

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 15th + TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Sunday 15 Oct	9.30 am	TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY	Missa pro populo	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Monday 16 Oct		St Margaret Mary Alacoque,		
Tuesday 17 Oct		St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr		
Wednesday 18 Oct	12noon	ST LUKE, EVANGELIST	Priest's Intention	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Thursday 19 Oct		St Paul of the Cross, Priest		
Friday 20 Oct		Weekday		
Saturday 21 Oct	10.00am	Saturday Mass of Our Lady	Priest's Intention	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
Sunday 22 Oct	9.30 am	TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY	Fr John Gott [A]	GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH

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

Holy Mass | Tuesday & Friday 9.30am | Saturday vigil 5.30pm | Sunday 11.00am |

Confession Saturday 5.00pm |

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

PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

01/10/2023 Week 27 - total £30.00 |

08/10/2023 Week 28 - total £108.00 | Candles £18.00 | Coffee £30.00

BANKED – OCT 09: £105 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

LEEDS DIOCESE JUSTICE AND PEACE COMMISSION in partnership with Leeds Pax Christi Group will be holding their Annual Day of Reflection on **Saturday 28 October** in the Good Shepherd Centre from 10.45am - 4.45pm. 'The Nonviolence of Jesus in a Violent World'. Jesus said "And if anyone forces you to go one mile, go with him two" - Why would this have been shocking to his audience? If you want to know more then come to our next Day of Shared Reflection led by Sister Bernie Roche. The event is free to attend but please bring a packed lunch. For further details and to register go to https://www.leedsjp.org.uk/event/the-nonviolent-jesus-in-a-violent-world/?instance_id=512

CONCERT Sunday 05 November Hebden Bridge Brass Band Concert, Good Shepherd. 2-4pm

NEWS FROM THE ORCHARD There was a respectable crop of Winston apples which have been safely gathered in. The smaller ones are being made into puree and frozen to be used at some point for the luncheon club. The others are being held in a cool place where they are expected to keep until spring, at which point they should have become a lot sweeter. We will see in due course! I learned recently that there is a community orchard next to a play park on Scout Road where the fruit is available to anyone. Do we need an information board to explain the purpose of the orchard? Any suggestions? Peggy Thomas

CATENIANS Friendship in Faith, 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 or call Membership Officer Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042

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).

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.

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

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.

ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION 'Advent – a Journey with Mary, Mother of God' A Day of reflection in preparation for the busy-ness of the Christmas season, led by Fr. Dennis Cassidy on either Friday 01 or Saturday 02 December. £40pp to include all refreshments and a home-cooked two-course lunch. To book a place, or to find out more: www.briery.org.uk email admin@briery.org.uk or telephone 01943 607287.