

The Good Shepherd

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Sunday 19th + PENTECOST SUNDAY

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Sunday 19 May	9.30 am	PENTECOST SUNDAY	Alan Bottomley [A]
Monday 20 May		Our Lady, Mother of the Church	
Tuesday 21 May		Ss Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companions, Martyrs	
WEDNESDAY 22 MAY	NO MASS TODAY	St Rita of Cascia, Religious	
Thursday 23 May		OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST	
Friday 24 May		Weekday in Ordinary Time	
Saturday 25 May	10.00am	St Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church	SANCTIFICATION and HEALING
Sunday 26 May	9.30 am	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	Fred Alston [A]

PARISH NEWSLETTER Please submit notices (by Wednesday 8pm) - to Fr Larkin by email at pp.thegoodshepherd@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

PARISH WEEKLY OFFERING

05/05/2024 Week 5 - Total £119.30 | Candles £10.80 | Coffee £12.50 |

12/05/2024 Week 6 - Total £200.80 | Candles £14.50 | Coffee £13.00 |

Catholic Communications £118.60 – thank you.

BANKED –MAY 13 – £200.00. Thank you for your continued support.

Average monthly standing orders £2,065.

PARISH GIVING If you wish to set up a standing order account details:

Good Shepherd - Sort Code 40-27-15 - Account No. 21023209

Thank you for your support it is very much appreciated.

NB - No Mass on Wednesday 22 May -

THE CROSS AT HORSEHOLD The cross will be taken down with a service at Horsehold on Pentecost Sunday 19 May at 3pm. Please try to come and support this witness in the valley. Barry will be needing some help as usual so please let him know if you can help with this.

PLANTERS To safeguard the memorial stones from harm, Steve Woodhead is constructing three planters. The idea is to cultivate herb gardens within them. Hence, if anyone has extra plants, seedlings, or cuttings to contribute, they would be greatly welcomed. These contributions can be brought to the church and will be cared for until they're ready for planting.

FLOWER ROTA 19 May - Janet Almond, 26 May - Maureen and Frank Flynn.

SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY Our parish aims to ensure safety for all through a diocesan-approved recruitment process -Safer Recruitment of all Volunteers. Current volunteers that do not require a DBS check will need to undergo level 1 safeguarding training. I will be approaching this task group by group, maybe starting with the musicians then moving on to others like the flower group for instance. This notice serves as an advance warning; more details will follow once I have collated a list of all current volunteers. Thank you, Julie. (Not sure if you're keeping this in but thought the below would be relevant with it)

CONSENT TO THE SAFE USE OF IMAGES - With the help of Maggie, we are in the midst of obtaining consent from parents of parish children to authorise or deauthorise the use of their images via photography or film. To ensure safeguarding, only leaders and helpers of the Children's Liturgy group who have access to the consent forms should be taking photos for the Good Shepherd social media site. Thank you, Julie.

THE MYTHOLMROYD STATION PARTNERSHIP is hosting 'Mytholmroyd Heritage Day' on 1 June 2024, celebrating the 150th anniversary of the railway station building. The Good Shepherd will be open to showcase the church and community photographs can be viewed at the exhibition in the station building and St. Michael's church hall.

LEEDS DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES Friday 5 – Thursday 11 July. Please book with Tangney Tours T: 01732 886666 Further information www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage/.

YOUR VOTE MATTERS - DON'T LOSE IT St Vincent De Paul and CAFOD wants to help the Catholic voice be heard in the next General Election, and we want to make sure our politicians make tackling poverty a priority. With over 5 million Catholics in the UK the next general election is an opportunity to bring attention to the big issues of our time. Visit. <https://svp.org.uk/encounter>
<https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote>

CHURCH WEEKEND This year will be October Friday 11 to Sunday 13. Details coming later.

WEEKLY ONLINE MEDITATIONS FROM THE BRIERY Join us for a short meditation on the Sunday Gospel from 7.30pm to 8.15pm on Thursdays. The Zoom opens at 7.15pm for a

chat. All are welcome. Register for Zoom link by emailing: admin@briery.org.uk or call 01943 607287.

CATHOLIC CARE are looking for support workers to join the team supporting adults with a learning disability in Todmorden. Full and part time positions are available. Please visit the website for full details <https://catholic-care.org.uk/recruitment/latest-vacancies/>

NEWLY APPOINTED BISHOPS The Holy Father has appointed Canon Bosco MacDonald as the tenth Bishop of Clifton and Mgr. James Curry, a priest of the Diocese of Westminster, as Auxiliary Bishop of Westminster. Mgr. Timothy Menezes and Canon Richard Walker, both priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, have also been appointed Auxiliary Bishops of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Finally, Fr David Waller has been appointed as Ordinary to the Personal Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham. Please pray for the Bishop-Elects as they prepare to begin their episcopal ordination and service.

THINKING FAITH Exploring our Catholic Beliefs Time out for working Catholics, to enjoy a holiday together, pray and reflect on an aspect of their faith. This year's theme goes back to the basics. Boarbank Hall, Cumbria 27 July – 3 August 2024. For more information see: www.boarbankhall.org.uk To book, email margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk

FAITH FORMATION SOCIAL MEDIA We have set up new social media accounts for Lifelong Faith Formation and will be sharing upcoming opportunities, good news stories and updates. Please follow us on Twitter: @dolformation Instagram: @dolfaithformation Facebook: Diocese of Leeds Faith Formation

CENTENARY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL JULY 2024 On Thursday 18 July at 11.30am, together with the Priests, Deacons, Religious and Lay Faithful, Bishop Marcus will celebrate a Solemn Pontifical Mass at the Cathedral Church of St Anne, the Mother Church of the Diocese of Leeds, to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the Cathedral's Dedication. More information about the Cathedral's centenary celebrations will be published in due course.

VACANCIES

CATHEDRAL JOB VACANCIES The Parish of Mother of Unfailing Help, Leeds is recruiting a Cathedral Parish Operations Manager (22.5 hours per week) and a Parish Office Administrator (15 hours per week). The roles could be combined. More details at www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/vacancies/. Closing date 29th May 2024.

New notice

TEACHER OF ENGLISH (MATERNITY COVER) VACANCY St. John Fisher Catholic Academy, Harrogate, Start: September 2024. Closing date: Wednesday 22nd May 2024. Further info: <https://www.bishopwheelercatholicacademytrust.org/trust-vacancies> To discuss or arrange a visit, contact Paula Deacon, office@sjfchs.org.uk

Amended notice

CATHOLIC CARE SUPPORT WORKER VACANCY SPINAL Point SP4 -7 £23,151 - £24,294 pro rata (dependent on qualifications and experience). Locations are: Bingley, Todmorden or Brighouse Post: full and part time positions (shift patterns to include weekends and bank holidays) with sleep in allowance. For further details and how to apply for this and all other posts, please visit: <http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/> or Telephone: 0113 3885400.

FOUNDATION GOVERNORS VACANCIES Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College is looking to appoint two more Foundation Governors. We welcome applications from all parishioners but if you have financial expertise that would be an added bonus. Application forms are available from the Diocese, education.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk. Alternatively, if you would like further information about the role, please contact Denise Hark, Clerk to the Corporation at Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College, d.hark@notredamecoll.ac.uk