

Welcome to St Joseph's Catholic Church Bilton, Harrogate



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"The gift of the Holy Spirit has been bestowed upon the Church and upon each one of us, so that we may live lives of genuine faith and active charity, that we may sow the seeds of reconciliation and peace." Pope Francis.

SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 19th May 2024 Pentecost Sunday

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions

5.30pm (Sat Evening) Mass (Josif [Special Intention])

8.00am Mass (PARISH)

11.00am Mass (Seamus McCaul [A])

Tuesday 21st May Weekday in Ordinary Time

7.00pm Mass (Pat Andronowski [A])

Wednesday 22nd May Weekday in Ordinary Time

9.30am Mass (Richard Maskill [B'day A])

Thursday 23rd May Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest

9.30am Mass (Fr James Leavy [LD])

Friday 24th May Weekday in Ordinary Time

9.30am Mass (Nick [LD])

Sunday 26th May 2024 The Most Holy Trinity

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions 5.30pm (Sat Evening) Mass (PARISH)

8.00am Mass (Peter Andronowski [A]) 11.00am Mass (Bob Antram [RIP])

Let us Pray...

On this day of Pentecost when the Church is filled with the power of God's Holy Spirit, united in Jesus we make our prayers to the Father:

For the Church, that all who follow Christ will allow the Holy Spirit to penetrate their lives more deeply.

For our world, that the Holy Spirit, Lord and Giver of Life, may renew the face of the earth and make it a place where the poor are fed, the strangers are welcomed, and the unborn are brought safely to birth.

For peace among nations, that the Holy Spirit will transform our world into a community of justice and peace.

For ourselves and for our own parish community, that we may always be open to the gifts of the Spirit and gladly accept the challenges which lie ahead.

For all who are sick or suffering, that the Holy Spirit will bring them strength, comfort and healing.

For all who have died, that they may be welcomed, with joy, into the fullness of God's presence.

God our Father, open our hearts to the gifts of your Spirit that we may always walk in the light of your presence. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.



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

Children's Liturgy Group

Contact: Grace Foster 07515 686662

Choir (11.00am Mass)

Contact: Gill Crowther 01423 817885

Church Cleaning Team (More Volunteers Needed!)

Contact: Valerie Clemerson 07815 976912

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

Polish Friendship Group

Contacts: Magda 07432 688582 Malgosia 07539 276304

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

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Headteacher: Mrs G Delahay 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: 18 / 19 May 2024

Vigil: P Durbin; P Allinson (P Rochester; M Flanagan) 8.00am: C Currie; A Hainsworth (J Walker; V Burdon) 11.00am P Fletcher; A Roberts (H Fletcher; A Roberts)

Mass Next Weekend: 25 / 26 May 2024

Vigil: V Clemerson; C Devlin (D Olszewski; P Rochester) 8.00am: M Hardacre; C Currie (J Tweddle; J Walker) 11.00am H Fletcher; S Butters (A Perry; B Gotting)

The Regina Coeli



Regina coeli, laetare, alleluia. Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia. Quia quem meruisti portare, 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 Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta quaesumus; ut per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam. perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae.

Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Mass Intentions Received Recently:

Peter Andronowski (A); Pat Andronowski (A); Fenimore Family (Sp Int); Richard Maskill (B'day A); Nick (LD); Fr S Webb (Father's Day!); Steven James & Christopher (Sp Int); Anna Danys (Sp Int).

Catholic Care (Caritas):

Catholic Care wish to thank you very much for your compassionate response to their Annual Appeal which raised a fantastic £376.06 Your donations will enable their important work to continue throughout the Leeds Diocese. Thank you for your solidarity and generosity.

School News:

Well done to Y6 for the mature and positive attitude they displayed last week whilst completing their SATs. The breakfast club before the tests was very popular helping the children to relax and enjoy breakfast with their friends. After the final test, they celebrated with a movie and ice pops.

School welcomed a photographer into school to take photographs for the new school website which is being organised as part of an update to all the Bishop Wheeler Catholic Academy Trust Schools. The children had great fun showing off all their skills across the curriculum. Hopefully, the website will be ready for the new school year in September.

Foundation Governor:

St Joseph's Academy Council is looking for a new Foundation Governor to join the team. If you are interested in supporting our school and helping to ensure that it provides the best Catholic education possible or would just like to find out more, please contact Aneta Field, Interim Chair or Headteacher Mrs Delahay via the school on 01423 562650/ admin@stjosephsharrogate.org or speak to Fr Stephen.

OFFERTORIES

11 / 12 May 2024

Weekly Offerings £488.32 Av Weekly Standing Orders £780.68 £1269.00 Total

Catholic Communications: £213.72

Parish Banking Details:

Name: Diocese of Leeds, St Joseph's Harrogate **Sort Code**: 40-27-15 **Account Number**: 11017500

Many thanks for your continued generosity

Clergy Moves 2024:

St Joseph's, Harrogate:

Fr Stephen Webb to become PP of St Paulinus, Dewsbury and PP of St Joseph's Batley Carr. he is to Leeds Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage: remain working part-time in the Bishop's Secretariat. Fr Benjamin Griffiths is appointed as Parochial theme is 'and that people should come in Procession'. Administrator of St Joseph's.

St Mary's Knaresborough / St Aelred's Starbeck:

Fr William Wright OSB is to return to Ampleforth Abbey after 12 years in Knaresborough.

Canon Gerard Kearney is to become PP of St Mary's Knaresborough and also PP of St Aelred's Starbeck. He will live in the presbytery at St Aelred's.

St Wifrid. Ripon:

Canon Ian Smith is to retire from office. Fr Jonathan Hart is appointed PP of St Wilfrid's.

Deepening Our Faith with Lectio Divina:

Every Tuesday evening after the 7.00pm Mass here at St Joseph's. A way of deepening faith in the Lord, through the prayerful reading of Holy Scripture. For please e-mail more information, Val vmese@hotmail.co.uk

First Holy Communion 2024:

Communion Masses is Saturday 8th June. These conflict are now facing yet another crisis – hunger. Masses will be attendance by invitation only, because People are running out of food, water and medicine and of the size of our building - however the Masses will be many families continue to risk their lives fleeing their live-streamed on the day.

York Catholic History Day 2024:

At the Bar Convent, York on Saturday 1st June starting give/donate-to-emergencies/sudan-crisis-appeal at 10.00am. Programme and further details can be Flame 2025: found at https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/yorkcatholic-history-day-2024-saturday-1-june/

Italian Festa at St Joseph's Church:

community is organizing an afternoon of fun, food, 2025! £70 per person (including return coach travel). music, dancing, tombola and entertainment. Everyone Email youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk to book yours! is invited! The proceeds will be going to the Little The Catholic Schools Appeal Service: Sisters of the Poor in Leeds.

Leeds Diocesan Eucharistic Procession:

The annual Diocesan Eucharistic Procession will take Travel expenses can be claimed and full training will be place on Sunday 9th June 2024, 3:00pm at Hinsley Hall provided. Appeal panels consist of lay members of the (weather dependent). Barbecue and children's games community and those from an educational background. afterwards. All invited to participate including Altar The training session will be held on Thursday 16th May, servers and First Holy Communion children 1.00pm- 4.00pm, Hinsley Hall. For further information, (wheelchair/pram accessible route). Further details will please contact education.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk soon be on the Diocesan website!

Catholic Parish Summit 2024:

the Catholic Parish Summit on 12-14th June in Early Years for September 2024. Interested candidates Harrogate. Speakers include Sr. Miriam Heidland and please contact h.taylor@stanthonysleeds.org.uk for Fr James Mallon. See what's behind a growing more information. Last few places remain! We hope you movement of parishes coming to new life, and learn can join us and make a difference to our children in our how your parish can do it, too. Booking at Catholic schools across the Diocese. catholicparishsummit.com

St Joseph's Family Fun Day:

raise funds for both school and the church. It will run www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/vacancies/ from 12.00-3.00pm. The PTA would love to have details. Closing date 29th May 2024.

volunteers from the parish who will help work shifts on Following the recent announcement to all Masses, certain stalls. If there is anyone who is interested in please find below the clergy moves within our Deanery. running a stall (e.g. Plants, knitted items) or have talents to share (e.g. running an activity), please contact school admin@stjosephsharrogate.org

5 - 11th July 2024 from Leeds/Bradford Airport: The Please book with Tangney Tours T: 01732 886666 or online https://www.tangney-tours.com.

Visit www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage/ for further information. If you are interested in volunteering, (especially doctors, (GPs) and nurses) please contact: lourdes.enquiries@dioceseofleeds.org.uk. Date for your diary: Saturday 8th June Pre-departure Mass 11.30am Leeds Cathedral.

Medjugorje Youth Festival:

31st July - 7th August for further details go to: www.aglowpilgrimages.com or call Katherine on 01423 734828 for more information. All are welcome to enjoy this amazing opportunity for fun, friendship, singing and worship to come closer to Jesus.

CAFOD Sudan Crisis Appeal:

The war in Sudan has forced millions of people to flee their homes, creating one of the world's largest humanitarian crises. The situation is quickly getting The date for the celebration of the two First Holy worse, and people caught up in the middle of the homes to escape the fighting. Please donate to help meet these urgent, basic needs. https://cafod.org.uk/

The largest Catholic youth event in England and Wales. Join thousands of young people for a day of music, prayer, worship, talks from great speakers and much Sunday the 2nd of June, from 12pm to 3pm, the Italian more at Wembley Arena, London, Saturday 15th March

are recruiting panel members to hear appeals by parents for Diocesan school places. Voluntary role.

St Anthony's Primary Learning Partnership:

Leeds are recruiting for Catholic candidates for the If you want to see your parish come alive, be a part of Initial Teacher Training Course for both Primary and

Cathedral Job Vacancies:

The Parish of Mother of Unfailing Help, Leeds is A community fundraiser for both the church and school recruiting a Cathedral Parish Operations Manager (22.5 The PTA at school is hosting a Family Fun Day on hours per week) and a Parish Office Administrator (15 Sunday 7th July following the 11.00 Mass which will hours per week). The roles could be combined. Go to for