

The Good Shepherd

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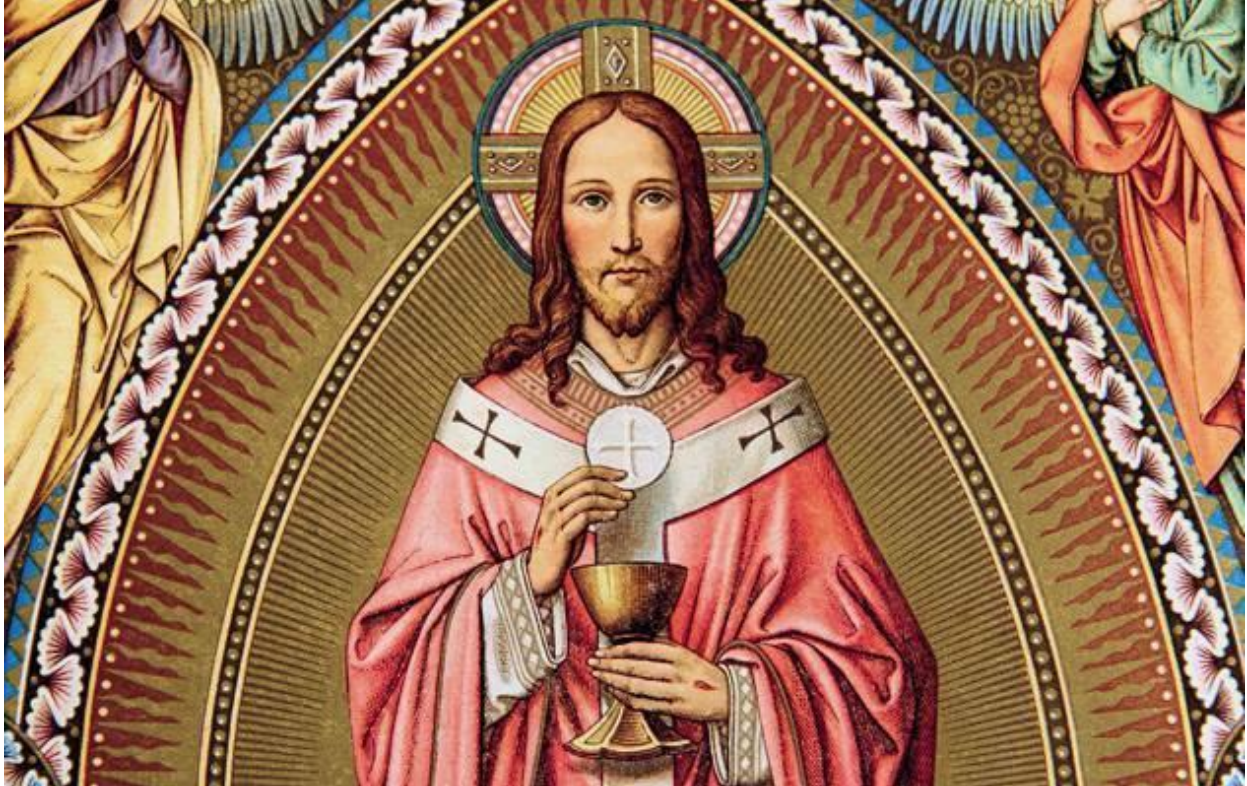
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CORPUS CHRISTI

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

Sunday 06 June	9.30 AM	CORPUS CHRISTI	Missa pro populo	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Mon 07 June		Weekday in Ordinary Time	PRIVATE MASS	Sowerby Bridge
Tues 08 June		St William of York		
Wed 09 June	12.00 NOON	Weekday in Ordinary Time	Emily Power [A]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Thur 10 June		Weekday in Ordinary Time		
Fri 11 June		THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS	PRIVATE MASS	Sowerby Bridge
Sat 12 June	10.00AM	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary	November Dead List 2021	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 13 June	9.30 AM	ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Missa pro populo	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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

LAST WEEK we celebrated The feast of the Most Blessed Trinity simply celebrating our belief in God. Jesus, the second person of the Trinity came upon earth to show us the way to Heaven and also to reveal to us a glimpse of the inner life of God.

This Sunday is the celebration of the Body and Blood of Christ—Corpus Christi—which is a feast most beloved by Catholics. It was proposed by Saint Thomas Aquinas, to Pope Urban IV, in order to create a feast focused solely on the Holy Eucharist, emphasising the joy of the Eucharist. We remind ourselves that everything is directed to faith and love of the One True God—Soli Deo—Who calls us to follow Him on earth and one day to live with Him in Heaven.

PRAYER INTENTION OF POPE FRANCIS FOR JUNE 2021 The Beauty of Marriage: Let us pray for people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

THE MONTH OF JUNE is dedicated to the Sacred Heart. The Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday following the second Sunday after Pentecost – 11 June 2021.

Prayer to The Sacred Heart

St John Henry Newman

My God, my Saviour, I adore Thy Sacred Heart, for that heart is the seat and source of all Thy tenderest human affections for us sinners. It is the instrument and organ of Thy love. It did beat for us. It yearned over us. It ached for us, and for our salvation. It was on fire through zeal, that the glory of God might be manifested in and by us. It is the channel through which has come to us all Thy overflowing human affection, all Thy Divine Charity towards us.

All Thy incomprehensible compassion for us, as God and Man, as our Creator and our Redeemer and Judge, has come to us, and comes, in one inseparably mingled stream, through that Sacred Heart. O most Sacred symbol and Sacrament of Love, divine and human, in its fullness, Thou didst save me by Thy divine strength, and Thy human affection, and then at length by that wonder-working blood, wherewith Thou didst overflow.

RE-STOCKING ST VINCENT'S SHOPS AND DEPOT

The SVP have received an urgent appeal from Annette Haigh the manager of the all the shops in Leeds CC for furniture – large and small for both Leeds and Bradford Stores plus other items to sell as well. items such as– beds, wardrobes, drawers, living room furniture, sofas, and small items – bedside cabinets, coffee tables etc. which can be taken directly into the shops.

For goods to be collected contact 0113 245 0800 for Leeds or 01274 726 790 for Bradford
Email : wynfo@svp.org.uk

There is also a need for volunteers in the shops for even a short time, volunteer drivers and driver's mates, people to man the phones and sort goods in St Vincent's Bradford contact 01274 726 790 if interested.

THE WEDNESDAY WORD Lectio Divina - prayerfully preparing for Sunday with reflections on the readings. Available online: www.wednesdayword.org

ST PAUL'S BOOKSHOP The shop at Hinsley Hall, Leeds will re-open, initially on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10am – 4pm. Address - 62 Headingley Ln., Headingley, Leeds LS6 2BX
Phone - 0113 261 8000

THE BRIERY ZOOM MEDITATION, Thursday from 7.30pm to 8.15pm. We open at 7.15pm for a chat and start promptly at 7.30pm. It is a simple format of praying with the Sunday Mass Readings and sharing in small groups.

To Join Briery Thursday Meditation click on the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83436583706?pwd=M1RUNFNvcVJkMXUwSUNWSVdITnhJZz09>

Or log into the app using the following:

Meeting ID: 834 3658 3706 / Passcode: 977049

"I Am the Vine, You Are the Branches" (John 15) Fr John Farrell, OP, leads a silent residential retreat at the Briery from 2-8 June 2021. The offering is £480 for the week with full board and en-suite accommodation. For further details and a booking form please email: briery@btconnect.com or telephone: 01943 607287.

The God who speaks through families in the bible 19 June 2021 led by Breda Theakston & Jean Marsh. The offering is £35 for this day's retreat and includes morning coffee, lunch and afternoon tea with cake. For further details and a booking form please email: briery@btconnect.com or telephone: 01943 607287.

Following Jesus – discipleship in the new testament 12 -17 July – Fr Donald Senior, CP, presents a live streamed retreat. Participants can be residential at the Briery from 12-17 July with full board and en-suite accommodation (offering £400) or receive the link at home (offering £200). For further details and a booking form please email: briery@btconnect.com or telephone: 01943 607287.

TUESDAY PRAYER VIA ZOOM AT 12.00 NOON

June 8 Maureen & Frank Flynn / June 15 Jean & David Marsh / June 22 Nick Burchnall / June 29 Janet Almond / July 6 Patricia & Paul Newman / July 13 Anne & Mike Plunkett / July 20 Bernadette & John Gibson

RIGHT TO LIFE NEWS was launched so that we can reach a far wider audience of people with the latest pro-life news that will keep people informed and help change even more hearts and minds on life issues. Pro-life news website is already the most viewed pro-life website in Europe and the fourth most viewed pro-life website in the world - and this digital news platform has been built to enable us to reach even more people. One of our recent campaigns, such as Equally Human <https://righttolife.org.uk/equallyhuman>, which aims to protect babies with Down's syndrome, cleft lip, and club foot.

As part of our efforts to spread pro-life news, follow the link:

<https://righttolife.org.uk/news>

COUNSELLING SERVICE Catholic Care are offering a free and confidential counselling service to members of our Catholic community. If you feel that you, a family member or friend might benefit contact us on 0113 388 5400, 0773 997 5008 or email counselling@catholic-care.org.uk

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION AND CELEBRATIONS

First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation

CONFIRMATION - THURSDAY 15 JULY AT 7:30PM

I am delighted to inform you that, Bishop Marcus has granted me the faculty to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. Here is the text of the letter –

To our beloved brother in Christ, **The Reverend Father Malachy Larkin** Parish Priest of the Parishes of the Sacred Heart and Saint Patrick, Sowerby Bridge and the Good Shepherd, Mytholmroyd. I hereby grant, in accordance with Canon 884 81 of the Code of Canon Law, the faculty to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to those candidates who have been suitably and properly instructed (Canon 889 82 and 890) on: Thursday 15th July 2021 Given at Leeds on the 4th May, in the Year of Our Lord 2021, Bishop Marcus.

Subject to the planned easing of restrictions being confirmed, we will celebrate Confirmation for our Y6 pupils. Can you please ensure that the person your son/daughter has asked to be their sponsor is advised of the date/time, however, at the moment, we are unable to advise on the numbers of people (friends and family) who will be permitted to join us on the evening.

FIRST CONFESSION – SATURDAY 17 JULY AT 12 NOON Y3 Catholic Pupils - The Sacred Heart school will prepare your child as follows. Confession Workshops for CHILDREN ONLY will be held in school - sessions will last 1 hr and the dates / Time (prompt 3:45pm start): · Tuesday 15 June 2021 / 22 June / 29 June / 5 July / 13 July. Confessions for all children – 12 noon Saturday 17 July in Sacred Heart and St. Patrick Church.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - SUNDAY 18 JULY 9:30AM

Y4 and Y5 Catholic Pupils – 1st Holy Communion Preparation 2021

We will celebrate First Holy Communion - Sunday 18 July 9:30am at Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd. If your child is a baptised Catholic, has made their First Confession, they can continue their sacramental journey by making First Communion - This year due to the pandemic, the Sacrament will be celebrated by the children in both Y4 and Y5.

Communion Workshops for CHILDREN from both parishes will be held at Sacred Heart School Sowerby Bridge. The session will last 1 hr.

· Monday 14 June 2021 (prompt 3:45pm start) / · Monday 21 June 2021

· Monday 28 June 2021 / Monday 5 July 2021

· First Communion Celebration – Sunday 18 July 9:30am Good Shepherd. Be aware that there is an expectation that your child also attends Sunday Mass each week during their preparation. Currently you can book attendance at Mass via the Parish website.

CHASING THE WIND – PHILOSOPHY, THE BIBLE, AND THE PROBLEM OF EVIL A series of 5 talks by Dr Gregory Stacey, exploring accessible responses to the claim that the existence of evil makes belief in God irrational, will take place via Zoom on Monday nights from 7-8pm, beginning on 14 June. For information and Zoom invitations, please email gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk. Poster attached.

FLOWERS 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
Rota: June 6 Dorothy Burns, June 13 Janet Almond, June 20 Maureen & Frank Flynn
June 27 Liz Bavidge, July 4 Jean & David Marsh July 11 Katie Binns, July 18 Kay Pierce, July 25 Rita Alston

FORTHCOMING ORDINATIONS TO THE DIACONATE AND PRIESTHOOD

Please pray for:

- Mr Yemane Aradom, a seminarian in formation for service as a priest in our Diocese, as he prepares for his Ordination to the Diaconate on Sunday 6 June at St Mary's College, Oscott.
- Mr James Aitchison, a Candidate for the Permanent Diaconate from the Parish of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Huddersfield, who will be Ordained to the Diaconate on Saturday 3 July 2021, 11:00am at Leeds Cathedral. More details about the possibility of attending the Ordination will be available in due course.
- Rev Christopher Butler as he prepares for his Ordination to the Priesthood on Saturday 17 July 2021, 11:00am at Leeds Cathedral. I hope that it will be possible to extend an invitation to all clergy, seminarians and religious to attend the Ordination. Please put the date in your diary and, if it proves possible, make every effort to come along and support Christopher with your presence and your prayers.

FR JOHN

It's Fr John's birthday on Wednesday 9 June and the anniversary of his ordination on Saturday 12 June. CONTACT DETAILS FOR FR JOHN 64, Erringden Road, Mytholmroyd, HX7 5AR
Landline: 01422 881190 / Mobile: 07856974301

ARCHBISHOP ROCHE has been appointed the Prefect of the Congregation for Divine Worship by the Holy Father, Pope Francis. We extend our best wishes and prayers as he takes on this important role in his ministry of service to the Universal Church

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.

VACANCIES AT ST MARY'S, Broadgate Ln, Horsforth, Leeds LS18 5AB: 0113 258 4593

- Teaching Assistant: Fixed term until July 2022 Term time only. 16 hours and 25 minutes classroom based (worked over 2 ½ days) with 30 minutes unpaid break per day
- Teaching Assistant: From September 2021 fixed term until July 2022 Term time only. Monday to Friday with 30 minutes unpaid break per day. 27.5 hours Teaching Assistant classroom based + 2.5 hours play/lunch time support.

For further information visit www.stmaryshorsforth.org Email your completed application to office@stmaryshorsforth.org addressed to Mrs Hurley, Acting Headteacher.

LIVE-STREAMING OF MASSES 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 9.30am daily and Sunday @ 11.00am

FR DENIS MCBRIDE C.SS.R. Each Sunday service will be accessed through the website below

www.rpbooks.co.uk/holy-mass-online

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>