

# Sacred Heart & St. Patrick

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## TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

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<b>SATURDAY</b> 17 Sep	5-30pm	<b>NO VIGIL MASS WALSINGHAM</b>	Beverly Sice [A]
<b>Sunday</b> 18 Sep	11-00am	<b>TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	Doreen Maron [A]
Mon 19 Sep	Private Mass	St Januarius, Bishop and Martyr	
<b>Tues</b> 20 Sep	09-30am	<b>Ss Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs</b>	<b>Mike Selway [R]</b>
WED 21 Sep	-	ST MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST	
<b>THUR</b> 22 Sep	7-30pm	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>For Naidu family</b>
<b>Friday</b> 23 Sep	09-30am	<b>St Pius of Pietrelcina</b>	<b>Kathleen Larkin [A]</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b> 24 Sep	5-30pm	VIGIL	Bill Lavene [LD]
<b>SUNDAY</b> 25 Sep	11-00am	<b>TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	November Dead List 2022

**Tea & Coffee after Sunday Mass today (From 11.45 - 12.45)**

**PARISH GIVING OFFERTORY BANKED 7 September 2022 £1216.78** Grateful thanks.

**STANDING ORDERS** monthly benefit to the parish **£1250**.

### **STATE FUNERAL OF QUEEN ELIZABETH II – MONDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 2022**

The funeral will take place at 11am at Westminster Abbey at the end of an official 10-day period of mourning. There will be a national two-minute silence held at midday on the day of the funeral, and after the service the Queen's coffin will be taken to St George's Chapel at Windsor Castle for a televised committal service. Later that evening, there will be a private service with senior members of the royal family. The Queen will then be laid to rest at St. George's Chapel, which is also the resting place of her parents, her sister Princess Margaret and her beloved Prince Philip.

We pray for His Majesty the King, as he assumes his new office even as he mourns his mother.  
God save the King.

**RUSHBEARING FESTIVAL** Thanks to everyone who supported the festival and made it a success. See below what we made.

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2022</b>
Bar Profit	£237.00	£218.64	£103.10 (final result in Oct)
SVP - Raised	£133.60	£167.50	£155.00
Ladies Group	£557.00	£700.01	£500.00+

**SVP** - the tombola stall at the Rush Bearing Festival raised **£155** for our good causes. Many thanks to everyone for their donations and support. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

**INCLUSIVE MASS** 4pm on Saturday 01 October 2022, Christ the King Church, Kings Approach, Bramley, Leeds LS13 2DX Celebrant: Rt Rev Marcus Stock, Bishop of Leeds | Parking available in the school carpark opposite. Refreshments afterwards in the church hall. All welcome. Let's celebrate everyone's gifts!

**MASS ATTENDANCE FOR FIRST EIGHT MONTHS OF 2022** Over 5949 people attended Mass

**UNIVERSE CATHOLIC WEEKLY** online newspaper FREE trial supply by calling Michelle on 0743 661 7650

**ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR** In September & October this year, the relics of St Bernadette will journey in pilgrimage to England for the first time. They will be in Leeds Cathedral from 6.30pm on Monday 03 Oct till 5.00pm on Tuesday 04 Oct. More will be announced in due course, see: [www.stbernadette.org.uk](http://www.stbernadette.org.uk)

**LEEDS PEOPLE FOR LIFE** Pilgrimage to Carfin Grotto, National Shrine to Our Lady of Lourdes in Scotland. The Grotto is celebrating its Centenary this year. Pilgrimage from Friday 30 September – Saturday 01 October 2022. Pilgrim Mass at 1pm on Friday followed by veneration of the Relics of St. Bernadette. Torchlight procession in the evening. Overnight stay with tour of the Grotto and celebration of Holy Mass on Feast Day of St. Teresa of Lisieux on Saturday 01 October 2022. Carfin Grotto houses one of the world's largest collection of relics outside the Vatican. Please contact Kate on 07505 76 74 15 for more details or to book a place on the Pilgrimage.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** If you would like a Mass offering for a particular intention or for the repose of the soul of a loved one, please put your offering in an envelope and write the name of the intention, the date requested and your contact details & pop it into the collection box in the church porch or through the presbytery letterbox. You may like to consider also becoming a benefactor to the **Yorkshire Brethren Society**, which supports priests in Yorkshire who retire or fall sick. Membership is at least £50, and each benefactor will have five Masses offered for them during life or after death, as requested, and share in the 130 Masses offered by the priest members every month. Please consider a legacy or a donation to the society. Apply for membership to: Fr Craig Elliott, Yorkshire Brethren Society, 34 Armthorpe Road, Intake, Doncaster DN2 5SF or email [yorkshirebrethren@gmail.com](mailto:yorkshirebrethren@gmail.com)

## SCHOOL VACANCIES

- Cardinal Heenan, Non-teaching assistant head of year, Closing date: 19 September 2022. Poster attached.
- Cardinal Heenan, Teaching assistant, Closing date: 19 September 2022. Poster attached.
- Head of School at St Joseph's Catholic Primary School in Moorthorpe. More info: [bkcat.co.uk/vacancies](http://bkcat.co.uk/vacancies)
- Deputy Headteacher at St John the Baptist Catholic Primary School in Normanton. More info: [bkcat.co.uk/vacancies](http://bkcat.co.uk/vacancies)
- Deputy Headteacher at St Austin's Catholic Primary School in Wakefield. More info: [bkcat.co.uk/vacancies](http://bkcat.co.uk/vacancies)
- Corpus Christ Catholic College - Vice Principal. Permanent, Full-Time - to commence January 2023. To request a recruitment pack and application form, please email [recruitment@corpusleeds.org](mailto:recruitment@corpusleeds.org). Closing Date: Monday 10 October, 9am. Poster attached.

**DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR EDUCATION VACANCY:** Fulltime, Permanent, Salary £55k - £70k dependent upon skills, experience and expertise. Start: January 2023 or earlier if possible. For an informal and totally confidential discussion about the role before making an application, please contact the Director of Education, Mr Kieron Flood on 07860773400 or Canon Tim Swinglehurst on 01132618040. Recruitment packs including application forms are available by emailing [evangelisation.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:evangelisation.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk). Closing Date: 12pm Monday 19 September 2022. Interviews: Tuesday 27 September 2022. Further information attached.

## LIFE TRANSFIGURED TALKS

**Tuesday, 20 September 2022** Art and God (Patrick van der Vorst) 7-00pm -8-00pm, Hinsley Hall, Leeds. Former director of Sotheby's London and previous winner of BBC's Dragon Den, Patrick is an art expert and entrepreneur. Now training for the priesthood, Patrick has kindly offered to talk to us about Art illuminating our encounter with God and his web-based project which uses art to reflect on the daily Gospel readings. Please email [lifetransfigured@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:lifetransfigured@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to book place.

**Holy Sacrament of Baptism** A date and time for your child's Baptism can be provisionally given once you have completed the parish form and established a relationship with the parish. The choice of godparents is important. A godparent is a role model for your child by living a fully Christian life, there are usually two godparents. Godparents must be at least 16yrs of age, practising Catholics and should have received the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. Parents are responsible for instructing and forming their children in both the teaching and practice of the Catholic faith. Although Catholic schools exist to help parents in this regard, they are not a substitute for it. The best instruction that you can give your child is through commitment to the Mass. As you make this request for your child, it should also be a reality in your own life. If after reading this information you feel ready to present your child to the Church for Baptism please see Fr Larkin after Mass for Pre-Baptism form.

**PAKISTAN FLOODS APPEAL** Devastating floods have hit Pakistan, leaving millions in urgent need of help to survive. A third of the country is now underwater (that's an area almost the size of Great Britain). Your donation will help CAFOD's local partners support communities with clean drinking water, food, emergency medical assistance and shelter. Please pray for those affected and donate now at [www.cafod.org.uk/give](http://www.cafod.org.uk/give)

**FLAME** The largest Catholic youth event in England and Wales is back – Saturday 4 March 2023. 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.

**LEEDS CATHOLIC CARE VACANCIES:** Vacancies across the Diocese, Family Support Worker – Bradford; Deputy Manager – Children and Young Peoples Services – Leeds; Senior Support Workers in adult care – Brighouse, Dewsbury, Skipton, Bingley; Care Bank Support Workers urgently required in adult care and for Children and young people – Skipton, Leeds; Support Worker to the Catholic Deaf Community; Development Worker – Community Groups Older People; School Social Worker – across West and parts of North Yorkshire; Outreach Support Workers in adult care – Dewsbury, Leeds, Skipton, Bingley & Sutton In Craven; Residential Child Care Workers – Leeds; Waking Night Support Workers in adult care. 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.

### **CATENIANS: FRIENDSHIP IN FAITH**

The next monthly meeting of the Huddersfield Circle of the Catenians will be their Annual Yorkshire meet on Tuesday 20 September from 7.30 pm at Meltham Golf Club when it is expected that around 50 members and wives will sit down to a three-course meal followed by entertaining speakers for Yorkshire and Lancashire and a little singing. Any men interested to learn more about the Association can call Membership Officer Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042.

### **Sunday 25 September**

Catenians: Members of the Huddersfield Circle will travel to Bradford on Monday 3 October for the beginning of the annual Rex Kirk quiz competition hoping to progress to the next knockout round. Are you a quiz whizz? Any men who wish to learn more about the Association should visit [www.thecatenians.com](http://www.thecatenians.com)

### **Sunday 02 October**

Catenians: Next Friday 07 October will be the start of a weekend away for some of the Catenians as they spend a couple of nights visiting Lincoln with their wives. [www.thecatenians.com](http://www.thecatenians.com) is the internet address to learn more about the Association.

### **Sunday 16 October**

Tuesday evening 18 October will be this month's meeting of the Catenians at Meltham Golf Club starting at 7.30 pm followed by a 2 course meal. Men interested in learning more about the Catenians can speak to the Membership Officer Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042.

### **Sunday 30 October**

Catenian Annual Dinner: After the success at Healds Hall Liversedge last year, the Huddersfield Catenians will be returning again on Saturday 12 November in their best bibs and tuckers with wives and partners for what is sure to be an enjoyable social evening. This may be an opportunity for any men thinking of widening their social engagements to join for the evening. Call Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042 if this sounds interesting to you.

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.

Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

**FIRST READING** Amos 8:4-7

A reading from the prophet Amos

Listen to this, you who trample on the needy  
and try to suppress the poor people of the country,  
you who say, 'When will New Moon be over  
so that we can sell our corn,  
and sabbath, so that we can market our wheat?  
Then by lowering the bushel, raising the shekel,  
by swindling and tampering with the scales,  
we can buy up the poor for money,  
and the needy for a pair of sandals,  
and get a price even for the sweepings of the wheat.'  
The Lord swears it by the pride of Jacob,  
'Never will I forget a single thing you have done.'

The word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

**PSALM** Psalm 112(113):1-2,4-8

**RESPONSE: Praise the Lord, who raises the poor**

Praise, O servants of the Lord,  
praise the name of the Lord!  
May the name of the Lord be blessed  
both now and for evermore! **R.**

High above all nations is the Lord,  
above the heavens his glory.  
Who is like the Lord, our God,  
who has risen on high to his throne  
yet stoops from the heights to look down,  
to look down upon heaven and earth? **R.**  
From the dust he lifts up the lowly,  
from the dungheap he raises the poor  
to set him in the company of princes,  
yes, with the princes of his people. **R.**

**SECOND READING** 1 Timothy 2:1-8

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Timothy

My advice is that, first of all, there should be prayers offered for everyone – petitions, intercessions and thanksgiving – and especially for kings and others in authority, so that we may be able to live religious and

reverent lives in peace and quiet. To do this is right, and will please God our saviour: he wants everyone to be saved and reach full knowledge of the truth. For there is only one God, and there is only one mediator between God and mankind, himself a man, Christ Jesus, who sacrificed himself as a ransom for them all. He is the evidence of this, sent at the appointed time, and I have been named a herald and apostle of it and – I am telling the truth and no lie – a teacher of the faith and the truth to the pagans.

In every place, then, I want the men to lift their hands up reverently in prayer, with no anger or argument.

The word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Open our heart, O Lord,**

**to accept the words of your Son.**

**Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL** Luke 16:1-13

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'There was a rich man and he had a steward denounced to him for being wasteful with his property. He called for the man and said, "What is this I hear about you? Draw me up an account of your stewardship because you are not to be my steward any longer." Then the steward said to himself, "Now that my master is taking the stewardship from me, what am I to do? Dig? I am not strong enough. Go begging? I should be too ashamed. Ah, I know what I will do to make sure that when I am dismissed from office there will be some to welcome me into their homes."

Then he called his master's debtors one by one. To the first he said, "How much do you owe my master?" "One hundred measures of oil" was the reply. The steward said, "Here, take your bond; sit down straight away and write fifty." To another he said, "And you, sir, how much do you owe?" "One hundred measures of wheat" was the reply. The steward said, "Here, take your bond and write eighty."

'The master praised the dishonest steward for his astuteness. For the children of this world are more astute in dealing with their own kind than are the children of light.

'And so I tell you this: use money, tainted as it is, to win you friends, and thus make sure that when it fails you, they will welcome you into the tents of eternity. The man who can be trusted in little things can be trusted in great; the man who is dishonest in little things will be dishonest in great. If then you cannot be trusted with money, that tainted thing, who will trust you with genuine riches? And if you cannot be trusted with what is not yours, who will give you what is your very own?

'No servant can be the slave of two masters: he will either hate the first and love the second, or treat the first with respect and the second with scorn. You cannot be the slave both of God and of money.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

***Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.***

## **PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER POPE FRANCIS FOR SEPTEMBER 2022**

Please remember in your prayers the following intention:

For the abolition of the death penalty

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

### **For the happy repose of HM The Queen**

Almighty God, You are the author and sustainer of all human life;  
grant that your servant, Elizabeth our Queen,  
whom you granted a long and happy reign as Monarch of these lands  
may be forgiven her sins and rewarded with that eternal life  
promised to all those born again  
in the water of baptism and power of your Spirit.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit  
God, forever and ever, Amen.

Eternal rest, grant to her O Lord,  
And let Perpetual light shine upon her.  
May she rest in peace. Amen.  
May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed,  
Through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

We pray for all women going through unexpected pregnancies, that they would experience peace and support in this circumstance, and recognise the many blessings that motherhood brings. Lord hear us

We pray for peace in Ukraine, for all those affected by Covid-19; and all who are sick Mike Selway; for all who have died recently, especially Queen Elizabeth II and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

We pray for Mike Selway. Lord hear us

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