

St. Mary's Catholic Church

A parish of Ampleforth Abbey

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CELEBRATIONS AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

8TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday cycle C/weekday cycle I

Day	Rank	Mass times	Mass Intention
Sun 3 rd Mar	EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	Private Intention Parish
Mon 4 th Mar	Feria	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	
Tue 5 th Mar	Feria	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	
Wed 6 th Mar	ASH WEDNESDAY	9.00 am 7.00 pm	Kevin Warr Parish
Thu 7 th Mar	Feria	No service	
Fri 8 th Mar	Feria	6.15 Stations of the cross 7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i>	
Sat 9 th Mar	Feria	10.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	Fr Abbot
Sun 10 th Mar	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	Parish Marguerite Jennings

BEFORE MASS Our three Sunday Masses have each a different character and offer parishioners a variety of choice. 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, Marguerite Jennings, Dorothy Leachman, Eleanor Mayhew, Eileen Pryor 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: John Smith, Barbara Nyoka, Mark Vizockie, Maude Perkins, Fr Anthony Spiller, Tom Hoyes, Edward McGhee, Eileen Hawkes, John Sparkes, Joseph Pryor, Anna Davis, Vittoria Windsor and all whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: Deut 26:4-10; Ps 90; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

SECOND COLLECTION this Sunday for the building fund.

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

SVP. Next meeting Monday 4th March, 7.15pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

ST PATRICK'S DAY QUIZ Saturday 16th March in the Old School 7.30pm start, tickets £8.50 supper included. Licensed bar. Please prebook, contact: Jo: 07853 292607. Jules 07810 430093

PATRICIA EVE formally of St Mary's Church, Knaresborough passed away 11th February. Requiem Mass to be held at St Roberts Church, Harrogate Thursday 7th of March at 12.00 noon. Family flowers only please.

LENTEN RETREAT DAY Choose either March 20th or March 23rd 10.00am-3.30pm, The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley, led by Fr Dennis Cassidy. A journey to Easter with Blessed John Henry Newman. £30 to include coffee, lunch and afternoon tea. To book please contact the Administrator on 01943 607287 or briery@btconnect.com

THE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS APPEAL SERVICE are recruiting panel members to hear appeals by parents for Diocesan school places. This is a voluntary role but travel expenses can be claimed - full training will be provided. Appeal panels consist of both lay members of the community and those from an educational background. For further information, please contact Emma on 0113 261 8040 or email evangelisation.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

VACANCIES FOR TWO KEY STAGE 2 TEACHERS St Mary's & St Peter's Catholic Primary School, Upper Nidd Street, Leeds Road, Bradford, Contact h.spafford@stpeters.bradford.sch.uk or www.stmarys-stpeters.co.uk More details on the atrium poster.

VACANCY: Deputy Principal Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College, Leeds. See poster in atrium.

VACANCY: Year 4 class teacher at Ss Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School Yeadon. See poster in atrium.

VACANCY: The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley, is looking to appoint a part-time cook for 15 hours per week working over 3 or 4 shifts. Good rate of pay and excellent working conditions. For further information about the role please call the Administrator on 01943 607287 or email: briery@btconnect.com

A RETREAT WITH A DIFFERENCE: A Foyer de Charité Retreat will be held at Hinsley Hall from Sunday 21st July (6pm) - Saturday 27th July (2pm). The theme is God's Plan for the Fullness of Time, and the preacher will be Mgr Keith Barltrop. Foyer retreats are held mainly in silence, with three talks a day. For further information or to book a place, contact Mgr Barltrop: keithbarltrop@rcdow.org.uk or 07879 953953.

PARISH VOLUNTEERS Our parish is run entirely by volunteers, a lot of volunteers. If you would like to contribute your skills and a bit of your time, please email me at william@ampleforth.org.uk and give me an idea of your current skills and experience. Your help in running the parish will be much appreciated.

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 24th February: plate £210.52; envelopes £97.00; votive £6.35; Building fund £110.00; Standing Orders weekly average £610.00; International Outreach £20.15; Attendance 188.