

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA



2017 marks the centenary of the apparition of Our Lady to three children, Jacinta, Lucia and Francisco in May 1917 in Fatima-Portugal. His Holiness Pope Francis has cordially imparted his Apostolic Blessing to the World Apostolate of Fatima in England and Wales and to all those persons who participate in the organised celebrations in the Cathedrals and Churches gathered around the National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima. (16 December 2016).

The Pilgrim Virgin statue of Our Lady that was blessed at Fatima by (Blessed) Pope Paul VI on 13<sup>th</sup> May 1967 – the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Our Lady's apparitions – and given to the World Apostolate of Fatima of England and Wales by the Bishop of Fatima in 1968 will be at Leeds Cathedral in Leeds on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017**.

The **Programme** for the day will be as follows:

- 10.30am A talk about the World Apostolate of Fatima of England and Wales at Wheeler Hall
- 12.00noon Procession with the Statue of Our Lady inside Leeds Cathedral  
Mass  
Veneration of the Relics of recently canonised St. Jacinta and St. Francisco
- 2.00pm Film at Wheeler Hall about the Apparition of Our Lady at Fatima
- 3.00pm Rosary, Adoration and Benediction  
Installation of new members with the Brown Scapular

Conclusion of the day as part of the 6.00pm Vigil Mass at the Cathedral

Confessions will be available at the usual times: 10.30-11.45am and 4.30-5.30pm. Light refreshments will be available at Wheeler Hall. Please bring a packed lunch if intending to stay for most of the day.

**All are welcome.**

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