

# St. Mary's Catholic Church

A parish of Ampleforth Abbey

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## CELEBRATIONS AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

34<sup>TH</sup> WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

Sunday cycle B/weekday cycle II

Day	Rank	Mass times	Mass Intention
Sun 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE</b>	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	<b>Archie</b> <b>Louise Thackery</b> <b>Parish</b>
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	<b>Special Intention</b>
Tue 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i>	<b>Jonathan Van Smit</b>
Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	<b>Paul Greenwood</b>
Thu 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	No service	
Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>FEAST: St Andrew, Apostle</b>	7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i>	<b>John Brook</b>
Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	<b>Feria</b>	10.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	<b>EBC</b>
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	<b>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	<b>Cathy Binns</b> <b>Parish</b> <b>Smith Family</b>

**BEFORE MASS** Our three Sunday Masses have each a different character and offer parishioners a variety of choice. In the time before Mass begins Sat 6pm and Sun 5pm tend to be quiet and prayerful in the church, Sun 10am more socialising. All are welcome at any Mass including children and babes. And please feel free to use the side chapel before Mass for an alternative quiet and prayerful space.

**ADORATION:** Each weekday beginning 45 minutes before Mass.

**THE DIVINE OFFICE** is recited twenty minutes before each weekday Mass

**PRAYER GROUP:** We are now meeting **2pm Wednesday** (Healing Prayer Group) for Adoration, Lectio Divina and prayers for inner or physical healing as required. For more information please contact Maureen 869264

**IN YOUR PRAYERS, PLEASE REMEMBER:** Harry Boucher, Walter Bridson, Torben Jacob Cartey, Victoria Fulcher, Dorothy Leachman, Eleanor Mayhew and all who are ill and those who care for them.

To protect the privacy of all our parishioners please could all prayer requests be re-requested to Fr William, preferably by email: [william@ampleforth.org.uk](mailto:william@ampleforth.org.uk)

**ST JOSEPH'S TABLE:** Collection of food for the homeless in the area. Please put items in the box in the Atrium.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** John Lydon, Violet Dorothy Lydon, Violet Preston, Harold Devaney, James Wilkinson, Kate Mary Cawthray, Agnes Lea and all whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

### THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

## CHRIST THE KING



**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:** Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25; 1 Th 3:12-4:2; Lk 21:25-28,34-36

**SECOND COLLECTION** this Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November for the Youth Service

**PARISH SVP** Next meeting Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November, 7.15pm in the Parish Meeting Room

**THE NOVEMBER BOOK** is in church near the baptismal font. Please enter the names of deceased family and friends to be remembered in our prayers and Masses during November until Advent.

**ST MARYS SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR** Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December at St Mary's School from 12 pm until 3 pm. Volunteers welcome, or just bring friends and family to a fun and festive fair, with games, market stalls, Santa's Grotto, a raffle and an auction (inc Mark Selby's snooker cue). Contact [friendsofstmarys2018@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofstmarys2018@gmail.com)

**SECOND COLLECTION** next Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December for the Building Fund.

**FUNDRAISING** events for your diary. Tuesday Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Greenery, Chris McMahon 07947708881  
Sunday December 9<sup>th</sup> - Advent Lunch Maureen Harrity 07949 779446  
Friday January 4<sup>th</sup> - Panto Jules Finn 07810430093

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP** Enjoy tea/coffee and cakes, fun and laughter in a happy friendly gathering, weekly, on Mondays 1.30 until 3.00 pm in the Church Hall. For full details see poster in the Atrium.

**DEMENTIA FRIENDLY CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE** 3.00 pm Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December, Leeds Cathedral.

**ST GEMMA'S HOSPICE LIGHT UP A LIFE 2018** fundraising campaign poster in the atrium

### EVENTS TAKING PLACE AT THE BRIERY, ILKLEY:

- 1<sup>st</sup> December, "The Gifts of the Holy Spirit" led by Canon Timothy Swinglehurst
- 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> December, "What the Teachers Say" led by Fr Dennis Cassidy. A one day Advent Retreat (same on both days) will explore the teachings of various schools of Spirituality.
- 14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> December, "The Ever-Coming God" led by Fr Eamonn Mulcahy, C.C.Sp.
- Tues 11<sup>th</sup> or Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunches to groups of family, friends and parishes. Offerings £25 per person. Contact the Administrators at [briery@btconnect.com](mailto:briery@btconnect.com) or call 01943 607287.

**A RETREAT WITH A DIFFERENCE:** A Foyer de Charité Retreat at Hinsley Hall from Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July (6pm) – Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July (2pm). The theme is God's Plan for the Fullness of Time. Foyer retreats are held mainly in silence, with three talks each day. Contact Mgr Barltrop: [keithbarltrop@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:keithbarltrop@rcdow.org.uk) or 07879 953953.

**THE POPE** has invited us all to visit the following website and use it to help us pray for the church [www.prayforthechurch.org](http://www.prayforthechurch.org)

**CATHOLIC CARE VACANCY:** receptionist/admin support; part time or full time considered. Closing date 30<sup>th</sup> November. Contact Janet Flynn 0113 3885400 [janet.flynn@catholic-care.org.uk](mailto:janet.flynn@catholic-care.org.uk)

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS** w/b 18<sup>th</sup> November: plate £216.96; envelopes £175.00; votive £9.70; Building fund £141.28; Standing Orders weekly average £610; Attendance 220