

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 2nd + PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD Parish Mass Book Vol 1 p176f

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

Sunday 02 Apr	9.30 am	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD	Mary Maslaveckas [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Monday 03 Apr		MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK	-	
Tuesday 04 Apr		TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK	-	
Wednesday 05 Apr	NO MASS		Chrism Mass 11:00am Leeds Cathedral	
Thursday 06 Apr	7.30 pm	MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER	Joyce Carr [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Friday 07 Apr	9.30am	GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE	The Passion of the Lord	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Saturday 08 Apr	NO MASS	Holy Saturday the Church waits at the Lord's tomb		
Sunday 09 Apr	9.30 am	EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD	Maria Manfredi [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

NEXT WEEK # NO MASS WEDNESDAY 12 APRIL

MASS RESUMES # ON SATURDAY 15 -APR within the Octave

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

THE FLOWER FUNDING ROTA will be resumed after Easter, there will be a collection for Easter Flowers on **Sunday, 02 April**. Thank you for your support.

EASTER COLLECTION The collections taken at Mass on Easter Sunday are your Easter gift to your Parish Priest. Thank you.

HORSEHOLD CROSS would any enthusiastic volunteers willing to help either catch Steve Woodhead after Mass or ring/WhatsApp him on 07921 365657, it would be good to have a team prepared in advance. The Cross will be going today Sunday, 02 April at 3pm.

FOOTSTEPS This Sunday, 02 April after Mass until 12pm.

LUNCHEON CLUB will reopen on April 19 after its 2-week Easter break.

HOLY WEEK APRIL 2023

HALIFAX DEANERY CONFESSIONS – will take place at St Mary's on **Saturday 01 April**.

09.00 - 10.00 Fr P Nealon

10.00 - 11.00 Mgr. M McQuinn

11.00 - 12.00 Fr Hall

12.00 - 13.00 Fr Larkin

13.00 - 14.00 Fr B Owens

14.00 - 15.00 Mgr. P Owens

15.00 - 17.00 Fr Hilton

THE CHRISM MASS - LEEDS CATHEDRAL I wish to invite you to join me and the priests and deacons in the Diocese to the Chrism Mass which takes place at 11:00am on the **Wednesday of Holy Week (05 April)** at the Cathedral Church of St Anne, Leeds LS2 8BE. All are asked to be seated by no later than 10:40am.

THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM The Easter Triduum begins with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday, and includes Good Friday of the Lord's Passion, the Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection.

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER - THURSDAY 06 APRIL 7-30PM

Mass of the Lord's Supper with proper formularies, *Gloria*, with proper Preface – Watching before the Altar until 9-00pm

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE 07 APRIL - FRIDAY 9-30AM Day of penance for the whole Church, to be marked by fasting and abstinence from the eating of meat.

Collection for the Holy Places

EASTER 2023 I invite you to join me at the **Sacred Heart & St. Patrick's, Bolton Brow, Sowerby Bridge for Mass of Easter Vigil in the Holy Night at 7-30pm.**

EASTER SUNDAY 09 APRIL SUNDAY

Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd – 09-30AM / Sacred Heart & St. Patrick - 11-00AM

COVID is still present within the parish community with Norovirus also being of concern. We have several vulnerable parishioners, and we would therefore like to remind everyone about the importance of hand hygiene. If you have any Covid symptoms we recommend that you take a test and/or refrain from attending church until the symptoms have resolved to protect others. As for the sign of peace, it is at individuals' discretion to make contact with another as they wish. There is alcohol gel available in church, but this does not replace good hand hygiene.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Holy Communion in our parish on Corpus Christi at 9-30am

Contact; Jowoodhead1@gmail.com or mobile 07725 854932

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED we have readers and prayer leaders at Sunday's Mass; this is great, sadly, though the number of people involved in these ministries has diminished during over time, if you would like to be either a reader, prayer leader, help with refreshments after Mass, or welcomer please contact Jo on Jowoodhead1@gmail.com.

CLEANING VOLUNTEERS Would you be able to spend an hour or so every six weeks cleaning the body of the church? The main tasks are dusting and hoovering the carpets and flooring. If you'd be willing to join our cleaning rota, please contact Lou Melling on louise.melling@gmail.com for more information.

SOCIAL EVENTS Discussion took place at the consultants meeting regarding the restart of parish social events in the centre. Your input as to what sort of events you would like and maybe volunteer at would be greatly received. If you can speak to one of the consultants or email myself joolzlives@hotmail.com (Julie) it would be appreciated so we can take your ideas forward.

HALIFAX DEANERY MISSION 2023 15-18 May, St Mary's Church, HX1 5DH (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 7pm), & Square Chapel, HX1 1QG (Tuesday, 7.30pm) You are invited to go deeper in your faith journey at Mission Halifax. Experience reconciliation, praise and worship with creative collective One Hope Project, a healing service, and Mass of the Ascension with Bishop Marcus. For more information on each evening, follow Mission Halifax on Instagram or Facebook - @missionhalifax If this sounds like something that you would like to take part in feel free to contact Fr Michael Hall on 07525 419806 or michael.hall@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

THE MARK 10 MISSION TEAM Holy Week We will commemorate **The Last Supper** and **The Passion**. We are very excited about the prospect of leading children through this most sacred of weeks. Each liturgy presents a simplified Gospel reading, a reflection, a prayer and a worship song. Click <https://www.themark10mission.co.uk/little-liturgies> Click on <https://www.themark10mission.co.uk/new-202122-episodes> Please visit **THE MARK 10 MISSION** YouTube channel – like, share and subscribe.

LAUDATO SI Having watched *The Letter*, the film in which Pope Francis engages with people from across the world – including climate activists, a climate refugee, and the president of the Laudato Si Movement – we have started a Laudato Si group in the parish. We are going to visit the Salford diocese Laudato Si Centre on Saturday 20 May. The centre is a project enacting and encouraging effective action in the face of the environmental crisis. If you are interested in joining the group, or making the visit, let John Duffy know on 07770 196725. Information about the work of the Centre, visit <https://laudatosicentre.org.uk> *The Letter* to watch on YouTube visit <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rps9bs85BII>

DIOCESE OF LEEDS Justice and Peace Commission –

On the **30 April 2023** @ 10:15 am – 4:00 pm Day of reflection - Encounter, Conversion, Hope, led by Linda Jones, Head of Theology Programme at CAFOD. This day will include prayer (Mass is included), the opportunity to reflect on why we must care for our Common Home, and time for personal reflection. This free to attend (voluntary collection on the day) event is open to all - but booking is essential. Lift-sharing will be offered to minimise the use of cars (public transport is not available). Everyone attending is asked to bring some food to share at lunchtime. Tea, coffee, and water will be made available. The venue has good disability access. To register now, visit

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/encounter-conversion-hope-tickets-533796348247>

PARISH YOUR WEEKLY OFFERING TO THE PARISH

The Parish bank details are HSBC Bank PLC

Account name: Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd

Sort Code 40-27-15 / Account No. 21023209

Thank for your generous donations to the parish.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS Please let us know if you have moved house; this is especially important for those who have signed a Gift Aid Declaration. With thanks.