

# The Good Shepherd

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## Sunday 8th + TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Sunday 08 Oct	9.30 am	TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY	Patricia Mulcahy [LD]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Monday 09 Oct		Saint John Henry Newman		
Tuesday 10 Oct		St Paulinus of York, Bishop		
Wednesday 11 Oct	NO MASS TODAY	St John XXIII, Pope		
Thursday 12 Oct		St Wilfrid, Bishop		
Friday 13 Oct		St Edward the Confessor		
Saturday 14 Oct	10.00am	Saturday Mass of Our Lady	November Dead List 2022/23	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 15 Oct	9.30 am	TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY	Missa pro populo	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

**Sacred Heart & St. Patrick Bolton Brow, Sowerby Bridge HX6 2BA**

**Holy Mass** | Tuesday & Friday 9.30am |

**Confession** Saturday 5.00pm | Saturday vigil 5.30pm | Sunday 11.00am |

**SACRED SILENCE IN CHURCH BEFORE MASS** In silence He hears us; He speaks in the silence of the soul and in silence we hear His voice.

**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)

### PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

24/09/2023 Week 26 - total £90.00 | Candles £29.80 | Coffee £15.48

01/10/2023 Week 26 - total £30.00 |

**BANKED – OCT 03:** £30 Thank you.

Average monthly standing orders £2,075 (approx. £478 per week)

The Parish bank details are HSBC Bank PLC **Account name:** Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd

**| Sort Code** 40-27-15 **| Account No.** 21023209

**PLEASE NOTE - NO MASS** Wednesday, 11 October

**QUIZ NIGHT** Thank you for joining us for a spectacular evening of trivia and fun at the quiz night. Together, we raised **£120** for St. Augustine's exhilarating skydive fundraiser. With the generous matching funds, we've reached a grand total of **£240**. Your support and enthusiasm have brought us one step closer to soaring through the skies for a great cause. Looking forward to more unforgettable nights and successful fundraisers.

**A NEW ENGLISH LECTIONARY** In England and Wales a new translation of the readings at Holy Mass will come into use from **Advent 2024**. This is based on the Catholic Edition of the English Standard Version Bible.

**ANNUAL MASS COUNT** A reminder that the annual count of Mass attendance should be made over the last two weekends of September (16/17 and 23/24) and the first two weekends of October (30 September/1 October and 7/8 October). This allows for parishes to avoid the weekends of the school half-term holiday.

**FORTHCOMING ORDINATIONS TO THE DIACONATE** pray for Mr Martin Fenlon, from the parish of St Wilfrid, Ripon, and Mr Nicholas Stoddart, from the parish of St John Mary Vianney, Leeds, who are both in formation for the permanent diaconate for our diocese. Martin and Nicholas will be ordained to the diaconate on Saturday 25 November 2023, 11:00am at Leeds Cathedral. All are invited to attend the Ordination Mass. Pray also for Mr Alex Noad, in formation for the priesthood for our diocese. Alex will be ordained by Bishop Marcus to the diaconate on Saturday 16 December 2023 St Mary's College, Oscott.

**FR. LARKIN HAS BEEN APPOINTED TO FINANCE AND PROPERTY SUB-COMMITTEE** for the Diocese of Leeds. Considering this new role, I will be attending regular meetings, including those scheduled for Wednesday, 11 October, Wednesday, 15 November, and a December meeting, to contribute to the strategic financial and property management decisions of our Diocese. The meetings usually commence at 12noon and end between 3pm and 3.30pm. All meeting take place at Hinsley Hall, Headingley Lane, Leeds.

**FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS** In the ebb and flow of life, there are some topics we instinctively shy away from, and one of those is the inevitable journey towards our own end. Though the thought of our mortality may be daunting, a small gesture of preparation can make a world of difference, particularly to those who mourn our passing. By engaging in a heart-to-heart conversation with our loved ones about our final wishes, we can offer them comfort and clarity in a time of grief. Consider discussing preferences for your Requiem Mass or funeral Service, your chosen Hymns, and Scripture Readings. These intimate details will not only reflect your personal faith journey but will also provide solace and direction to those you leave behind. Once decisions have been made, I recommend penning down these arrangements and placing them alongside your important documents in a safe location. In doing so, you provide guidance when it's needed most, ensuring that, even in absence, your love and thoughtfulness continues to guide and comfort.

**PRAYER FOR THE XVI ORDINARY GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SYNOD OF BISHOPS** The bishop has requested that parishes include the prayer, Adsumus Sancte Spiritus, following

the Prayer after Communion and before the dismissal at the conclusion of weekday and Sunday Masses from October 04 to the 29.

**INSTALLATION OF NEW CANONS OF THE CATHEDRAL CHAPTER** The Very Reverend Canons **Martin Kelly** (formerly of Halifax Deanery), Gerard Kearney, and Christopher Willis will be installed as Canons of the Cathedral Chapter during the celebration of Holy Mass at Leeds Cathedral on Tuesday 31 October 2023, 12:30pm. If anyone wishes to attend, please turn up in good time.

#### **FLOWER ROTA OCTOBER & NOVEMBER**

08 October - Liz Godfrey

15 October - Vacant

22 October - Mary Baldwin

29 October - Linda Oswin

05 November - Vacant

12 November - Breda & Chris Allan

19 November - Kay Pierce

If you can help, contact Doris Moorhead either at church or on 01422 842931. Thank you.

**CATENIANS: FRIENDSHIP IN FAITH** Friendship in Faith in the strap line for the Catenians. It is an ideal opportunity for Catholic men to mix and socialise along with their wives and families and others with similar beliefs. The Huddersfield Circle meet socially at least once a month with a variety of functions throughout the year. Want to know more? Visit [www.thecatenians.com](http://www.thecatenians.com) or call Membership Officer Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042

**REVELATION** The Diocesan Youth Service's monthly event for young people in Years 8-13 is back! Revelation will be taking place on Thursday 12 October at Hinsley Hall from 5:30-7:30pm. It will be an evening of prayer, music, games, fellowship and more as we focus on the theme of 'Who Are We?' For further information, email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk). Poster attached.

**EXHIBITION OF THE HOLY SHROUD OF TURIN REPLICA** A full-size copy of the world-famous Shroud of Turin is coming to Leeds Cathedral. It will be on display from Sunday 12 – Thursday 30 November and will be available to view outside of service times. Free talks about the Shroud on 18 November (12.40pm) and 27 November (2pm).