

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 30th + FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

(Good Shepherd Sunday)

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

Sunday 30 Apr	9.30 am	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	Hilde Hammer	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Monday 01 May		St Joseph the Worker		
Tuesday 02 May		St Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church		
Wednesday 03 May	NO MASS TODAY	SS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES		
Thursday 04 May		THE ENGLISH MARTYRS		
Friday 05 May		Weekday of Easter		
Saturday 06 May	10.00am	Weekday of Easter	Liz Bavidge [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 07 May	9.30 am	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	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

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.

PLEASE NOTE that there will be **NO MASS** on **Wednesday 03 May**.

As in previous years, I will be attending the annual presbyteral conference with Bishop Marcus, Tuesday 02 May and Wednesday 03 May at Hinsley Hall, Leeds.

LUNCHEON CLUB CANCELLATION As the Requiem Mass for Lillian Carter is due to take place at The Good Shepherd at 12noon on Wednesday 17 May, the Luncheon Club for that day will be cancelled but will resume on the 24 May.

SAFEGUARDING Julie Talbot has taken on the role of safeguarding for the parish, her contact email: psr.jtalbot@dioceseofleeds.org.uk this diocesan email address is for parish safeguarding only. Julie has a copy of the parish DBS list for audit.

CORONATION MASS I invite you to join me for Holy Mass which will be celebrated for the intention of His Majesty the King on **Friday 5 May at 9.30am** at **Sacred Heart & St. Patrick** (the day before the coronation).

THURSDAY 18 MAY + THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Please note Ascension Thursday is a Holy Day of Obligation

I invite you to join me at Mass celebrated at **09.30am at Sacred Heart & St. Patrick** for the Holy Day. I also encourage you to attend along with your parish priest and the Halifax Deanery Priests, Mass for the Holy Day at **St Mary's, Halifax, HX1 5DH, 7pm which concludes the Deanery Mission**. This Mass will be celebrated by His Lordship, Bishop Stock. All welcome to attend.

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

DIOCESAN BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION Sunday 21 May 2023, 3pm. Arrive at Hinsley Hall and you will be directed to the grounds of Mount St Joseph's for the beginning of the procession. Followed by BBQ and games for children. All welcome. Poster attached.

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.

QUIZ NIGHT Friday 09 June starting at 6pm, Quiz night in the centre, everyone (including children) welcome – more details to follow...

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 & follow links for Lourdes, Leeds.

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. Contact Tangney Tours to book, or if you have any questions, on 01732 886666.

JOIN LORD ALTON on a sponsored walk from where Tolkien wrote The Lord of the Rings. There will be two sponsored walks in support of Right To Life UK in May. The Christian Heritage Centre, based at Stonyhurst College, Lancashire, has organised a sponsored walk along the Tolkien Trail on Monday 8 May. Discounted accommodation will be available at Theodore House, Stonyhurst.

The Burnley Knights of St Columba and Catenian Circle 154 have also organised a 10km sponsored walk for Right To Life UK on Monday 29 May.

For further details on how you can join either of the walks visit:

- www.righttolife.org.uk/sponsoredwalks

LEEDS DIOCESAN JUSTICE & PEACE COMMISSION Are you passionate about social justice? Faith and action for social justice go hand in hand. Is it time for you to do more? Come and join the Leeds Justice & Peace Commission to put your faith into action. See our website for more details www.leedsjp.org.uk

FLOWER FUNDING ROTA

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 or mobile 07725 854932

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

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.

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

- 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. 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

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Account name: Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd

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

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