

# St. Mary's Catholic Church

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## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



### CELEBRATIONS AND MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

THIRTY-FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 2019

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Day	Rank	Mass times	Mass Intention
Sun 24 <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>Elsie Mary Wall Parish Paul Greenwood</b>
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	<b>No service</b>	
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	<b>No service</b>	
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	9.00 am <i>in Chapel</i> <i>Eucharistic Service</i>	
Thu 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	<b>No service</b>	
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Feria</b>	7.00 pm <i>in Chapel</i> <i>Eucharistic Service</i>	
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>FEAST: St Andrew</b>	10.00 am <i>in Chapel</i>	
Sun 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	<b>FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>	Sat 6.00 pm Sun 10.00 am Sun 5.00 pm	<b>Frank Wood Parish</b>

**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 10.30 am until 11.00 am.

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

**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

**MASS INTENTIONS:** If you wish a Mass to be celebrated for a particular intention, please use the orange envelopes available in the Atrium. These can be dropped into the collection plate, or given to Angela Smith who keeps the intentions diary. Please give at least three weeks' notice if you would like the Mass celebrated on a particular date.

**IN YOUR PRAYERS, PLEASE REMEMBER:** Harry Boucher, Torben Jacob Cartey, Alison Drake, Graham Drake, Lyze Dudley, Victoria Fulcher, David Little, Eleanor Mayhew, and all who are ill and those who care for them. To protect privacy please could all prayer requests be re-sent to Fr William: [william.wright@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:william.wright@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Peter Owens (husband of Sheila) recently deceased, John Lydon, Violet Dorothy Lydon, Violet Preston, Harold Devaney, James Wilkinson and all whose anniversary of death occurs at this time.

### THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:** Is 2:1-5; Ps 121; 1Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

**WE WELCOME** Fr Michael Smith who will be celebrating all three masses with us this weekend.

**THIS SUNDAY** Second collection for the Youth Service.

**NEXT SUNDAY** Second collection for the Building Fund.

**PP ABSENCE** I'll be away from 11th to 29th November. Fr Michael Smith will be celebrating Sunday Mass with the parish in my absence. If anyone needs Holy Communion at home while I am away, phone 01423865996

**SVP** The parish SVP thank you very much for your generous giving at the September Awareness Raising weekend. This raised £411.73 for our work in the local community. Thank you for all your support and please keep our work in your prayers. Next meeting is on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at 7.15 pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

**LEISURE CENTRE** We help serve teas and coffees at the Leisure Centre in the marketplace one week out of every six, but need more volunteers. If you can spare a couple of hours, morning or afternoon please contact Brenda on 863253. Our next turn at the Leisure Centre is the week beginning 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

**THE NOVEMBER BOOK** is now 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 MARY'S SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR** is on **Saturday 7th December from 12pm-3pm**. Everyone is welcome to attend and if anyone has anything they could donate (toys, unwanted gifts or books), bake something for the cake stall or would like to volunteer please contact Sue at [friendsofstmarys2018@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofstmarys2018@gmail.com).

**FUNDRAISING EVENTS: (1)** Advent Greenery wreaths Wed eve 4 December-£12 - Tel Jules 07810 430093

**(2)** Advent Lunch 8<sup>th</sup> at 1pm- all reservations to be paid by Sunday 24 November please

**(3)** Pantomime- Mother Goose Thu 2 Jan The Old School Hall, 7.30pm £8.50/£4(child). Tel Maureen 07949 779446

**(4)** Christmas Hamper raffle tickets will be on sale in the Atrium £1

**OUR CAR PARK** Local residents with car parking permits have always been asked to park in the small area between the Old School and the wall. In recent times they have found themselves boxed in and resorting to the main parking area so we need to make sure we don't box them in. They contribute to the finances of the parish.

**PARISH FRIENDSHIP GROUP** (hosted by Catholic Care) meets every Monday (except Bank Holidays) in the Old School Hall, 1.30pm to 3.00 pm. 2<sup>nd</sup> December is the Friendship Group lunch at the Mitre. For more details please contact Rachel on 0113 3885400 or 07739 975021.

**ADVENT PARISH LUNCH** Sunday December 8<sup>th</sup> at 1pm. Tickets are £12.50 Please contact: Maureen 07949 779446 Amanda 07719 619915

**ST JOHN'S CAR PARK** can be used during Sat 6pm and Sun 5pm Masses, but not Sunday 10am Mass. St John's have their own service at this time. Parking options: Tentergate, Stockwell Rd (shortly before Boroughbridge Rd) and Boroughbridge Rd; disc parking (2hrs) on the High Street, Station Road and Kirkgate; Conyngham Park 90p for 1hr and £1.80 for 2hrs – or talk to other parishioners. Please also consider walking or cycling if you can.

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS** 17<sup>th</sup> November: plate £240.27; envelopes £92.00; votive: £11.05; Building fund £180.00; International Outreach £17.00; Attendance 227.