



# 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 9th June 2024**

**Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions  
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Mass (Canon Phil Fitzgerald [RIP])  
8.00am Mass (PARISH)  
11.00am Mass (Josif [Sp Int])

**Tuesday 11th June**

**St Barnabas, Apostle**

7.00pm Mass (Fennimore Family [Sp Int])

**Wednesday 12th June**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Mass (Auntie Kathleen [LD])

**Thursday 13th June**

**St Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church**

9.30am Mass (Mark Smith)

**Friday 14th June**

**Weekday in Ordinary Time**

**\*\*NB Time of Mass\*\***

11.00am Requiem Mass for Stanley Mussett

**Sunday 16th June 2024**

**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4.30pm - 5.00pm (Sat Eve) Confessions  
5.30pm (Sat Evening) Mass (Ann 'Norra' Doyle [B'day A])  
8.00am Mass (Fr S Webb [Father's Day] / PARISH)  
11.00am Mass (Georgina McCaul [A])

**Let us Pray...**

With confidence in the knowledge of God's love for us we offer up our prayers, for our needs and the needs of our world.

For Pope Francis and all in leadership the Church, that they may preach the Good News of Christ with courage, truth and compassion.

For all in positions of authority in the world, that they will always seek to govern with integrity and work towards peace, with justice.

For all who are victims of crime, that their wounds of fear may be healed and that they may regain peace of mind.

For families and communities torn apart by suspicion and recrimination, that hate may turn to love and violence to peace.

For our own parish community, that the example of our words and actions may encourage others to join us at the table of the Lord.

For the sick and the suffering, the dying and the bereaved, that they will know the loving touch of Christ in their lives.

God our Father, you hear our prayers with a love beyond all our imagining. Strengthen us with faith in that love that we may always know, and do, your will. We ask this in his name, Christ our Lord.



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: 8 / 9 June 2024

Vigil: E Durbin; P Durbin (M Flanagan; P Rochester)  
8.00am: D Bovo; A Leckenby (J Tweddle; Vacant)  
11.00am C Antram; P Fletcher (C Hudson; A Roberts)

#### Mass Next Weekend: 15 / 16 June 2024

Vigil: C Antram; V Clemerson (D Olszewski; P Durbin)  
8.00am: J Walker; D Bovo (A Hainsworth; V Burdon)  
11.00am A Player; H Fletcher (Pam Evans; Paul Evans)

### Mass Intentions Received Recently:

Paul Stackhouse (A); Auntie Kathleen (LD); Mark Smith (LD); Tolan Family Intentions; Rachel & Matthew (Sp Int); Michael Snowden (LD).

### This Weekend:

#### Collection for the Retired Priests of the Diocese:

There will be a collection for the Retired Priests of the diocese after each of this weekend's Masses. There are special envelopes in the boxes for planned giving, and there is also a button on the Dona Machine for electronic donations. This collection can be Gift Aided.

### Leeds Diocesan Eucharistic Procession:

The annual Diocesan Eucharistic Procession will take place this weekend: (Sunday 9th June), 3:00pm at Hinsley Hall (weather dependent). Barbecue and children's games afterwards. All invited to participate including Altar servers and First Holy Communion children (wheelchair/pram accessible route). Further details will soon be on the Diocesan website!

### First Holy Communion 2024:

Congratulations to our Young People who received Holy Communion for the first time this weekend - these were indeed very special Masses, and mark the beginning of a most beautiful friendship with Jesus in the Eucharist. Sincere thanks to everyone who has made these celebrations possible!

### News from Our School:

We've made a great start to the new term. Y3 and Y4 attended a Cricket festival at Harrogate Cricket Club. Y4 loved researching what life was like as a Roman Gladiator and used the information to write diary entries in English. Y2 had a fantastic time at Harlow Carr Gardens. Reception Class have been busy planting tomato plants and sunflowers in the Reception garden. KS1 had a super Sports Day. Congratulations to all of our pupils for showing great sportsmanship. We are looking forward to KS2 Sports Day on Friday 14th June.

### 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.

### Gypsy, Roma & Traveller History Month:

June is when we celebrate the heritage of the many faithful Catholic parishioners from across our Diocese who hail from these distinctive cultures! Find out more

### OFFERTORIES

1 / 2 June 2024

Weekly Offerings	£496.20
Av Weekly Standing Orders	£780.68
Total	£1276.88

### 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*

from our Diocesan website and from <https://www.leedsgate.co.uk/gypsy-roma-traveller-history-month>

### Growing Old Grace-Fully Online Sessions:

Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Grace-fully's next online session is 'Reconciling With Our Past', Wednesday 12th June, 2:30pm with Pippa Bonner and Cath Mahoney. To attend email [growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

### Catholic Parish Summit 2024:

If you want to see your parish come alive, be a part of the Catholic Parish Summit on 12-14th June in Harrogate. Speakers include Sr. Miriam Heidland and Fr James Mallon. See what's behind a growing movement of parishes coming to new life, and learn how your parish can do it, too. Booking at [catholicparishsummit.com](http://catholicparishsummit.com)

### Songs and Scones:

2.30pm on Saturday 15th June at St Peter's Church in Harrogate town centre. Light music followed by scones, cakes and teas. £10 tickets on door

### Novena to Our Lady of Unfailing Help:

The annual Novena to Our Lady of Unfailing Help, the Principal Patron of the Diocese, takes place from 18th to 26th June 2024 at Leeds Cathedral, Cookridge Street, Leeds LS2 6BE. Monday to Friday 6.15pm; Saturdays and Sundays 5.00pm.

### Eucharistic Healing Service:

The Parish of Our Lady of Kirkstall invites you to a Healing Service. This is a beautiful opportunity to pray for healing for yourself or others, whether physical, psychological, or spiritual. Remember Jesus is alive, and miracles can and do happen! Everyone is welcome, including non-Catholics and those of no faith - all that is needed is an openness to Jesus. Tuesday 18th June, 7pm, St Mary's, Horsforth.

### Nazareth Family Ministries Summer Picnic:

Sunday 30th June, 12noon-4pm, St Mary & Monica's Catholic Church, Bingley BD16 1SA. You're invited to the next Nazareth Family Ministries Summer Picnic. Bring a picnic and gather with other Catholic families for fun, friendship, cake, age-specific talks, and Eucharistic Adoration. Register here: [www.linktr.ee/nazarethfamilyministries](http://www.linktr.ee/nazarethfamilyministries)

### St Joseph's Family Fun Day:

The PTA at school is hosting a Family Fun Day on Sunday 7th July following the 11.00 Mass which will raise funds for both school and the church. It will run from 12.00-3.00pm. The PTA would love to have volunteers from the parish who will help work shifts on certain stalls. If there is anyone who is interested in running a stall (e.g. Plants, knitted items) or have talents to share (e.g. running an activity), please contact school admin@stjosephsharrogate.org

### Leeds Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage:

5 - 11th July 2024 from Leeds/Bradford Airport: The theme is 'and that people should come in Procession'. Please book with Tangney Tours T: 01732 886666 or online <https://www.tangney-tours.com>. Date for your diary: Saturday 8th June Pre-departure Mass 11.30am Leeds Cathedral.

### Fountains Abbey Mass:

Mass for the Feast of St Benedict, Thursday 11th July, 12noon. All welcome.

### Centenary of the Dedication of the Cathedral:

On Thursday 18th 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.

### Safeguarding Survey:

The Diocese of Leeds Safeguarding and the Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) would like to hear your views on current Safeguarding practice and processes in our Diocese! The Survey is very short - just two questions - and it's anonymous, unless you choose to provide details. Please take a few minutes to share your thoughts before 15th July 2024. Survey and more information available at <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/safeguarding-in-the-diocese-of-leeds-please-tell-us-how-were-doing/>

### 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. People are running out of food, water and medicine and many families continue to risk their lives fleeing their homes to escape the fighting. Please donate to help meet these urgent, basic needs. <https://cafod.org.uk/give/donate-to-emergencies/sudan-crisis-appeal>

### Catholic Care Vacancy:

Senior Support Worker £24,702 - £25,979 pro rata (dependent on qualifications and experience) Location: Westhaven Care Home, Dewsbury. Post: Full time Shift patterns to include weekends and bank holidays. Sleep - in allowance payable. For further details and how to apply please visit <http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/> or telephone 0113 3885400 to request an application form.

### Catholic Care Vacancy:

Support Worker, Leeds £23,151 - £24,294 pro rata (based on qualifications and experience) 30 hours (possible 37) shifts patterns to include weekends and bank holidays) with sleep-in allowance Closing Date: Until position filled For further details and how to apply please visit <http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/> or telephone 0113 3885400 to request an application form.

### St Anthony's Primary Learning Partnership:

Leeds are recruiting for Catholic candidates for the Initial Teacher Training Course for both Primary and Early Years for September 2024. Interested candidates please contact [h.taylor@stanthonysleeds.org.uk](mailto:h.taylor@stanthonysleeds.org.uk) for more information. Last few places remain! We hope you can join us and make a difference to our children in our Catholic schools across the Diocese.

### Meditations form the Briery:

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](mailto:admin@briery.org.uk) or call 01943 607287.