



Sunday 24th March 2024
Palm Sunday
The Beginning of Holy Week



Intention – Devotions and special services are in *italics*

Saturday 23rd	SJ	5pm	Peter Bullock (LD)	Vigil Mass
Sunday 24th	SJ OLL	9am 10:30am	People of the Parish Brian Cunningham (A)	Palm Sunday
Monday 25th		No Mass		Monday of Holy Week
Tuesday 26th	OLL	9:30am	Winston Williams (BR)	Tuesday of Holy Week
Wednesday 27th			Diocesan Chrism Mass is at Leeds Cathedral at 11am	Wednesday of Holy Week
Thursday 28th	SJ	10am 7pm	<i>Syro Malabar Liturgy</i> Joan Lund (A)	Holy Thursday
Friday 29th	SJ SJ OLL	10am 3pm 6:30pm	<i>Syro Malabar Liturgy</i> <i>The Passion of Our Lord</i> <i>Stations of the Cross Service</i>	Good Friday
Saturday 30th	SJ	4pm 7pm	<i>Syro Malabar Liturgy</i> Albert Ickringill (A)	Holy Saturday
				The Easter Vigil

Weekly Offertory Standing Orders: £609.39 Envelopes: £395.00 Cash and Card: £486.45 <u>Coffee Morning: £33.55</u> Total: £1,524.39 <i>Thank you for your generosity!</i>	Mass Intentions Received: Anton Murray (A), Anna Kofler (90 th Birthday), Special Intention, Annie Cruse (BR), Eddie Addyman (A)	Confession: Saturday mornings from 11:15 to 11:45 and Saturday afternoons from 4:15pm before the Vigil Mass.
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Please pray for those on our Parish prayer list: Peter Connor, Abby Carter, Sarah Howell, Catrina Farnell, Sheila Scott, Luke Yates, Kathryn Inman (Allen), Maria Andrews, Josie Butler, Betty Emmett, Mary Connolly, Matthew Goulden, Rita Watson, Chris Brady, Paula Williams, Emma Harling, Maureen Jones (Cannon), Mary Cryer, Anna Kofler, Jean Cunningham, Cecilia Mabrey, Bernard Rowley, Andrea Clymo, Maria Wilkinson, Lucienne Pierre, Chris and Marjorie McCorry, Maureen Welsh, David Walsh, John Drury, Kim Fawcett, and Kathleen Kennedy

Rest in Peace: Please pray for all the lately dead and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Diocesan Chrism Mass: The annual Chrism Mass, where priests of the Diocese renew their priestly promises, is at Leeds Cathedral on Wed 27 March at 11am. It is also at this Mass where Bishop Marcus blesses the holy oils used in all parishes across the Diocese for the year ahead. All are welcome to attend. There will not be Mass at St Joseph’s that morning.

Easter Triduum Service and Mass Times: Mass on Holy Thursday will be at 7pm at St Joseph’s. There will also be adoration of the Blessed Sacrament available after Mass until 9pm on Thursday at the altar of repose in the Lady Chapel. On Good Friday there will be a service at 3pm at St Joseph’s as well as a Stations of the Cross service at 6:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes. On Saturday, the Easter Vigil Mass at St Joseph’s is at 7pm (it is later due to the fact it must coincide with sunset). Easter Sunday Masses will be 9am at St Joseph’s and 10:30am at Our Lady of Lourdes.

Syro Malabar Rite Holy Week Liturgies: The Syro Malabar community will have liturgies for Holy Week and Easter at St Joseph’s at the following times: Holy Thursday at 10am, Good Friday at 10am and Holy Saturday at 4pm.

Easter Offering: Priests receive a small salary every year and the collections taken at Easter and Christmas are a substantial part of the annual taxable income of a parish priest. Priests are responsible for paying for their own car, phone, travel, and other living expenses and your support in this collection helps the parish priest immensely. Giving to the Easter collection is also an opportunity to support the parish too since the offering can be gift-aided and the gift-aid is retained by the parish. You can also give on Easter using the card machine. If you wish to make an offering by direct bank transfer, please reference the donation as ‘Easter Offering.’ Thank you for your support and please keep all our priests, past and present, in your prayers.

Stations of the Cross Service at OLOL: The final Stations of the Cross service this Lent will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes on Good Friday and will be at 6:30pm.

Easter Egg Hunt: All welcome to join our Easter egg hunt on Easter Sunday at 11.30 in the Our Lady of Lourdes garden. Children of all ages welcome.

Refreshments/Coffee Mornings: There is a coffee morning in the Parish Rooms at the Presbytery of OLOL in Haworth and at St Joseph’s in the community room after Sunday Mass. There’s also a coffee morning after the Wed morning Mass at SJ.

Gardening Club at Our Lady of Lourdes: We are planning to start gardening again at Our Lady of Lourdes. The plan is to get together on Thursday April 4th at 10am to kick off. Hopefully we will continue on Thursdays at 10am. All welcome whatever your ability, if you are able to help out weeding or planting great or just come along for a chat and a sit in the garden (weather permitting). Or come to make or drink a cuppa!

Palms From Walsingham: Thirty three of us from the parish had a fantastic three day pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Walsingham this past week! The palm crosses and branches you’ll find at Church this weekend were brought back from Walsingham. I thought it would be a nice way to share our pilgrimage with all the parishioners who weren’t able to be with us. – Fr Tony

Children’s Liturgy: There is children’s liturgy during the Mass at both OLOL and SJ on Sunday mornings. Children go to the sacristy/community room just after the first hymn to learn about the readings in a fun and understandable way and then return to Mass after the creed. All children are welcome to attend.

Lenten Almsgiving: Over these 40 days of Lent, we have had three appeals as part of our Lenten almsgiving in the Parish. The appeals for the Little Sisters of the Poor, CAFOD and Catholic Care raised over **£3,000.00** combined. Thank you for all your generosity this Lent by supporting these appeals!

Easter Flowers Donations: Please consider donating a few pounds to the Easter Flowers Fund this weekend. All money raised will be used to decorate our churches for the Easter season. There will be a collection basket after mass this weekend. Thank you!

Massabielle / SOLL Pilgrimage to Lourdes 24th to 31st May 2024: Birmingham to Tarbes. The cost this year will be an incredibly competitive subsidised price of £690.00 Inc Lourdes levy and coach travel from Keighley, based on 2 sharing. This price excludes travel Insurance of £49 up to 79 and £98 for 80 plus, you can use your own insurance instead if you wish. Single room occupancy is an additional £273. Helper pilgrims can apply for a further subsidy grant if the above price is financially difficult, via SOLL grant committee. Supported pilgrims booking in the Accueil (Care/Nursing home facility), which gives full medical and physical support the cost is £500 all inclusive. Any booking will require SOLL medical approval before acceptance. A subsidy grant if the above price is financially difficult, via SOLL grant committee is also available. Contact Mike Devlin 07946 440617 or Steve Kelly 07790 464096.

Good Shepherd Centre: Tuesday Building Bridge Lunch Club at The Good Shepherd Centre. The next luncheon will take place on 2 April. It takes place from 12:30 - 2:30 pm. Places are limited and booking is recommended. Call 01535 608639 or email tgsc.keighley@gmail.com. There are many other activities taking place at The Good Shepherd Centre.

Flame 2025: The largest Catholic youth event in England and Wales. Join thousands of young people for a day of music, prayer, worship, talks from great speakers and much more at Wembley Arena, London, Saturday 15th March 2025! £70 per person (including return coach travel). Email youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk to book yours!

Lay Chaplain Vacancy: St Bede’s and St Joseph’s Catholic College, Bradford are recruiting. Start asap. Closing date Tuesday 9th April 2024. Further information at <http://sbsj.co.uk/vacancies/>

Trustees Vacancy: Catholic Care is recruiting new Trustees to increase the breadth of knowledge and experience on its established Board of Trustees. Applicants with experience of property management are particularly welcome. An opportunity to live your faith through action. For further information please visit www.catholic-care.org.uk.

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 see Fr Tony.



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