

The Good Shepherd

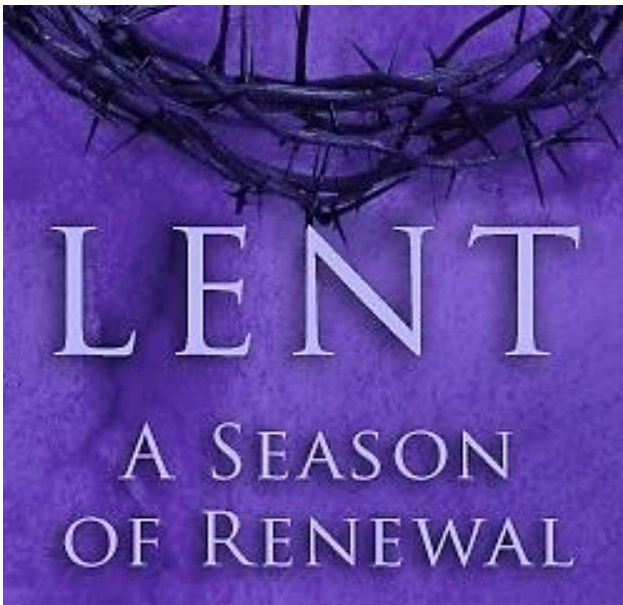
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Sunday 21 MARCH 2021
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MASSES DURING THE WEEK Readings and Mass texts visit www.universalis.com

Sunday 21 March	9.30 am MASS	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT LAETARE SUNDAY	Missa pro populo Private Intention	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Mon 22 March	Fr John	Weekday of Lent	Private Intention	Mass at home 10.30am
Tues 23 March	Fr John	Weekday of Lent First anniversary of UK Lockdown	Private Intention	Mass at home 10.30am
Wed 24 March	12.00 NOON MASS	Weekday of Lent	November Dead List 2021	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Thur 25 March	Fr John	THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD	Private Intention	Mass at home 10.30am
Fri 26 March	Fr John	ST JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	Private Intention	Mass at home 10.30am
Sat 27 March	10.00 am MASS	Weekday of Lent	November Dead List 2021	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 28 March	9.30 am MASS	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD	Missa pro populo Private Intention	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

PARISH NEWSLETTER

Please submit notices (by Wednesday 8pm) - to Fr Larkin by email at pp.thegoodshepherd@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF UK LOCKDOWN It is exactly one year since we began the lockdowns which have made an indelible impression on all our lives. I recall on the Fourth Sunday of Lent last year offering Holy Mass for the first time behind locked doors. Since then we have celebrated the Holy Mass and Sacraments in the most appropriate and dignified manner possible, given the circumstances. I thank you all for your continued understanding and I am most grateful to all those who have volunteered to help with the stewarding.

LENT AND EASTER This time last year we saw our churches closing as the country went into a complete lockdown at the start of the pandemic. This year we will again be in lockdown but at least our church has been open for many months, even if at limited capacity, for this, we must be grateful to all those who have volunteered to help with the stewarding. So as Easter approaches we are doing things a little differently this year.

We will celebrate **GOOD FRIDAY 9.30am** (**BOOK ONLINE**)

with the reading of the Passion and Holy Communion.

We celebrate **HOLY MASS ON EASTER SUNDAY 9.30AM.** (**BOOK ONLINE**)

(Both occasions are book online only PLEASE VISIT THE PARISH WEBSITE)

Palm Sunday – 09.30am (**BOOK ONLINE**)

The shorter form of the Passion from the Gospel of St Mark should be read in a dignified yet expeditious manner. The blessed palm branches should be distributed to the faithful as they leave the church after Mass. Those distributing the palm branches should wear single-use gloves when doing so.

The Chrism Mass

To participate, go to the following YouTube channel: www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk

Mass of the Lord's Supper

In the Decree of March 2020, the exceptional faculty to celebrate this Mass without the faithful was granted to all priests on this day, and it is still permitted.

Good Friday – 09.30am (**BOOK ONLINE**)

The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord should take place in the church with a congregation wherever possible. The proclamation of the Passion according to St John should be read in a dignified yet expeditious manner. For The Adoration of the Holy Cross, this may be expressed by the faithful through, a gesture such as a bow. Holy Communion should be given from the Reserved Sacrament according the previous *Guidance* offered.

The Easter Vigil

To participate, go to the following YouTube channel: www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk.

Mass of Easter Day – 09.30am (**BOOK ONLINE**)

All priests should endeavour to celebrate Mass for their people on Easter Sunday. The Mass should be as prescribed in the *Roman Missal* but without the sprinkling of water as part of the Renewal of Baptismal Promises.

EASTER FLOWERS There will be a donation box in the church entrance on days when Mass is taking place. Please place your donation into the box marked “**Flowers**” If you would like to contribute for one week’s flowers for church, contact **Doris Moorhead** 01422 842931

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING I have been contacted about Diocesan safeguarding training for 2021. The framework for the safeguarding training is determined nationally and usually has to be undertaken face to face for a prescribed amount of time. However logistically this is problematic given Covid19 and all the associated challenges. As a first step all clergy who are undertaking ministry or likely to undertake ministry in the next 12 months must complete the mandatory safeguarding training online.

The Educare module is ‘Safeguarding Adults’ and should be completed by 30 April 2021. Educare suggest this module takes approximately 2 hours to complete and relates to:

- Identifying ‘adults at risk’ and the key principles of the Care Act 2014
- Recognising Adult Abuse
- Reporting Adult Abuse
- Good Practice guidelines

This is very relevant to ministry and increasing our confidence to offer support and/or intervene when needed. All training successfully completed, Safeguarding Adults - Level 2, date: 16 March 2021, CPD Credits: 4

CAFOD Support Jo Woodhead who is walking for CAFOD 10,000 steps, every day, for 40 days. You can sponsor Jo at <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/cafod-walk-for-water632>

JUSTICE AND PEACE COMMISSION ONLINE STATIONS OF THE CROSS Tuesday 30 March, 7.30 – 8.30pm. Walking alongside those who are being crucified today and reflecting on the damage that we continue to do to our Common Home - the Earth. To attend: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/a-justice-themed-stations-of-the-cross-registration-145112556563?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch>

TUESDAY PRAYER VIA ZOOM AT 12.00 NOON

Patricia and Paul Newman 23 March / Bernadette and John Gibson 30 March / Deborah Rolland and Roger Masters 6 April / John and Cathy Duffy 13 April / Jean and David Marsh 20 April / Maureen and Frank Flynn 27th April

REMEMBERING WITH HOPE - online service Tuesday 23 March at 7-00pm.

On the anniversary of the first lockdown, join with us to commemorate loved ones that have died during this past year and remember them with Hope; so a team of us at Elizabeth Prout Bereavement Care (The Briery) and Growing Old Grace-fully have joined together to hold this online service. Click on the link Below for more details and to book your place.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/remembering-with-hope-an-online-service-to-remember-loved-ones-tickets-143289555919>

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LENTEN LESSONS ON THE MASS Relevant Radio® has been helping people bridge the gap between faith and everyday life through informative, entertaining, and interactive programming twenty-four hours per day, seven days per week. Please visit The Relevant Radio network <https://relevantradio.com/2021/02/missing-mass-more-than-ever/>

SENIOR JOB VACANCIES AT CATHOLIC CARE We are recruiting for two new exciting senior opportunities: Head of Charity Support and Business Services; a strategic leadership role and a Senior Manager for Children's Services working to make a real difference to the lives of children & young people. For further information please visit www.catholic-care.org.uk. Closing dates: 7 April & 26 March respectively.

ENCOUNTERING THE RISEN JESUS A series of 5 reflections taking place on Zoom on Mondays 7-8pm, beginning 12 April. Led by Fr Jarmuz these will explore the varied responses to the resurrection of: the women who followed Jesus (12 April), Peter (19 April), the disciples (26 April), Emmaus (10 May) and the beloved disciple (17 May). For further details and Zoom invitation, please email gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk.

PARISH GIVING If you wish to set up a standing order account details are:
Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd - Sort Code 40-27-15 and the Account No. 21023209
I want to take this opportunity in thanking you for all your support.

LIVE-STREAMING OF MASSES AND SERVICES ONLINE

DAILY MASS FROM LEEDS CATHEDRAL

YouTube channel: www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk

SALFORD CATHEDRAL – MASS AT 11.00am Sunday go to:

<http://www.salfordcathedral.co.uk/>

CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING, LIVERPOOL

Watch from 11am Sunday on Facebook page and YouTube channel.

MONASTIC LITURGIES 10.00am Sunday Mass can be found at the Benedictine, Glenstal Abbey, Limerick, www.glenstal.com/abbey/liturgy-prayer/church-web-cam

ST MARY'S CHURCH, HALIFAX

Go to stmaryshalifax.com 09.30am daily and Sunday @ 11.00am

NATIONAL SHRINE AT WALSINGHAM

www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/

Ss PETER AND PAUL CHURCH, PORTLAOISE, IRELAND

Daily Mass @ 10.00am <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jy89Co1szkA>

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