Sacred Heart & St. Patrick

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Sunday 14th + FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 13 July	5-30PM	VIGIL MASS	Arthur Oldfield [AB]
Sunday 14 July	11-00AM	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY Sea Sunday	Seamus Callan [R]
Monday 15 July	NO PUBLIC MASS	St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	Nov Dead List 2023/24
Tuesday 16 July	09-30am	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Nov Dead List 2023/24
Wednesday 17 July		Weekday of Ordinary Time	
Thursday 18 July	10.00am	End of Year - School Mass	Nov Dead List 2023/24
Friday 19 July	09-30am	Weekday of Ordinary Time	Nov Dead List 2023/24
	11.00am	Funeral Service	Baby Michael Coffey
Saturday 20 July	5-30PM	VIGIL MASS	Monica Melia Thanksgiving
Sunday 21 July	11-00AM	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Gertrude & Ian Barker, Shelia Broadbent [LD]

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 5.00pm – 5.30pm Tea & Coffee after Sunday Mass (From 11.45 - 12.45)

WELCOME to our parish, thank you for your visit and may you travel on in safety.

PARISH GIVING – thank you for all your support it is very much appreciated. **BANKED | 07 July £470.00** - plus standing orders of £1430 per month.

Switching to Standing Order If you have online or phone banking, then you can set this up yourself. Most people setup payments monthly. Please let Fr Larkin know if you do change to this system. Bank details: HSBC / Sort Code: 40-27-15 / Account: 41017454. Thank you.

TODAY SUNDAY: Collection for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea)

MASS ATTENDANCE 2024 - 882 people attended Mass (JUNE 2024) This year so far 5250 people attended. | Just keep coming to Mass.

IT IS WITH SADNESS to inform you of the death of Fr Peter Nealon died at St Gemma's Hospice (Sunday 23 June). Funeral arrangements as follows: St Malachy's Church, Tuesday 16 July 6.30pm Reception & Mass. Wednesday 17 July 12noon Requiem Mass followed by interment in Queensbury Cemetery. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.

GROWING OLD GRACE-FULLY ONLINE SESSIONS: Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Gracefully's next online session is Learning From Each Other: Sharing Experience from Parishes on Thursday 18 July 7-8pm. To attend email growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

CENTENARY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL JULY 2024 On Thursday 18 July at 11.30am, Bishop Marcus will celebrate a Solemn Pontifical Mass at the Cathedral Church of St Anne, the Mother Church of the Diocese of Leeds, to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the Cathedral's Dedication.

THINKING FAITH Exploring our Catholic Beliefs Time out for working Catholics, to enjoy a holiday together, pray and reflect on an aspect of their faith. This year's theme goes back to the basics. Boarbank Hall, Cumbria 27 July – 3 August 2024. For more see: www.boarbankhall.org.uk

To book, email margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk

DIVINE MERCY RETREAT led by the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception (MIC) on Saturday, 27 July 2024 at St Walburga Catholic Church, Kirkgate, Shipley, BD18 3LR, 1 - 4:30 pm. The afternoon includes Enthronement and Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image, including Relics, talk on the message on the Divine Mercy, Eucharistic Adoration, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and concludes with Holy Mass. Everyone is welcome.

YORKSHIRE ONE OR THREE PEAKS CHALLENGE Please join the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal and friends for our annual Yorkshire One or Three Peaks Challenge in support of St Patrick's Mission in Bradford! Saturday, August 10. We are also looking for anyone who might be willing to help out for the day with food and first aid. For more information or to register, please visit https://www.stpatricksmission.co.uk/event/one-and-three-peak-challenge or email rector.stpatricksmission@dioceseofleeds.org.uk.

CARITAS LEEDS DAY OF REFLECTION AND ACTION: Please join us to find out more about the ongoing development of Caritas Leeds, how it links with Catholic Social Teaching and how you can become involved in social action taking positive steps to make an impact on what Pope Francis refers to as "globalisation of indifference". Saturday 21 September 10am - 3.30pm, Hinsley Hall, LS6 2BX. Lunch included. Register at www.tinyurl.com/caritasleeds

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR FUNDRAISING IRISH NIGHT to help the new building fund for Mount St Joseph's. Friday 27 September at 7.30pm at Leeds Irish Centre, Tickets £20.00 with Irish Stew, Irish Dessert a licensed bar. Great Irish band and dancing, great raffle and action. Please come along and support the Little sisters with their Building Appeal. Thankyou! funds.leeds@lsplondon.co.uk

DIOCESAN SAFEGUARDING SUB-COMMITTEE We are looking to recruit new members to the Diocese of Leeds Safeguarding Sub-Committee. The members are drawn from a variety of backgrounds. It is important that candidates can demonstrate experience, interest and understanding of safeguarding. The Sub-Committee's purpose is to support, assist and advise the Diocesan Trust in discharging its duties in safeguarding. For information please contact: Safeguarding Coordinator Tel: 0113 2618046. For an application pack please contact Recruitment at recruitment@dioceseofleeds.org.uk. Closing date 31/08/24.

CATHOLIC CARE VACANCY Support Worker, £23,151 - £24,294 pro rata (based on qualifications and experience) Location: Leeds (full UK Driving Licence required). Post: 30 hours possible, 37 hours with shift patterns to include weekends and bank holidays, sleep-in allowance payable @ £40.76 per sleep. For further details and how to apply please visit http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/ or telephone 0113 3885400.

CATHOLIC CARE VACANCIES Various Paid and Volunteer roles including Registered Children's Home Manager, School Social Worker and Parish Representatives are currently available. For further details of all available opportunities and how to apply please visit http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/ or telephone 0113 3885400 to request an application form.

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FIRST READING A reading from the prophet Amos

Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer;' get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets,' Amos replied to Amaziah 'I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 84(85):9-14

RESPONSE: Let us see, O Lord, your mercy, and give us your saving help.

I will hear what the Lord God has to say, a voice that speaks of peace, peace for his people. His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land. **R.**

Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embraced. Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven. **R.**

The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit. Justice shall march before him and peace shall follow his steps. **R.**

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter to the Ephesians

Ephesians 1:3-14

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence,

determining that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved,

in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins.

Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight.

He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times had run their course to the end:

that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth. And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own,

chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory,

the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came.

Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it; and you too have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life; you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

GOSPEL A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 6:7-13

Jesus made a tour round the villages, teaching. Then he summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Of your charity, please pray for Fr Peter Nealon, all who have recently died. May they rest in peace. Amen.

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MASS FROM LEEDS CATHEDRAL

To participate online, please access the following YouTube channel: www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk

NATIONAL SHRINE AT WALSINGHAM has a live streaming service for Mass and other services: www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream