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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY) 7th APRIL 2024

Introductory Rite p.7; Scripture Readings p.256; Creed & Rite of Offering p.11; Communion Rite p.43.

WELCOME to any visitors and new parishioners.

Holy Name Church is open for private prayers every day from 9.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Saturday. To enter the Church during this time, use the side door.

St Mary's Church side door will remain open on Sunday after 8.15am Mass till the end of 11am Mass. **CONFESSIONS** Priests are available any time for the

sacrament but specifically: Saturday mornings at 10.30-11am at SM & HN or at

the church where Mass is being said. Saturday evening 5.30pm-6pm & Tuesday evenings 6.30-6.50pm at Holy Name.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and simple Benediction takes place for one hour before each weekday Mass at all our churches.

NB: Exposition will only be if Mass (said by one of our priests) is taking place in that church. ROSARY At Holy Name following the 9.30am Monday Mass and at St Mary's from 9am prior to the 9.30am Wednesday Mass. All welcome.

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OLK COFFEE MORNINGS

Every Sunday in Holy Name Hall after the 9am Mass, Assumption Hall the 9.45am Mass, St Mary's narthex after 8.15am & 11am.

PRAYER LIST Please pray for: Chris Burford, Ann & Peter Lomas. If you would like your name adding to this prayer list, please contact the parish office. **NB:** The request must have consent from the individual (or next of kin) to meet GDPR.

LATELY DEAD

Mary Deery whose requiem will be on Tuesday 9th April at 11.45am in Holy Name Church.

Catherine Ramsey whose requiem will be on Thursday 18th April at 1pm in St Mary's Church.

May they rest in the peace of Christ.

OFFERINGS

The offertory totals will be given next week.

OLK OFFICE

Amanda will be away from the office from Tues 2^{nd} until Tuesday 9^{th} April. However, Laveena will be working her usual hours.

SUNDAY MASSES

6.30pm Holy Name Richard Cavadino

St. Mary's 8.15am Lillian Keegan Holy Name 9.00am Kazimierz Bloch

Assumption 9.45am Winnie & Gerard Nicholson

St Mary's 11.00am Bernard Grubb Holy Name 11.15am Don Ross

MON 8th *The Annunciation of the Lord*

9.30am Holy Name Argentina & Stanley Howard

TUES 9th

9.30am *St Mary's* Paul O'Keane

11.45am Holy Name Requiem Mary Deery

7.00pm Holy Name No Mass

WED 10th

9.30am St Mary's John Burns-Sweeney

THURS 11th St Stanislaus,

Noon *Holy Name* Bill Smith

FRI 12th

9.30am *Holy Name* Dorothy Saville

SAT 13th

10.00am *Holy Name* Int Pauline Mills 10.00am *St Mary's* Mary Farrell

11.30am Holy Name Baptism Freya Casson

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND:

6.30pm (HN): Evelyn Holmes 8.15am (SM): William Kennedy 9.00am (HN): Ann McNamara 9.45 (A): People of Parish 11.00am (SM): Int Natalie Morena & family 11.15am (HN): Dorothy Bedford

NB: There are changes to Masses and times this week as Fr Michael is away on Pilgrimage.

MASS TIMES CHANGES

As announced at the Masses last weekend, the slightly adjusted plans for the new times of Sunday Masses are as follows:

Saturday

5.30pm Vigil (HN)

Sunday

8.15am (SM)

9.30am (A)

10am (HN)

11.15am (SM)

Those who attend the 11am Mass at St Mary's are welcome to feedback to Fr Michael or Fr Marc up until 12th April. The plan is then to confirm any changes on the weekend 13th/14th April and bring them into effect on Pentecost Sunday 19th May. I realise that these changes will not be universally popular but I'm grateful to the vast majority of parishioners who have taken their time to feedback in a constructive and charitable way. Thank you!

CAR PARKING AT ST MARY'S

Due to roofing works being carried out to school, from the **2**nd **April** side door of church will not be accessible directly from the car park. Anyone with mobility issues can be dropped off outside of the main doors.

SM LADIES GROUP

Next meeting to be held on **Wednesday**, **10**th **April** at 2pm in Sacristy.

HANDMAIDS WOMEN'S GROUP:

Join the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal for Adoration, Music, Rosary, opportunity for Sacrament of Reconciliation & refreshments. **12**th **April**, 7-8:30pm. Corpus Christi Church, Neville Road, Leeds.

DISCIPLESHIP-DAYS:

The Franciscan Friars of Renewal will be holding monthly Discipleship Days at St Patrick's Church, Bradford, including Rosary, Holy Mass, Confessions, & Eucharistic adoration along with talks on Franciscans spirituality. 2024 marks 800 years since St Francis received the stigmata & the arrival of first Franciscans in England. 13th April, 11.45am-4.30pm.

CUPERTINO GROUP MASSES:

Next mass: **14th April**, 3pm. St Joseph's Catholic church, West Gate, Wetherby, LS226LL.Contact number: Fr Frank-07850076926 Rosie-07891951949. These monthly Masses are for children with additional needs & disabilities.

RED MISSION BOXES

Holy Name raised £431 in the last 6-month period, with another approximately £100 added as Gift Aid. Thank you to everyone who contributed.

APPEAL FOR ITEMS FOR MEN SEEKING ASYLUM

Thank you to all those who continue to bring clothes Holy Name office. New men are arriving all the time at the local hotel with nothing but the clothes they are wearing. We need men's clothing of all types, in small or medium sizes; t-shirts, tops, trainer sock and trainers but also football boots (many play football every day as one of the few things they can do for free). Other footwear such as sliders/flipflops, walking boots. Backpacks or small cases. Thank you for your help.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A YOUTH MINISTRY LEADER IN THE LAKE DISTRICT? Castlerigg Manor (Diocese of Lancaster Retreat Centre) are looking for a Programme Leader to join their youth ministry team. The work involves working on retreats in the heart of the Lake District, and

occasionally working on outreach visits around the area. The post is residential and comes with a salary package in the range of £26-28k, made up of paid salary, accommodation, food etc. Would suit somebody with youth ministry experience perhaps recently graduated. Interested? Email:

jack@castleriggmanor.co.uk

EASTER SUNG VESPERS (EVENING PRAYER)

Solemn Celebration with Latin Benediction, **Sunday 7th April**, (Divine Mercy Sunday), 4.30pm, St Mary's Church, Batley. All are welcome to come and join us for this special service. Feel free to invite friends and neighbours, Catholics and non-Catholics are all welcome and can take a full part in the service.

LEEDS PEOPLE FOR LIFE

Pro-Life pilgrimage to Walsingham **Monday 8th April** 2024. Please join us on Pilgrimage to Walsingham on the Feast of the Annunciation. Pick-up points in Bradford and Leeds. To book your place or for further details, please contact Kate on 07505 76 74 15. Many thanks.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIED LIFE

On **Saturday 18th May,** there will be a special Celebration Mass for Married Life at Leeds Cathedral at 12noon for couples and their families celebrating their 25th (Silver), 40th (Ruby), 50th (Golden), 60th (Diamond) and 70th (Platinum) wedding anniversaries this year. There will be an opportunity for couples, who wish to do so, to renew their marriage vows during

the liturgy. If you are celebrating the anniversary of your wedding and you would like to take part in this celebration, please fill out the application form which is available at the back of church.

EXHIBITION OF THE HOLY SHROUD OF TURIN REPLICA We have been able to organise for the full-size copy of the world-famous Shroud of Turin that was recently on display at Leeds Cathedral to be exhibited in Holy Name Hall. It will be on display from week commencing **Mon 13**th **May**. More information to follow.

DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

5-11th **July 2024** from Leeds/Bradford Airport: The theme is 'and that people should come in Procession'. Booking now open and places are filling up. Please book with Tangney Tours T: 01732 886666 or online: https://www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-

pilgrimages/diocese-leeds/. Further information is available at https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage/. If you are interested in volunteering, (especially appealing for doctors, particularly GPs and nurses) please contact:

lourdes.enquiries@dioceseofleeds.org.uk.

Dates for your diary: Sunday 14th **April** Meet the pilgrims, Hinsley Hall, 2-4pm. **Saturday 8th June** Predeparture Mass 11:30am Leeds Cathedral.

POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY INTENTION - APRIL

For the role of women - Let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognized in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world.