



# Welcome to St Joseph's Catholic Church Bilton, Harrogate



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*"I see clearly that the thing the Church needs most today is the ability to heal wounds and to warm the hearts of the faithful; it needs nearness, proximity."*  
*Pope Francis*

## SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday 3rd July 2022**

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C**

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions  
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Vigil Mass (Canon Phil Fitzgerald [Ann of Ordination])  
8.00am Mass (Holy Souls)  
11.00am Mass (PARISH)

**Tuesday 5th July**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

7.00pm Mass (Holy Souls)

**Wednesday 6th July**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Mass (Holy Souls)

**Thursday 7th July**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Mass (Holy Souls)

**Friday 8th July**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Mass (Holy Souls)

**Sunday 10th July 2022**

**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C**

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions  
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Vigil Mass (Rodrigo Garcia [LD])  
8.00am Mass (...)  
11.00am Mass (...)

### We Pray For...

With confidence and trust in God's mercy we turn to our loving Father with our prayers for all in need:

For Francis our Pope, Marcus our Bishop and all church leaders: that they may continue to be open to the guidance of the Holy Spirit. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

For all whose lives are marred by warfare and violence: that the leaders of nations may work for justice and peace. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

For all who are persecuted for their faith in Christ: that God's grace will enable them to persevere. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

For vocations to the priesthood and religious life, that young men and women may be attentive to the call of the Lord of the harvest and generous in their response.

For our own parish community: that we may be true disciples of Christ, living in faith and Christian service. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

For the neglected, the housebound and all who are sick: that they will receive comfort and support. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

For all who have died, that they may rest in peace and rise in glory. *(pause) Lord, hear us:*

 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 Tolan 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 07867 788552  
Annemarie Perry 07722 091465

### Friendship Group

Tuesday Afternoons in the Hall - 1.30pm - 2.45pm

### 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

### Parish Hall Bookings

Contact: Elaine Flanagan 07791 500359  
elaineflanagan184@btinternet.com

### Piety Stall

Contacts: Helen Fletcher 07837 928851  
Cathy Hudson 07790 814819

### 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)

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 07792 657808

### Readers & (Eucharistic Ministers) at Mass:

#### This Weekend: 2 / 3 July

Vigil: Imelda Morrit; Elaine Durbin (Martin Flanagan)  
8.00am Daniele Bovo; Amy Keith (Michelle Hardacre)  
11.00am Anne Roberts; John Tweddle (Greg Warren)

#### Next Weekend: 9/ 10 July

Vigil: Jade Cooper; Roisin Currie (Peter Durbin)  
8.00am John Walker; Alex Leckenby (Val Burdon)  
11.00am Greg Warren; Alicia Player (Bradley Gotting)

### Mass Intentions Received Recently:

Mr EJ & Mrs C Farr (A); John Dare-Mordle (RIP);  
Helena Ford (Birthday Thanksgiving); Rodrigo Garcia  
(LD).

### Next Weekend:

There will be the annual collection for Stella Maris  
(Apostleship of the Sea) which will be taken after each  
of next weekend's Masses.

### News From Our School:

Year One had a fantastic time during their recent visit to  
Tropical World. The children were so excited to see lots  
of amazing mammals, reptiles, amphibians, insects,  
birds and fish. They used their science knowledge of  
different animal groups and participated in an animal  
hunt. The children were brilliant!

On Tuesday last week we held our annual sports day.  
Luckily the weather was very kind to us and everyone  
had a super sporty afternoon! It was great to have  
parents/grandparents at a school event once again. A  
huge thank you to St John Fisher's Year 10 students  
who came to help organise and lead the events and our  
Y6 pupils who helped design the course of activities.  
Well done to St John Fisher House team who were the  
overall winners and congratulations to all of our pupils  
for showing great sportsmanship skills.

### Specs for Ethiopia:

Thank you to all those who continue to donate specs for  
Ethiopia, your donations are always gratefully received!  
Please note that it is not necessary to leave them in  
their case, as these cannot be sent over to the charity.  
Thank you!

### Visitors Welcome!

The Chapel of Our Lady of the Crag, Abbey Road,  
Knaresborough is now open (weather permitting) on  
Sundays 2-4pm until late September. We are looking  
for volunteers to help us maintain this beautiful site, and  
donations of money and plants following our recent wall  
renovations. Please visit [www.ourladyofthecrag.org](http://www.ourladyofthecrag.org)  
or find us on Facebook for more information or, if you  
are in a position to help, send us an email  
at [contact@ourladyofthecrag.org](mailto:contact@ourladyofthecrag.org) Thank you.

### Flame:

The largest Catholic youth event in England and Wales  
is back! Join thousands of young people for a day of  
music, prayer, worship, talks from great speakers and  
much more at Wembley Arena in London. Tickets are  
£60 per person (including return coach travel).  
Email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to book yours!

### World Youth Day 2023:

Aged 16-30? You're invited to join the Diocese of Leeds  
Youth Service in Lisbon, Portugal from 31st July –  
7th August 2023 for World Youth Day, a week-long  
youth festival with Pope Francis and young people from  
across the world! Cost: £1200, which includes  
accommodation, travel, WYD package and more!  
Email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to apply!

### Lourdes 1-7 July:

Live feed for some Masses and Services. For pilgrims  
who are not able to attend this year, please see the  
diocese of Leeds website, follow the link for Lourdes,  
and information about the live feeds. [https://  
www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/pilgrimages/](https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/pilgrimages/)

### Roxanna Panufnik 'In Conversation':

World-renowned composer Roxanna Panufnik is joining  
us for an 'in conversation' event on 5 July 2022.  
Concert at 6.30 pm in the Cathedral, followed by an  
interview with Roxanna at 7 pm in Wheeler Hall, hosted  
by Philip Moore. Admission is free, and there is no need  
to reserve a place.

### Handmaids Women's Group:

Join the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal for  
Adoration, Music, Rosary, opportunity for Sacrament of  
Reconciliation and refreshments. Friday 8th July 2022,  
7- 8.30pm Corpus Christi Church, Neville Road, Leeds.

### 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](mailto:briery@btconnect.com)

### Annual Mass at Fountains Abbey:

Feast of St Benedict, Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July, 12noon. All  
welcome.

### Life Transfigured Series:

Our next event will be at Wheeler Hall, Leeds Cathedral  
on Tuesday 12th July, 7-8pm. Oxford Philosopher  
Professor Mark Wynn will explore "Aesthetic experience  
in the Christian life". More information and to register,  
email: [henry.longbottom@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:henry.longbottom@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

### Samuel Group:

The Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal are running an 8  
month programme for those aged 18-40 to go deeper in  
their prayer life and formation on discerning God's voice  
in their life. Applications open on Friday 8th July and  
close on Friday 2nd September.

### The Divine Mercy Mission Bus:

The bus will be in the car park at Tesco's Supermarket  
Roundhay Road on Wednesday 27th July between 1pm  
– 3pm. Everyone is most welcome to visit.

### Walsingham Pilgrimage:

A pilgrimage of reparation and prayer for the sanctity of  
life on Saturday 6th August. Mass at 12noon celebrated  
by Bishop Philip Egan. For more information please  
visit: [www.prolifepilgrimage.org](http://www.prolifepilgrimage.org)

### St Robert's Art Group:

St Robert's Art Group welcomes new members. We are  
a small group of amateur artists who meet each Friday  
morning to paint or draw. It is an informal, sociable and  
non-competitive group comprising of beginners and  
more experienced members who enjoy a shared  
interest. There is a small charge to cover the cost of  
hiring the room at St Robert's Centre. If you would like  
to know more about the group and what we do, or wish  
to try us out, e-mail [strobartsartgroup@btinternet.com](mailto:strobartsartgroup@btinternet.com)

### Yorkshire Lay Dominicans:

Lay Dominicans are lay people, married and single,  
who commit themselves to lives based around prayer,  
study, community and preaching. For more details  
see <http://laydominicans.org.uk/about-us/> If you are  
interested in being part of a Lay Dominican group in  
Yorkshire, please contact Simon Hewitt  
at [s.hewitt@leeds.ac.uk](mailto:s.hewitt@leeds.ac.uk)

### J&P Job Opportunity:

Paid support services opportunity with the justice &

peace commission: Are you passionate about social  
justice issues - but also competent in Microsoft Office  
and other web-based platforms? We can offer about  
5hrs work per week (@£20 per hr) to provide support to  
the Commission's activities - mostly remote. See our  
website [www.leedsjp.org.uk](http://www.leedsjp.org.uk) for more details.

### Catholic Care Vacancies:

Vacancies across the Diocese, Experienced  
PA (temporary) for heads of adult care and children  
and families, 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, Waking  
night support worker in adult care, cleaner. Details of  
Catholic Care Graduate Programme (September 2022  
start) available on website. Flexible working hours  
available. For an Application form or more information  
visit [www.catholic-care.org.uk](http://www.catholic-care.org.uk) or call 0113 388 5400.

### From Parish to Mission - The National Synthesis:

The National Synthesis  
reflects on Synod reports  
received by the national  
synthesis team, discerning  
the main themes that have  
emerged from the listening  
conversations, and collating  
them together to give a  
picture of the synodal  
process in England and



Wales. The Catholic Church in England and Wales has  
been following the Synodal Process called by Pope  
Francis, reflecting on the theme "For a Synodal Church:  
communion, participation, mission" and has now  
reached an important moment. Since October 2021,  
the dioceses, national organisations and religious  
communities have been engaged in listening  
conversations on the central themes, exploring the way  
the Church embraces more fully her missionary  
mandate in the world of today.

The diocesan and national organisational reports were  
submitted to the Bishops' Conference just before Holy  
Week this year, and since then, the National Synthesis  
Team has been working on producing the "National  
Synthesis" – reflecting on the reports received,  
discerning the main themes that have emerged from the  
listening conversations, and collating them together to  
give a picture of the synodal process in England and  
Wales. The Bishops have been kept abreast of this  
work with a report given to their Spring Plenary  
Assembly in Cardiff and on 1 June, a National Synod  
Day was held in Southwark Cathedral. This gathering  
reflected on the first draft of the synthesis and  
comments, corrections and refinements on it were  
collected and used to produce the final synthesis.

This week, the Bishops of England and Wales will  
gather to discern their response to this National  
Synthesis. Their work, together with the synthesis  
document will be sent to the Synod Office in Rome as  
the formal submission to the Synod from England and  
Wales.

The National Synthesis document can be accessed by  
following this link:

[https://www.cbcew.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/  
sites/3/2022/06/synod-national-synthesis-england-  
wales.pdf](https://www.cbcew.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/sites/3/2022/06/synod-national-synthesis-england-wales.pdf)