

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 9th + EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD Parish Mass Book Vol 1 p251f

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

Sunday 09 Apr	9.30 am	EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD	Maria Manfredi [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Monday 10 Apr		MONDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER		
Tuesday 11 Apr		OCTAVE OF EASTER		
Wednesday 12 Apr	NO MASS	OCTAVE OF EASTER	-	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Thursday 13 Apr		OCTAVE OF EASTER		
Friday 14 Apr		OCTAVE OF EASTER		
Saturday 15 Apr	10.00am	SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	November Dead List 2022/23	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 16 Apr	9.30 am	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	Michael Mackenzie [A]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

PARISH NEWSLETTER Please submit notices (by Wednesday 8pm) - to Fr Larkin by email at 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. Pray for the repose of Lillian's soul and 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.

EASTER 2023 Thank you to everyone who attended the Masses and those whose hard work ensured a fitting celebration of the liturgy during Holy Week and Easter. Much work goes on behind the scenes and I am grateful to everyone who has contributed. I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the Easter offering (your gift to the Parish Priest) - Wishing everyone a blessed Eastertide –

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

SONRISE service on Easter Sunday at 6.30am - Janet invites you back for breakfast after the service at 67 Palace House Road.

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.

TUESDAY PRAYER ZOOMS Just to confirm that the weekly, and recently monthly, prayer zooms will not continue. It was wonderful to see most of you at the 4 Lent reflections at the Good Shepherd. These highlighted the added joy of meeting each other and appreciating the depth of prayer and trust that has grown between us over these years. God Bless

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

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, or 07770196725, or speak to John or Sean after Mass. For information about the work of the Centre, visit laudatosicentre.org.uk

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

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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.