



Welcome to St Joseph's Catholic Church Bilton, Harrogate



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"We proclaim the resurrection of Christ when his light illuminates the dark moments of our existence, and we are able share it with others."

Pope Francis.

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 15th May 2022

Fifth Sunday of Easter - Year C

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Vigil Mass (Ek Family [Sp Int])
8.00am Mass (Holy Souls)
11.00am Mass (PARISH)

Tuesday 17th May

Weekday of Easter

7.00pm Mass (Holy Souls)

Wednesday 18th May

Weekday of Easter

9.30am Mass (Holy Souls)

Thursday 19th May

Weekday of Easter

9.30am Mass (Malone Family [Sp Int])
11.30am Requiem Mass for Mr Mario Chessa

Friday 20th May

Weekday of Easter

9.30am Mass (Eddie Toland [Sick])

Sunday 22nd May 2022

Sixth Sunday of Easter - Year C

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Vigil Mass (Andy & Mary Maslaveckas [Wedding Ann])
8.00am Mass (PARISH)
11.00am Mass (Seamus McCaul [A])

We Pray For...

God is love and commands us to live that same love. Let us turn to him and pray for the strength to live as the Lord teaches:

For Francis our Pope, that he will be blessed with the gifts of the Holy Spirit and so lead the Church in the ways of the Lord. *Lord in your mercy...*

For the Church, that it may truly be a sign of salvation, pointing towards Jesus by the love it shows for all people. *Lord in your mercy...*

For our world, especially for all those who live in poverty, that we may share more justly the many resources God has given us.

For the people of Ukraine, that they may see an end to violence and warfare, and that their lands and sovereignty be restored. *Lord in your mercy...*

For our own parish community, that we may engage with our 'Parish to Mission' meetings, and that we always work for the common good. *Lord in your mercy...*

For all who grieve or who are sick or suffering in any way, that they will be strengthened by the knowledge of Christ's love for them. *Lord in your mercy...*



Please remember to turn-off mobile phones before Mass begins...Thank you!

REGULAR EVENTS & CONTACTS

APF Red Mission Boxes

Contact: Liz Walker 01423 881061

Brownies

Wednesday evenings in term-time 6.00pm - 7.15pm
Contact: 3rdbiltonbrownies@gmail.com

Catenians

Second Tuesday, 7.30pm at Ascot House Hotel
Contact: John Toland 01423 884690

Childrens' Liturgy Group

Contact: Grace Foster 07515 686662

Choir (11.00am Mass)

Contact: Gill Crowther 01423 817885

Church Cleaning Team (More Volunteers Needed!)

Contact: Elaine Flanagan 07791 500359

Church Flowers Team

Contact: Helen Fletcher 01423 525216

Church Tea & Coffee Team (11.00am Mass)

Contacts: Anne Roberts 07867788552
Annemarie Perry 07722091465

Friendship Group

Tuesday Afternoons in the Hall - 1.30pm - 2.45pm
Contact: Rachel 07739 975021

Gift Aid Organiser

Contact: John Tweddle 01423 523332

Journey in Faith (RCIA)

Tuesdays as announced. (November - Easter)
Contact: Fr Stephen 01423 504124

Knights of St Columba

Contact: Jason Aldiss 07976 428198
jason.aldiss@eandj.co.uk

Parish Hall Bookings

Contact: Elaine Flanagan 07791 500359
elaineflanagan184@btinternet.com

Rotas (Eucharistic Ministry)

Contact: Bradley Gotting 07985 515307
b.gotting@sky.com

Rotas (Readers)

Contact: Paul Fletcher 01423 525216

Safeguarding Representatives (Parish)

Contact: Tony Cullen 07785 252253
psr.tcullen@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP)

Meeting Times TBC
Contact: Teresa Carmody 01423 565068

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Mrs R Rouse 01423 562650

St John Fisher Catholic High School

Headteacher: Mr S Mort 01423 887254

St Joseph's Pre-School (Term-time Mornings)

Contact Julie Kane 07792657808
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Readers & (Eucharistic Ministers) at Mass:

This Weekend: 14 / 15 May

Vigil: Warren Considine; Rachel Rouse (Peter Durbin)
8.00am Daniele Bovo; Amy Keith (Val Burdon)
11.00am Malgorzate Smith; Mark Grafton (Paul Evans)

Next Weekend: 14 / 15 May

Vigil: Elizabeth Tyszka; Alicia Player (Elaine Durbin)
8.00am John Walker; Alex Leckenby (John Tweddle)
11.00am Alicia Player; Pam Evans (Annemarie Perry)



The Regina Coeli

Regina coeli, laetare, alleluia.
Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia.
Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia.
Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.

Gaude et laetare, Virgo Maria, alleluia.
Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.

Oremus.

Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Domini nostri lesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta, quaesumus; ut per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam, perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae.
Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Joy to thee, O Queen of Heaven. Alleluia!
He whom Thou wast meet to bear. Alleluia!
As He promised hath arisen. Alleluia!
Pour for us to God thy prayer. Alleluia!

Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray.

O God, who gave joy to the world through the resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mass Intentions Received Recently:

Ek Family (Sp Int); Dianne Dryden (RIP); Eddie Toland (Sick).

News From Our School:

A huge well done to Y6 and Y2 in completing their SATs tests last week. The children have worked incredibly hard all year and whatever the outcome, they are most certainly more than a test result. We couldn't be prouder of the children. They are all a credit to St Joseph's!

Year 3 had a great day last week at Herd Farm Activity Centre as part of their history topic 'Stone Age to Iron Age'. The children visited replica Iron Age Round houses and participated in different activities including spear throwing. What a wonderful learning experience which they shared with school and their families in their assembly last Friday.

Parish to Mission - Phase Two: THIS WEEK

The second part of the Diocesan "Listening Process" will take place here at St Joseph's this week, on **Wednesday 18th May at 7.30pm** in the Church Hall. The three questions we are being asked to consider are:

The parish is the presence of the Church in a given territory, an environment for hearing God's word, for growth in the Christian life, for dialogue, proclamation, charitable outreach, worship and celebration. In all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelizers. (Evangeli Gaudium 28)

1. What, within our current practice as a parish and diocese, helps to fulfil this vision?
2. What would our parish and diocese look like if this vision was being fully lived?
3. What practical steps can we take to move towards that fully lived reality?

Please do come along to the meeting to share your wisdom!

Plants & Hanging Baskets:

Gloria's green fingers are being kept busy, but unfortunately there is a slight delay in her bringing the pre-ordered planters and hanging baskets - they will now arrive next weekend. Also next weekend, Gloria hopes to have for sale lots of plants for people to buy after Mass...come prepared!!

Annual Eucharistic Processions 2022:

Sunday 15th May, 3:00pm, Hinsley Hall. Followed by BBQ, ice creams, bouncy castle etc. All welcome. Please check diocesan website on the morning in case it has to be cancelled due to bad weather.

The Twelve Youth Leadership Team are Recruiting!:

The Twelve, the Diocesan Youth Leadership Team, are looking to recruit Catholic young people in Years 8-12 to continue their work of collaborating with Bishop Marcus on Diocesan decision making, giving voice to young people on Diocesan matters and priorities. The Deadline for Applications is Friday 10th June. Email Ryan Wilkinson at youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk for further information.

How Much Do You Know About One of Our Newest Saints?:

Charles de Foucauld will be canonised on 15 May. Join the J&P Commission Zoom conversation with Br Xavier Chevillard (who lived in Leeds for many years) on 24 May at 7:30pm to find out more. Simply go to www.leedsjp.org.uk to book a place.

Vocations Service Holy Hour:

There will be Adoration on Wednesday 25th May 2022 and the last Wednesday of every month. All welcome, whether exploring your own relationship with Jesus, or simply to pray for vocations. Hinsley Hall 7pm-8pm. Bar open afterwards for informal chat with Vocations Service.

Book Club:

A reminder that the ZOOM Book Club will take place on Tuesday 31st May 7-8pm: Silence and Honey Cakes: The Wisdom of the Desert, by Rowan Williams (£7.99), led by Mrs. Helen Edwards. To book a place, email: gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Briery Online Zoom Meditations:

Each Thursday from 7.30pm to 8.15pm. We open at 7.15pm for a chat and start promptly at 7.30pm. It is a simple format of praying with the Sunday Mass Readings and sharing in small groups. To register, please email the Briery: briery@btconnect.com

Living as a Catholic in Challenging Times:

Renowned Catholic speaker and writer Dr Ralph Martin is coming over from the United States to visit the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal at St Patrick's Mission, Sedgfield Terrace, Bradford BD1 2RU. All will be welcome to hear him speak at 7.30pm on Thursday 2 June 2022, about a subject close to most Catholics' hearts: "Living as a Catholic in Challenging Times!"

Catholic Care:

Catholic Care is hosting a welcome session for people interested in becoming a parish representative at their

Head Office, 11 North Grange Road, Headingley, Leeds LS6 2BR (next to Hinsley Hall) on Tuesday 7th June at 6pm. Please confirm your attendance to rachel.wilkinson@catholic-care.org.uk

Revelation:

The Youth Service's monthly youth event for young people in Years 8-13 takes place on Thursday 9th June, Hinsley Hall, 5:30-7:30pm. An evening of prayer, music, games, fellowship and more as we focus on the theme of 'Empowered.' For further information, email youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Jonathan Tulloch "A Life in Nature":

Saturday 11th June from 10am-4pm. Times and Tablet columnist, Jonathan Tulloch, will be inviting you to come close to nature and all her glory. Offerings £37 per person. To book a place please call the Briery on 01943 607287 or email: briery@btconnect.com

Celebrating Later Life:

A Jubilee Tea Party - Sunday 12th June, 3pm. Join the Briery and the Growing Old Grace-fully team to celebrate and reflect on our Queen and her long life over a high tea. Offerings £10 per person. To book a place please call the Briery on 01943 607287 or email: briery@btconnect.com

Diocesan Director of Education Vacancy:

The Diocese of Leeds and the Vicariate for Education wish to appoint a practising Catholic to promote and implement the Bishop's vision for Catholic Education within the Diocese. Please contact Liam Dowds, on 01737 652043 or [ldowds@emmausleadership.me] ldowds@emmausleadership.me for further details. Closing date: Monday 6th June 2022 at 12 noon.

Vacancy:

Duty Manager, Hinsley Hall. Further info: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/vacancies/>

Vacancy:

School Site Supervisor, St Mary's. Horsforth. Immediate start. For further information or to arrange visits to the school, please contact Mrs Tye, Office Manager tel: 0113 2584593, email: h.tye@stmaryshorsforth.org To download application forms and supporting documents go to: www.stmaryshorsforth.org

Catholic Care Vacancies:

Vacancies across the Diocese, Outreach Support Workers in adult care, Care Bank Support Workers in adult care and for Children and young people, Senior Support Workers in adult care, Residential Child Care Workers, Floating Support Workers, School Social Workers, A Catholic Care Trustee. Flexible working hours available. For an Application form or more information visit www.catholic-care.org.uk or call 0113 388 5400.

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:

1st -7th July 2022. Tangney Tours booking forms available in all parishes and online at: www.tagneytours.com/pilgrimages/lourdes/leeds-lourdes or call: 01732 886666. Volunteer carers and registered nurses welcome. Full training given. email volunteering - anita.bodurka@dioceseofleeds.org.uk