

PARISH OF OUR LADY OF KIRKSTALL

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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8th SEPTEMBER 2019

Introductory Rite p.7; *Scripture Readings*, Sunday p.133; *Creed & Rite of Offering* p.11; *Communion Rite* p.56.

WELCOME to any visitors and new parishioners.

CONFESSIONS Priests are available any time for the sacrament but specifically: Saturday mornings, at both SM and HN 10.30-11am.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and simple Benediction for one hour before morning Mass at Holy Name on Mon and Fridays, Assumption on Tuesdays and Thursdays and at St Mary's on a Saturday.

MORNING PRAYER Thursdays 9.10am Assumption, Saturdays 9.35am St. Mary's.

ROSARY The Rosary is said every Monday morning after 9.30am Mass in Holy Name church, then before the Mass (i.e. from 9.00am) every Wednesday and Friday morning at St Mary's.

SICK LIST

Please pray for all parishioners affected by illness.

LATELY DEAD

Sheila Nelson, whose Requiem will be at Assumption, 11.30am on Friday 13th; Geoff Holmes, whose Requiem will be at Holy Name, 1pm on Mon 16th; also Peggy Tate, Peggy's body will be received in to the Assumption church at 3pm on 19th September for her requiem at 11am on the 20th Sept.

May they rest in the peace of Christ.

BAPTISM We welcome and pray for the XXXX and XXXX families whose children will be Baptised in our parish this weekend.

OFFERTORY

Thank you for last weeks' collection: £1474.26

Standing Orders for July: £ 5433.32

XXXX-XXXX TRUST

Fr. Boniface, his family and the trustees of The XXXX/XXXX trust are very grateful to the parishioners of Our Lady of Kirkstall for their generous response to the recent appeal, £2,535.07 was raised towards XXXX and XXXX's education costs. Thank you for your continuing support.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday 25th September** at Holy Name. If you have anything for the agenda please pass it to the parish offices or

SUNDAY MASSES

(Saturday Vigil)

Holy Name 6.30pm Intentions XXXX XXX

St. Mary's 8.15am Int. XXXX family

Holy Name 9.00am Helena Laverty

Assumption 9.45am People of Parish

St Mary's 11.00am Irene Haddock

Holy Name 11.15am James Larkin

MON 9th

9.30am Holy Name Matthew Mulkeen

9.30am St Mary's Eucharistic Service

TUES 10th

9.30am Holy Name Int. XXXX XXXX

7.00pm Assumption Michael Smith

WED 11th

9.30am St Mary's An end to abortions and for the healing of wounds caused

THURS 12th

9.30am Assumption Mary Elmes

Noon Holy Name Intentions XXXX XXX

FRI 13th St John Chrysostom

9.30am Holy Name Intentions XXXX

9.30am St Mary's Eucharistic Service

11.30am Assumption Requiem Sheila Nelson

SAT 14th The Exaltation of the Cross

10.00am St Mary's Private Intention

10.00am Holy Name NO MASS

MASSES WEEKEND:

6.30pm (HN): Int. XXXX & XXXX XXXX 8.15am (SM): John

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9.45 (A): Intentions XX XXX 11.00am (SM): Int. XXXX

XXXX & family 11.15am (HN): John Greenwood

email XXXX

200 CLUB

Can all members please collect their envelopes for the next session. Thank you.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC

An RCIA course will commence in the parish in November for those wishing to become Catholics, or to inquire into the Catholic Faith. Please supply full name and contact details to the church Secretaries as soon as possible.

ALTAR SERVERS

In order to keep our records up to date, could all servers please fill in the lists in each Sacristy, indicating how long they have been serving and whether or not they are enrolled in the Guild of St Stephen.

BAPTISM PREPARATION (HN & A)

The next short (3 week) course for parents wishing to have their children baptised begins on 6th October, running for 1hr after the 9am Mass. There is just one place left on this course, but we hope to run another in November/December at Assumption Church. To book a place on either, contact Su in HN office.

ENGLISH TUTOR

A family in the parish who have relocated from Italy would like someone to help their daughter (year 4 primary) with some English tuition. If you can help please contact Amanda in the SM office for more information.

ST GEMMA'S BOXES AUTUMN COLLECTION.

Please could collectors take their cards from the church porch as the Autumn collection is now due. Thank you, any queries to Veronica Ross (tel 2672617).

READERS NEEDED

We are in need of people to join the reading rota particularly the 11.15 at Holy Name and the 8.15am at St Mary's. Young people over the age of 13 are especially encouraged to offer their services! Please contact the parish offices if you can help. You can initially be paired with a more experienced reader if you're nervous.

OFFICE VOLUNTEER NEEDED BY THE J&P COMMISSION

The Justice & Peace Commission are based at Hinsley Hall in Headingley. We need some volunteer support to help keep on top of our administration - mainly updating our contact lists and helping to organise and maintain our library of books, pamphlets & other materials. It requires a commitment of about half a day a month - the days and times could be flexible.

CATHOLIC MARRIAGE CARE

Marriage Care is looking for volunteer facilitators to offer the course in the diocese. It involves presenting material to up to 9 couples with a co facilitator then exercises and discussion. Training is provided- a weekend course and a day then a commitment of up to 4 Saturdays a year thereafter. For further information go to: marriagecare.org.uk then 'Get Involved.'

FAIR TRADE TABLE

will be in St Mary's narthex this **Sunday, 8th September.**

FAITH & LIGHT GROUP

Welcome to all members, the next group meeting will be today **Sunday 8th September** following the 11.15am Mass in Holy Name Hall.

ST MARYS LADIES GROUP

next meeting to be held in the Sacristy on **Wednesday, 11 September** at 7.30pm. There will be a visit by XXXX XXXX, Community Champion at Morrisons Horsforth who will talk about the work they do in the community. Any parishioners who would like to attend will be very welcome.

In addition, the Ladies Group fundraising coffee morning will be held over till **Sunday, 22 September** - in aid of CLIC Sargent which helps young cancer patients.

HORSFORTH CHURCHES TOGETHER

September Meeting will be in Cragg Baptist Church at 7.30pm on **Wed 11th Sept.** All welcome.

OLK PARISH SERVICE OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK WITH HOLY COMMUNION Sunday 22nd September at the Assumption Church at 3pm followed by afternoon tea. Transport can be provided. ***Please give names and details to parish offices if you would like to attend and if you require transport.***

SYCAMORE PROGRAMME Sycamore is an informal course about the Christian faith and its relevance for life today. It gives you space to meet other people, share ideas, explore your beliefs, and think about questions that really matter: How can we find happiness? Is there a God? Does prayer make a difference? Each Sycamore session starts with a simple meal followed by a short film and some time for discussion. There's no pressure and no commitment; but there will be friendly conversation, a sense of community and delicious food! Everyone is welcome. Sessions will run at St Joseph's Church Hall, 20 Westgate, Wetherby LS22 6LL on Thursday evenings at 6.45pm - 8.15pm, from 26th September to 5th December. For more information, see www.sycamore.fm or contact:

office.stjoseph.wetherby@dioceseofleeds.org.uk if you plan on coming.

OLK FAMILY MASS

Sat 12th Oct at St Mary's (Primary) School. Primarily for families with babies/young children Baptised in the parish over the last three years but ***all families who attend any of our 3 churches are very welcome.*** Simple activities will be provided for the youngsters **from 3.15pm** as preparation for Mass to be celebrated at 4.00pm, and a simple tea will be shared after Mass is over, all to conclude by 5.00pm. ***This Mass fulfils the Sunday Obligation.*** Please reply to smoffice.ourladyofkirkstall@dioceseofleeds.org.uk if you wish to attend.

VACANCY

Growing Old Grace-fully is looking for an energetic self-starter to work on a freelance basis supporting the development of our project, started 10 years ago, working with older people across the Diocese of Leeds. The project has funding for a part-time role, working 14 hours per week (or monthly equivalent) at £18 per hour plus travel expense. We have funding initially for a one year contract. The closing date is 30th September 2019. Interviews will be held on Friday 25th October 2019. To send for an application pack please e mail growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk