

# The Good Shepherd

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## Sunday 23rd + THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

### Parish Mass Book Vol 1 p258f

**MASSES DURING THE WEEK** Readings and Mass texts visit [www.universalis.com](http://www.universalis.com)

<b>Sunday 23 Apr</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	<b>Mary McGregor [LD]</b>	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH</b>
Monday 24 Apr		SAINT GEORGE, MARTYR AND PATRON OF ENGLAND		
Tuesday 25 Apr		ST MARK, EVANGELIST		
<b>Wednesday 26 Apr</b>	<b>12noon</b>	<b>Weekday of Easter</b>	<b>Yorkshire Brethren MAY</b>	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH</b>
Thursday 27 Apr		Weekday of Easter		
Friday 28 Apr		Weekday of Easter		
<b>Saturday 29 Apr</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>ST CATHERINE OF SIENA</b>	<b>Nov Dead List 2022/23</b>	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH</b>
<b>Sunday 30 Apr</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	<b>Hilde Hammer</b>	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH</b>

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

**LILLIAN CARTER RIP** It is with great sadness to inform you of the death of Lillian Carter who died recently. Requiem Mass to be held on **Wednesday 17 May at 12.00noon** at The Good Shepherd, followed at 1.30pm Committal at Park Wood Crematorium, Elland.

Pray for the repose of Lillian's soul, for her family and friends. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen.

**SOWERBY BRIDGE - LADIES GROUP** are hosting an evening beginning with the Rosary at the Sacred Heart & St. Patrick followed by a social and supper on **Wednesday 24 May 2023 at 7pm**. This used to be held yearly before the Pandemic and we would like to re-start it again. We would begin with the Holy Rosary in church (maybe outside by the Grotto, weather permitting) followed by a social and supper in the hall.

**BISHOP PHILIP MOGER** At 7pm on **Friday, 28 April 2023** Bishop Philip will celebrate Holy Mass in St Mary's, Gibbet St, Halifax HX1 5DH. All welcome to attend.

**CELEBRATION OF MARRIED LIFE 2023** Celebration of Married Life: On **Saturday 12 May**, there will be a special Celebration Mass for Married Life at Leeds Cathedral at 12noon for couples and their families celebrating their 25th (Silver), 40th (Ruby), 50th (Golden), 60th (Diamond) and 70th (Platinum) wedding anniversaries this year. If you would like to take part in this celebration, please fill out the application form which is available at the back of church and send it to Miss Anne Cooke, Bishop's House, 13 North Grange Road, Leeds, LS6 2BR or email it to [bishop@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:bishop@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) by **Friday 28 April 2023**.

**DIOCESE OF LEEDS PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2023** 6 nights from £745. **7-13 July 2023** by air from Leeds/Bradford Airport. To book please contact Tangney Tours, Tel 01732 886666, [www.tangney-tours.com](http://www.tangney-tours.com) & follow links for Lourdes, Leeds. (Pilgrim's Mass, Saturday 20 May 12pm at Holy Name Church, Otley Old Road, LS16 6HW. Light buffet and social in the hall afterwards, also medical checks.)

**DIOCESE OF LEEDS PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2023 UPDATE** The Hotels Padoue and Eliseo are now fully booked. We have secured further rooms in The Hotel Roissy, another 4-star hotel next to the Padoue. We are unable to offer nursing assistance in the remaining hotels, although wheelchair-only assistance is available in all hotels. The flight from Leeds is now fully booked. If you still would like to join the pilgrimage, there is the option of flying from Manchester to Carcassonne. Wheelchair assistance is available on the Manchester flight, but all pilgrims requiring it will need to be assisted by an able-bodied pilgrim. Please contact Tangney Tours to book, or if you have any questions, on 01732 886666.

### **FLOWER FUNDING ROTA**

23 April Vacant, 30 April Dorothy Burns, 7 May Patricia & Paul Newman, 14 May Janet Almond, 21 May Maureen & Frank Flynn, 28 May Jean & David Marsh.

### **SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION**

**First Holy Communion** in our parish on Corpus Christi at 9-30am  
Contact; [Jowoodhead1@gmail.com](mailto:Jowoodhead1@gmail.com) or mobile 07725 854932

**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](mailto:michael.hall@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**LAUDATO SI** The date for the visit to the Laudato Si Centre has been changed, and will now be on **Saturday 24 June, at 11am**. Anyone interested in going please let John Duffy know - [duffyhudds@mac.com](mailto:duffyhudds@mac.com), or 07770196725, or speak to John or Sean after Mass.

For information about the work of the Centre, visit [laudatosicentre.org.uk](http://laudatosicentre.org.uk)

**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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:joolzlives@hotmail.com) (Julie) it would be appreciated so we can take your ideas forward.

### **CATHOLIC CARE VACANCIES**

- Support Worker + Outreach; Salary: Spinal Point SP3 £21,029 to SP7 £22,369 (dependent on qualifications and experience). Full Time, Part time & Care Bank positions available. (*Would consider, flexible and weekend working contracts*). Shifts patterns to include weekends and bank holidays. Sleep in allowance payable. Location: Bingley or Allerton Park Leeds. Open until the vacancy has been filled Interview Date: To be arranged with applicant.
- Waking Nights Support Worker; Salary: Spinal Point SP3 £21,029 to SP7 £22,369 (dependent on qualifications and experience) Post: To ensure the safety, wellbeing and comfort of tenants between the hours of 10 p.m. and 7a.m. 18 hours per week. Shifts patterns to include weekends and bank holidays. Location: Leeds; Open until the vacancy has been filled. Interview Date: To be arranged with applicant.

To apply for these positions please download the application form, complete and submit online: <http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit.../latest-vacancies/> or telephone 0113 3885400 to request an application pack.

### **SCHOOL VACANCIES**

- Class Teacher, Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School, Ilkley, Start: September 2023. Closing date: Friday 28 April. Further info: <https://www.bishopwheelercatholicacademytrust.org/trust-vacancies>. To discuss or arrange a visit, contact Heather Cheetham, on 01943 609578. Further details attached.
- Teacher of History, St. Mary's, Menston. Start: September 2023. Closing date: Tuesday 9 May. Further info: <https://www.bishopwheelercatholicacademytrust.org/trust-vacancies>. Further details attached.

## **LTU “LEADERSHIP, FAITH & SPIRITUALITY IN THE CATHOLIC CURRICULUM” CONFERENCE**

Leeds Trinity University, 13 – 14 May. More details: [a.mealey@leedstrinity.ac.uk](mailto:a.mealey@leedstrinity.ac.uk). Poster attached.

**LET'S JOURNEY TOGETHER MAY 11-17** A week of online accompanied prayer for all who have been affected by clerical abuse. Join us in this safe space for FREE one-to-one confidential sessions of Accompanied Prayer with your fully trained personal prayer guide. All are welcome, whether a survivor, family member or any individual shocked and horrified by the sexual abuse crisis. Find out more and book your place [journeytogetherij@gmail.com](mailto:journeytogetherij@gmail.com)

**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.