The Good Shepherd

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32ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

+ Remembrance Sunday – Day of Prayer for all victims of war +

Sunday 08 Nov	**9.30 am**	**REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**	**For Liv Redmond & David Marsh in thanksgiving**
Monday 09 Nov		The Dedication of The Lateran Basilica	
Tuesday 10 Nov		St Leo the Great	
Wednesday 11 Nov	**12noon**	**St Martin of Tours, Bishop**	**Constance Violet Withey [A]**
Thursday 12 Nov		St Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr	
FRIDAY 13 Nov		Weekday in Ordinary Time	
Saturday 14 Nov	**10.00am**	**Saturday Mass of Our Lady**	**For Natalie & India**
Sunday 15 Nov	**9.30am**	**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY Remembrance Sunday**	**Josie Plummer for recovery**

Sunday Mass Times - Sacred Heart & St. Patrick Sowerby Bridge | Saturday 5.30pm | Sunday 11am
St Mary's Halifax | Sunday 9-30am & 11am & St Alban's - 6pm

PARISH NEWSLETTER Submit notices by Wednesday 8pm - by email at pp.thegoodshepherd@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

PARISH OFFERING If you wish to set up a standing order:
Good Shepherd - Sort Code 40-27-15 - Account No. 21023209
01/11/2026 Week 31 Total £113.59| WK30 CO £1.19 |
BANKED: 02.11.2026 - £110.00 | WK31 CO £4.78 Thanking you.

FOOTSTEPS this Sunday after Mass, see you there.

FLOWER FUND ROTA 2026 8 November – Breda and Chris Allen | 15 November – Linda Oswin | 22 November – Irene Ogden.

WITH GRATITUDE TO LIV AND DAVID After twelve years as cooks at the Good Shepherd Luncheon Club, Liv Redmond and David Marsh are retiring. We thank them warmly for their faithful service and the care they brought to our Wednesday lunches. Through shared meals, conversation and friendship, they helped make the Good Shepherd a welcoming place for parishioners and the wider Mytholmroyd community.

Founded over thirty years ago by parishioners including Doris Moorhead, the club continues under Anne's organisation, which she undertook in 2021. We thank Anne, all our volunteers and three new local helpers. More volunteers are warmly welcomed. A Mass has been requested for Liv and David in thanksgiving. May God bless them with health, happiness and the knowledge that their kindness made a lasting difference.

THE ORION CHOIR is making a very welcome return visit to St Bernard's Church HX3 6DL On **Saturday 14 November at 7.30pm**. Join us for an evening of beautiful choral music Echoes That Remain Including Howells-Requiem, Tavener-Song for Athene and Parry-Lord let me know mine end. Entrance is by donation for choir and church funds. Refreshments provided in the Hall after the Concert.

LEEDS CATHEDRAL GUIDED TOURS AUTUMN PROGRAMME A Free Guided Tour will take place on the following Saturdays during the autumn: 21 November and 12 December tours start at 1.30pm. The tour lasts 1 hr. No booking is required. On arrival, gather by the Baptismal Font at the back of the Cathedral.

FRATRES Men's Prayer Group with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal: consisting of Eucharistic Adoration and Lectio Divina. We will meet monthly at 7:30 pm on Thursday evenings - usually, but not always the first Thursday of the month at St Pio Friary in Bradford (1A Sedgfield Terrace, BD1 2RU). The dates for 2026-2027 are December 3, January 7, February 4, March 4, April 8, May 6, and June 3.

FRANCISCAN FRIARS OF THE RENEWAL - DISCIPLESHIP DAYS 2026-2027: Please join the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal (CFR's) for our Discipleship Days at St Patrick's Mission Church, Bradford. The theme is "May the Lord Give You Peace". December 5, January 9, February 6, March 6, April 3, May 1. The day includes Rosary, Holy Mass, a talk, Confessions, and a Holy Hour with adoration, 11.45am - 4:30 pm. Lunch will be provided.

GOOD SHEPHERD EVOLUTIONARY BOOKSHELF Cheryl was our first borrower. The book is 'The Boy, the Mole, the Fox and the Horse' and the author, Charlie Mackesy. This was recommended by Clara Mc. Who says she bought it to read to her children and then found herself reading it again herself and using its marvellous quotes to inspire her co-workers. Since it is the first and only one borrowed so far…can we call this the October 'Book of the Month' Peggy and I have 4 of your recommendations so far on order! The bookshelf will be out again after mass on Sunday. Contact Jean or Peggy after Mass.

FOOD BANK 6.5 million people in the UK are now said to be in, 'food poverty' in the UK, making our local food bank donations even more vital as we move towards winter. There is a growing call for a cap on the price of basic food stuffs as inflation continues to rise. Whilst we can't readily donate perishable food stuffs via church, we can provide protein and vitamin rich tinned and packet food stuffs, cereals and personal hygiene products. Help if you can. Donating just one item per week from your weekly shop makes someone else's load a little lighter. Thank you

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS Consider discussing your wishes with family and friends, including whether you would prefer a Requiem Mass or funeral service, your choice of hymns and Scripture readings. Write down your wishes and keep them safely with your papers so they are clear when the time comes.