

St. Mary's Catholic Church

A parish of Ampleforth Abbey

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CELEBRATIONS AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

CHRISTMAS TIME

Sunday cycle C/weekday cycle I

Day	Rank	Mass times	Mass Intention
Sun 13 th Jan	THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	Michael James Gilchrist Parish
Mon 14 th Jan	Feria	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	
Tue 15 th Jan	Feria	7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i>	
Wed 16 th Jan	Feria	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	
Thu 17 th Jan	Memorial: St Anthony, Abbot	No service	
Fri 18 th Jan	Feria	7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i>	
Sat 19 th Jan	Feria	10.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	Fr Abbot
Sun 20 th Jan	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sat 6.00 pm	
		Sun 10.00 am	Rebecca Watson
		Sun 5.00 pm	Parish

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturdays 10.30am to 11.00am in the chapel

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, Torben Jacob Cartey, Victoria Fulcher, Dorothy Leachman, Eleanor Mayhew and all who are ill and those who care for them.

To protect privacy please could all prayer requests be re-requested to Fr William: 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: Joseph Czupczk, Kathleen Peel, Mary Stead, Deborah Reid, Betty Wood, Giovanni Brizzolara, Peter Peel, Josephine Teggin, Clara Dunne and all whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

AMPLEFORTH ABBEY TRUSTEES REG. CHARITY NO. 1026493

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: Is 62:1-5; Ps 95; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

NEXT SUNDAY Second collection for Poor Missions Fund

SVP NEXT MEETING Monday 21st January, 7.15pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

PARISH FRIENDSHIP GROUP Meets Mondays, in the Church Hall, starting 1.30pm and finishing by 3.00 pm. Do come and enjoy being part of a happy friendly gathering, with tea/coffee and cakes and optional gentle activities. Full details in the Atrium.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Children in Year 4 and above asking for First Holy Communion will need to be enrolled on the Eucharist Preparation Course. The course begins Sunday 20th January 2019. There will be a meeting for all their parents 7pm in the Meeting room on Wednesday 16th January 2019. Please contact me william@ampleforth.org.uk if you would like your child to be enrolled.

RECEPTION CLASS APPLICATIONS St Mary's Catholic Primary School, Knaresborough is receiving applications for the Reception Class intake September 2019. The closing date is 15th January 2019. If you would like to apply for a place, please contact the School office on 01423 864631 or admin@st-marys.n-yorks.sch.uk

CHAPEL OF OUR LADY OF THE CRAG QUIZ NIGHT The quiz is being held on Saturday 26th January at Knaresborough Community Centre, Stockwell Avenue, 7pm for 7.30pm. Entrance £8.00 to include hot supper. Raffle and BYOB. Tel: 865751 or 07561-235855 for tickets.

YOUTH 2000 is a charity whose vision is to raise up a new generation of saints to evangelise the nations. They organise youth retreats throughout the year with the main festival taking place at Walsingham over August bank holiday. To make it happen this year, the charity needs to raise £50,000. A generous donor has offered to match any donations before 25 January. Please visit the parish website home page if you feel able to make a donation.

LEEDS CATHEDRAL CHOIR SCHOOL Annual Appeal Launch and 10 Year Celebration on Friday 1st February 2019 for a concert followed by refreshments in Holy Rosary and St Anne's School. RSVP by the 21st January to office@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

CATECHISTS' MEETING: Sat 9th March, Hinsley Hall, 10am-1pm: The Diocese invites all catechists and those involved in faith formation to meet fellow catechists, to share best practice, and to meet the new Co-ordinators for Catechesis (Gregory Stacey and Kieran Hughes). Email gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

BRAHMA KUMARI AND SIKH ATTITUDES TO VIOLENCE Wed 23rd Jan 7.30pm: Dr Jane Kay and Dr Jasjit Singh of the University of Leeds will talk on behalf of their respective faiths. Brahma Kumari Administrative Centre, 241 Otley Road LS16 5LQ

FAITH JOURNEYS Thurs 24th Jan 7pm: Three members of Wakefield Interfaith Network will share their Faith Journeys at St Austin's Community Centre, Wentworth Terrace, Wakefield WF1 3QW.

HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY EVENT Sunday 27th January 3.30pm - 4.30pm: A multi-organisation event to remember the Holocaust and commit to justice and peace. Wakefield Cathedral, Northgate WF1 1HG
For information about these three events, please contact Mr Tim Garthwaite timg@holymfamilyschool.uk

THE POPE has invited us all to visit the following website and use it to help us pray for the church www.prayforthechurch.org

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS w/b 6th January: plate £282.24; envelopes £208.00; votive £16.25; Building fund £473.40; Second collection (Building fund £151.44); Christmas offerings £10.00; Standing Orders weekly average £610.00; Attendance 270.