

St. Mary's Catholic Church

A parish of Ampleforth Abbey

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THIRD WEEK OF LENT

EVENTS AND NOTICES



CELEBRATIONS AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

3RD WEEK OF LENT

Sunday cycle A/weekday cycle I

Day	Rank	Mass times	Mass Intention
Sun 19 th Mar	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT	Vigil 6.00 pm	Patrick Smit
		10.00 am	Parish
		5.00 pm	Emily and Ted March
Mon 20 th Mar	SOLEMNITY: ST JOSEPH	9.00 am <i>in chapel</i>	
Tue 21 st Mar	Feria	7.00 pm <i>in chapel</i>	
Wed 22 nd Mar	Feria	8.45 am <i>in chapel</i>	Amanda Toone
Thu 23 rd Mar	Feria	No Service	
Fri 24 th Mar	Feria	7.00 pm <i>in chapel</i>	Celia & Donald Dickinson
Sat 25 th Mar	SOLEMNITY: THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD	10.00 am	EBC
Sun 26 th Mar	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT	Vigil 6.00 pm	Francis McDermott
		10.00 am	John Stockill
		5.00 pm	Parish

GREAT AMEN



ADORATION: Each weekday beginning 45 minutes before Mass.

THE DIVINE OFFICE is recited twenty minutes before each weekday Mass

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER PRAYER: As we thank God for the gift of his Son to us in Holy Communion, let us remember those of our parish who are elderly sick & housebound. May the Body and Blood of your Son, which we now send to them through our Eucharistic ministers, bring them hope, consolation & peace, through Christ our Lord.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION (for use throughout Year A):

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession) Saturday 10.30 am to 11.00 am, and by request at other times.

PRAYER GROUP Wednesday 7.00pm (Healing Prayer Group) Adoration, Lectio Divina, then prayers for inner or physical healing as required. For more information please contact Maureen 869264

SVP: St Mary's SVP offers friendship and help within the local community. If you or someone you know would welcome support please contact us on 07470312709. Next meeting Mon 27th March, 7.30pm in the Old School.

IN YOUR PRAYERS, PLEASE REMEMBER: May Braythwaite, Keith Broadbelt, Brian Buckley, Terry Callaghan, Peter Coultas, Brigid Davies, Vincent Doemling, David Doling, Lyze Dudley, Pat Eve, Brian Greaves, Barbara Hawksworth, Rosemary Hill, Eileen Huck, Simon Kennett, Dorothy Leachman, Bridget Linnie, Eleanor Mayhew, Peter Owens, Joan Parsons, Emma Reed, Mariana Robinson, Rose Smiles, Stephen Thorndike, Jean Westmancoat, Rosalind Wynne and all who are ill and those who care for them.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Kathleen Lynch, Giuseppe Molinari, Ethel Adcock, Flora Tappin, Mary Whittaker, Patricia Purcell, Francis McDermott, Shirley Morley, Geoffrey Hutchinson, Anne Callaghan, Henry Pitt, Mary Hilton, Marian McGrail, Henry Burton and all whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

That all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS 1 Sam 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 22; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41

LENT OPPORTUNITIES: Tuesdays 7.30pm Talks on prayer; Fridays 6.15pm Stations of the Cross.

CHURCH REFURBISHMENT UPDATE Please find bulletin insert

SUNDAY 26TH MARCH Pastoral Letter from Bishop Marcus appealing for support of Catholic Care, and second collection

GRANTS Would anybody be willing to work on approaching grant awarding bodies to help us with our refurbishment projects? If so please contact me william@ampleforth.org.uk to discuss what's involved.

CHURCH CAR PARK: Unfortunately our car park has a limited amount of space, and demand often exceeds supply. More cars could be accommodated if cars are parked efficiently i.e parking from the 'inside to the outside', and also without leaving unusable 'gaps'. Please could we give this a try and accommodate as many cars as we can.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: At 7.00pm on Wednesday 15th March, there will be a Refresh Evening in preparation for commissioning and re-commissioning.

THE OLD SCHOOL: Arranging a celebration or needing to book a room? The Old School Hall and Meeting Room are available for hire. For more details or to arrange a viewing or a booking please contact the Manager, Steven Perry on 01423 862913, stevenhperry@ntlworld.com or find us on the parish website.

ROLLERCOASTER CHILDREN'S EASTER CLUB Gracious St Methodist Church from Wed 12th – Fri 14th April. All primary children welcome, fee £5. Contact June Graham 07759 619780 or ctikeasterclub@gmail.com or see atrium.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS (PRESENT AND FUTURE!): Fri 31st March, 6-9pm, Immaculate Heart of Mary Church (294 Harrogate Road, Leeds LS17 6LE). You can join for as much or little time as you like! For more info contact Fr Michael Doody (michael.doody@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

HARROGATE EASIER LIVING PROJECT (HELP) is appealing for volunteers and they are especially short of drivers from Knaresborough. Contact 01423 813090 or email help@harcvs.org.uk or see the poster in the atrium.

TAIZE IN BIRMINGHAM the Taizé Community are leading a meeting 28th Apr to 1st May for young adults and group leaders. You can attend for one or all days. Booking/details http://www.taize.fr/en_article20934.html

ALL NIGHT VIGIL OF REPARATION at St Mary's, Horsforth - 12th of each month from 9.30 - contact: Kate 07505767415 or Pat Sammon 0113 258 2745 for further details.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND 26th September - 3rd October 2017 £1,439 including return flights from Manchester. 7 nights. Full itinerary at: aglowpilgrimages.com or contact Katherine on 01423 734828.

BAPTISM: If you are asking to have your baby baptised in the next few months, and have not received any instructions on the Sacrament of Baptism, please contact Fr William.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS 12th March: plate £221.01; envelopes £227.50; votive: £13.80; Building fund £1013.20; Second collection (CAFOD) £492.80; Standing Orders weekly average £555.00; Attendance 242