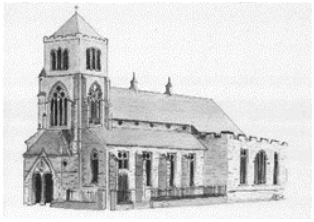

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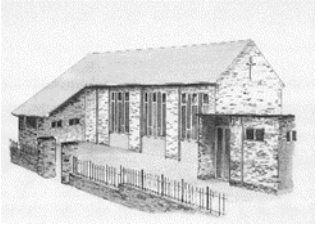

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THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
23RD AUGUST 2020

SCHEDULE OF MASSES LIVESTREAMED (L) ON THE PARISH WEB SITE AND CELEBRATED LIVE IN ST MARY'S BY PRIOR BOOKING.

Day	Time	Intention
Sunday 23rd August—Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00a.m. (L) 11:00a.m.(L) 1:00p.m. 6:00p.m.	Brigid Carroll Elda Fekete Polish Mass For the Parish
Monday 24th— St Bartholomew	NO MASS	
Tuesday 25th—Weekday in Ordinary Time	NO MASS	
Wednesday 26th—Blessed Dominic of the Mother of God	9:30a.m.	Patrick Walsh
Thursday 27th—St Monica	9:30a.m.	Tony Blake
Friday 28th—St Augustine	NO MASS	
Saturday 29th— The Passion of St John the Baptist	12:15p.m.	Waclaw

Please pray for Derick Needham, Michael Colvin, Philomena Stirling and all those who have died recently and for Fr Bernard Duffy and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

MASSES RECEIVED: Seamus Costello, Maureen King, John & Kathleen Sweeney (Golden Wedding), Tom Brennan.

ATTENDING MASS

PLEASE NOTE that everyone, except those with a legitimate exemption, will be required to wear a Face Mask or Covering while in church during Mass and Exposition.

The capacity of the church is reduced due to social distancing measures. It is also necessary for us to keep a record of those who have attended Mass at St Mary's in order to cooperate with the government's track and trace programme.

Therefore it will be necessary to book a place at each individual Mass.

There is an online booking system which is accessible via the parish website.

However, because of the requirement to wear face masks the distancing rules have been amended to one metre

For individual registrations, simply secure a seat by registering for a single ticket.
For Households (or social bubbles) of 2, 3 or 4 people only 1 ticket is required.
For Households (or social bubbles) of 5 or more - 2 tickets are required.
Should you wish to attend Mass on more than one occasion in the week please feel free to do so and book for each individual time.

There will be stewards on duty at each Mass. Please follow the instructions of the stewards at all times. Due to the need for Hand Sanitising on entry and for the Stewards to show you to your place, please try to come in good time. Please do not leave your place until asked to do so by the stewards.

PRAYER LIST

Margaret Burke, John Wallis, Millie Haigh, David Murphy, Peter Fekete, Fawzia Mohamed, David Burrows, William Long, Sonya Box, Julie Simpson, Charlotte Fitzpatrick, Kathleen Knapton, Peter Carolan, Peter Smith, David Hopkinson, Julie Hall, Moya Andrew, Tony Lennon, Suzanne Peaker, Rose Marie Rothery, Larry Byrne, Eddie Casey, Winnie Whelan, Kathleen Hannan, Nancy McGrath, Eleanor Foran, Maureen Colleran, Pat Reynolds and all the sick and housebound of the parish, their families and those who care for them.

PRAYER GROUP

Wednesday at 7pm: The Rosary-Zoom Meeting 882 976 305 Password 7riK44 (case sensitive)

LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

Next week the Masses will not be streamed via You Tube and the Parish Website.
Mass from the Cathedral in Leeds will be streamed each day at 12:30 from
www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENTand SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION.

There will be Exposition from 11 to Noon on Saturday
and Mgr Owens will hear Confession during this time

SVP

Anyone who needs to get in touch with the SVP in the Parish can now call 07512 011 440.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

On the Parish website there is a link on the Home Page to details of this week's Children's Liturgy activities.
There are additional Children's Resources via the Parish Life tab at the top of the Home Page.

PARISH GIVING

There are several ways in which you can continue to contribute financially to the parish. If you wish to set up a standing order to donate regularly you can set this up via your own bank.
The parish account details are HSBC Bank Sort Code 40 27 15, Account Name: Diocese of Leeds St Mary's Church, Account Number: 21023225. Alternatively, you can download a standing order form *here*. Return the completed form to Fr Martin at the presbytery (2 Clarence Street, Halifax, HX1 5DH).
There is also the possibility to make one off donations by text message.
You can donate £5 by texting CHURCH MARY HALIFAX to 70500.
Cheques, cash and envelopes can also be posted at the presbytery.
You can take your weekly donation either to the Presbytery (address above) or, if it is more convenient, put it through the letter box of Bernard Corcoran at 86, St Albans Road.
Bernard will ensure it gets to the Presbytery.

£100,000 CHALLENGE

SMARTIE BOXES

If you have a Tube and want to make sure the money gets to the Challenge there is a box at the back of church where you can leave it after Sunday Masses.
If you would like to start filling a new Tube please ring Julie on 07599 084360 or Ros on 07929 871113.

Mass Offerings, Notices and News Items for the Parish Bulletin should be given to Fr Martin or Deacon John by Wednesday evening at the latest. Notices and News Items but not Mass Intentions can be sent to John Coates (01422 360469 or jbcoates@btinternet.com) again by Wednesday evening.
Diocesan Notices can be found on the Parish Website.
The Parish Safeguarding Representative is Clare O'Neill (07792147620 psr.coneill@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)
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