

# ST MARY & ST ALBAN HALIFAX

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#### PENTECOST SUNDAY—23RD MAY 2021

#### CELEBRATIONS LIVE IN ST MARY'S AND STREAMED VIA YOU TUBE (L)

Day	Time	Intention
Sunday 23rd May—Pentecost Sunday	9:30a.m. (L) 11:00a.m.(L) 1:00p.m. 6:00p.m.	Teofil Siebierski Betty Budds Polish Mass For the Parish
Monday 24th—Our Lady, Mother of the Church	No Mass	
Tuesday 25th— St Bede The Venerable	7:00p.m.(L)	Aloysius and Irene D'Souza
Wednesday 26th- St Philip Neri	9:30a.m.(L)	Mary Budds
Thursday 27th—Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest	9:30a.m. (L)	Maya Corcoran
Friday 28th— Weekday in Ordinary Time Saturday 29th— St Paul VI, Pope	9:30a.m.(L) 12:15p.m.(L)	Evelyn Somerville Canon Finan

### IT IS STILL ESSENTIAL THAT YOU BOOK FOR ALL MASSES VIA THE PARISH WEBSITE

4 people from the same household or social bubble only require 1 ticket. 5 people or more from the same household or social bubble only require 2 tickets.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** Laraine Melia and all those who have died recently and for Fr Bernard Wake and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

#### **MASSES RECEIVED**

Honora Hintze, Evelyn Somerville, James Baldwin, Christine Rossi, Alan Maguire.

We **WELCOME** into God's Family and our Parish Community **WENDY BALAHURA** 

who will be Baptised and Confirmed at 11:00 a.m. Mass today.

#### MAY IS THE MONTH DEDICATED TO OUR BLESSED LADY

The Rosary will be recited Twenty minutes before each weekday Mass and there will be a Rosary Zoom Meeting 882 976 305 Password 7riK44

#### PRAYER LIST

Gladys Megson, Patricia Hintze, Patricia Ellison, Margaret Burke, John Wallis, Millie Haigh David Murphy, Peter Fekete, Fawzia Mohamed, William Long, Sonya Box, Julie Simpson, Charlotte Fitzpatrick, Kathleen Knapton, Peter Carolan, Peter Smith, Julie Hall David Hopkinson, Moya Andrew, Tony Lennon, Suzanne Peaker, Larry Byrne, 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.

#### THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY

The World of Finance
Let us pray that those in charge
of finance will work with
governments to regulate the
financial sphere and protect
citizens from its dangers.

#### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

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

#### **SVP**

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

SVP shops are requesting items such as beds, wardrobes, drawer, living room furniture, sofas and small items such as bedside cabinets, coffee tables etc. which can be taken directly to the shops.

For collections contact 01132 450 800 for Leeds, 01274 726 790 for Bradford or Email: wyinfo@svp.org.uk There is also a need for volunteers in the shops - even for a short time - volunteer drivers and drivers' mates, people to man the phones and short goods in St Vincent's, Bradford.

#### THE DAY OF THE LORD:

A reflection by the Bishops of England and Wales, "The Day of the Lord" on gathering for Sunday Mass is available on the parish website

## ST MARY'S SCHOOL NEWS KS2 TEACHER (Full Time) REQUIRED

September 2021

St Mary's is a great Catholic school enjoying an excellent reputation locally, where we have created a happy, successful and well-resourced learning community. Our happy and dedicated staff work together enthusiastically to make sure we achieve the best possible provision for our pupils, who are very well behaved and highly motivated

and we love spending our days with them!

#### Ideally we would love to attract someone who is:

able to participate enthusiastically in the faith life of the school, wants to continually improve as a teacher, is highly motivated, adaptable and committed to achieving high standards, is able to smile a lot and model high expectations of, yourself and others, is able to make learning fun and challenging and is caring, friendly, adaptable and hardworking.

We can offer you:

a close faith community where God is at the centre of all we do, wonderful children to make your day a pleasure and to challenge your potential, a highly skilled, loyal and supportive team of colleagues, parents who will work with you to make sure their children succeed and plenty of CPD choices and experiences

to help you become the best teacher you can be.

Applications are sought from all NQTs or experienced teachers who would support and contribute to the ethos of the school.

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed under appropriate Covid protection measures.

For application details and an information pack contact: <a href="mailto:admin@st-marys-halifax.calderdale.sch.uk">admin@st-marys-halifax.calderdale.sch.uk</a> or see our website

Tel: 01422 362365

Closing date: Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021 (12pm) Interviews: Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

#### £100,000 CHALLENGE

#### **200 CLUB**

Here we are about to start our 4th year. In spite of the restrictions we have managed to "ZOOM" our way through. New members are always welcome, application forms are at the back of St Mary's church, please take one.

If you renew by cheque please pick up your named envelopes, also from the back of St Marys

Thank you for your support, it is really appreciated.

#### **SMARTIE CHALLENGE**

If anyone has any smartie tubes to return, they can be left with Julie Anderson or Brenda Biggins. Thank you.

#### **DIOCESAN NOTICES**

CHASING THE WIND – PHILOSOPHY, THE BIBLE, AND THE PROBLEM OF EVIL: A series of 5 talks by Dr Gregory Stacey, exploring accessible responses to the claim that the existence of evil makes belief in God irrational, will take place via Zoom on Monday nights from 7-8pm, beginning on 14th June. For information and Zoom invitations, please email <a href="mailto:gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk">gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk</a>.

MOUNT ST JOSEPH'S (LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR): Ladies clothing sale and craft stall in the outdoor carpark on Monday 31st May 2021 from 1 to 4pm all most welcome. Shire Oak Road, LS6 2DE.

**ROSARY FOR PRIESTS:** The World Priest Apostolate are hosting an online Zoom Rosary to pray for priests on Thursday 27th May 2021, 5pm. An opportunity to join together with people from all over the world to pray the Luminous Mysteries for priests. More details and registration link can be found at <a href="https://www.worldpriest.com/rosary-thursday">www.worldpriest.com/rosary-thursday</a>

MENTAL HEALTH IN EDUCATION: A CATHOLIC APPROACH: an online conference for those involved in the education or catechesis of young people. Friday 28th May 2021, 9am-3.30pm (online) Hosted by Leeds Trinity University.

Input from Christian psychiatrists, psychologists, counsellors, academics, clergy, media professionals and students. Places are limited, so book

early to avoid disappointment. More information: <a href="https://www.leedstrinity.ac.uk/events/the-trinity-conference-2021-mental-health-in-education-a-catholic-approach.php">https://www.leedstrinity.ac.uk/events/the-trinity-conference-2021-mental-health-in-education-a-catholic-approach.php</a>

### A LIST OF VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE IS HELD IN THE 'DIOCESAN NEWS' SECTION OF THE PARISH WEBSITE.

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 <a href="mailto:ibcoates@btinternet.com">ibcoates@btinternet.com</a>) again by Wednesday evening.

The Parish Safeguarding Representative is Clare O'Neill (07792147620 psr.coneill@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

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