saturday 16th May - There will be a special Celebration Mass for Married Life at Leeds Cathedral at 12 Noon for couples and their families celebrating their 25th (Silver), 40th (Ruby), 50th (Golden), 60th (Diamond) and 70th (Platinum) wedding anniversaries this year. There will be an opportunity for couples, who wish to do so, to renew their marriage vows during the liturgy. If you would like to take part in this celebration, please fill out the application form which is available at the back of church.

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.

Catholic Family Holidays in the Lake District - Castlerigg Manor, Keswick is offering budget-friendly holidays for Catholic families during May, August, and early September. Breakfast/evening meals included. Mass on site. Guests have full use of the site including the grounds, games room and chapel. Visit <https://castleriggmanor.com/stay-with-us/> or contact director@castleriggmanor.co.uk or phone 017687 72711.

Consultation on the future of the Dioceses of Leeds, Hallam & 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. Responses should be submitted no later than Friday, 22nd May 2026. For more information and to complete the questionnaire, please visit: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/leeds-middlesbrough-consultation-2026/>

Dates For Your Diary:

10 th May	11.30am STM Planning meeting for the Bed Race cafe
16 th May	10.30am First Holy Communion Mass STM
17 th May	9.00am. First Holy Communion Mass STA
17 th May	11.30am STM PPC items for the agenda no later than Tuesday 12 th May
9 th June	6.45pm STA PPC items for the agenda no later than 1 st June.

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

St Mary's and St Aelred's Piety shop is open after mass. We stock a range of mass and prayer cards as well as gift.