

**Cathedral Church Of St Marie
Churches of St Charles Borromeo, Holy Family and
Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald**

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**First Sunday of Lent
5 March to 12 March 2017**

Today's Readings: *I Gen 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Ps 50:3-4, 5-6a, 12-13, 14+17. R^x cf. 3a II Rom 5:12-19 G Mt 4:4-11*

Next Sunday's Readings: *I Gen 12:1-4a Ps 32:4-5, 18-19, 20+22. R^x 22 II 2 Tim 1:8b-10 G Mt 17:1-9*

Cathedral

Saturday 4: 1st Sunday of Lent (Vigil)

5.30pm Peter Durham (anniversary)

Sunday 5: 1st Sunday of Lent

8.30am Deceased Members of the SVP
10.30am People of the Parishes
12.30pm Benefactors of the Parish
6.30pm Carmelite Sisters at Kirk Edge (intentions)

Monday 6: Lenten Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List
12.45pm Walter Carroll (recently deceased)
5.30pm Vocations to the Priesthood

Tuesday 7: Lenten Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List
12.45pm Rev Fr Uwe Michael Lang (intentions)
5.30pm Private Intention
6.00pm *Reception of the body of Irene Kielbus*

Wednesday 8: Lenten Weekday

8.00am Kirsten Lawrenson (recently deceased)
12.45pm **Funeral Mass** (Irene Kielbus)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Thursday 9: Lenten Weekday

8.00am Kathleen & Anthony Plant (deceased)
12.45pm Christine Wong (recently deceased)
5.30pm Parish Sick List

Friday 10: Lenten Weekday

8.00am Irene Kielbus (recently deceased)
12.45pm Mai, Tom & Anne O'Connor (deceased)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Saturday 11: Lenten Weekday

12.30pm Jean Rodgers (intentions)

Next Weekend Masses – Cathedral

Saturday 11: 2nd Sunday of Lent (Vigil)

5.30pm People of the Parishes

Sunday 12: 2nd Sunday of Lent

8.30am Catechumens & Candidates of the Diocese
10.30am Deceased Family & Friends of F. & W. Houlden
12.30pm James & Louise Walters (intentions)
6.30pm Vocations to the Religious Life

St Charles

Sunday 5: 1st Sunday of Lent

9.00am Parish Sick List

Monday 6: Lenten Weekday

10.00am **Funeral Mass** (Thomas Byrne)

Wednesday 8: Lenten Weekday

7.00pm November Memorial List

Sunday 12: 2nd Sunday of Lent

9.00am Vocations to the Priesthood

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 5: 1st Sunday of Lent

9.45am Parish Intentions

Monday 6: NO MASS

Thursday 9: Lenten Weekday

7.00pm Parish Intentions

Friday 10: Lenten Weekday

9.15am Parish Intentions

Sunday 12: 2nd Sunday of Lent

9.45am Parish Intentions

Holy Family

Sunday 5: 1st Sunday of Lent

11.00am Parish Intentions

Saturday 11: Lenten Weekday

4.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 12: 2nd Sunday of Lent

11.00am Parish Intentions

Divine Office at the Cathedral

Morning Prayer: Monday–Friday 7.45am

Midday Prayer: Monday–Friday 12.30pm

Evening Prayer: Monday–Friday 5.15pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday–Friday 12noon–12.30pm

Saturday 11.00am–12.15pm and 4.45–5.15pm

Holy Hour

Monday–Friday 11.30am–12.30pm

Lenten Devotions

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| Cathedral | <u>Friday 5.30pm</u> | Mass, followed by Exposition and Stations of the Cross |
| | <u>Friday 7.00–9.00pm</u> | Bible Study, in Houlden Hall |
| St Charles | <u>Wednesday 7.00pm</u> | Mass, followed by Exposition, Confessions, and Stations of the Cross |
| Our Lady & St Oswald | <u>Thursday 7.00pm</u> | Mass, followed by Exposition, Confessions, and Stations of the Cross |
| Holy Family | <u>Saturday 4.00pm</u> | Mass, followed by Exposition, Confessions, and Stations of the Cross |

Prayer Led by Parishioners at the Cathedral

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| <u>Rosary</u> | Friday 2.00pm and Saturday 12noon |
| <u>Devotion to The Divine Mercy</u> | Friday 2.30pm |

Parish Groups at the Cathedral

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| <u>Children's Liturgy of the Word</u> | Sundays during 10.30am Mass. All Children Welcome |
| <u>St Vincent de Paul</u> | For details, please phone Pauline Mulcrone on 07783 161090 |
| <u>Monday Over 60s Lunch Club</u> | After 12.45pm Mass in the Parish Room |
| <u>Friday Lunch Club</u> | After 12.45pm Mass in the Parish Room |
| <u>Young Adults</u> | Wednesday 7.30pm in the Cathedral for Adoration. All welcome |
| <u>Sunday Teas & Coffees</u> | After 10.30am Mass in Houlden Hall |

Other Masses at the Cathedral

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| <u>Sheffield Ordinariate Group</u> | Every Thursday at 10.30am in St Joseph's Chapel |
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We pray for Teresa Ware (née Casey), Irene Kielbus, and all those who have died recently.

Please Remember In Your Prayers Our Sick: Mag Connell, Philippa Bartlett, Josephine Lanes, Eileen Lawrenson, Susan De Couto, Fr Kieran O'Connell, Sheila Canny, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Maria Tkeszuk, Sylvia Elliot, Gloria Welsh, Anthony Gallagher, Ann White, Manuel Moreira, Celestine, Ana Maria Moreira, Diana & Zaneta Holubova, John Carroll, Laney Leigh Whittaker, Maria Tomé Lopes Bandeira, Maureen Keating, Robert Stock, Dennis Gerard, and all those who are suffering mentally, emotionally or physically.

Names will stay on the list for 3 months. Please contact Cathedral House if you wish your friend or family member to be included.

Anniversaries this Week: 5 Mar – Dorothy Calvert; 6 Mar – Arnold Bayley, Rev Fr John Delaney; 7 Mar – Rev Mgr Stephen Sullivan; 12 Mar – Catherine Bolsover, Rev Fr James Halpenny.

St Marie's Collections

Sunday Collection: £1140.89 CAFOD: £220.00

This weekend there will be a second collection for St Marie's Charities

Funeral of Irene Kielbus: Irene's body will be received into the Cathedral at 6.00pm on Tuesday 7th March, with her Funeral Mass at 12.45pm on Wednesday 8th March. All those who knew and loved "Polish Irene" are welcome to attend.

Diocesan Rite of Election—Sunday 5th March: St Marie's will host the Diocesan celebration of the Rite of Election at 3.00pm, which is led by Bishop Ralph. This service is for all those who are due to celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. Refreshments will be served in Houlden Hall after the celebration. All welcome!

Lenten Bible Study Evenings: Come to read and reflect on the Scriptures with others! From 3rd March, we'll meet every Friday at 7.00pm in Houlden Hall. During Lent, we will explore passages from the letter to the Philippians. Everyone is welcome!

Why not undertake some spiritual reading for Lent? On the bookstall are a range of attractive Lenten themed booklets (prices from 50p to £2.50).

Churches Together in S2 Lent Study Course: in conjunction with Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald's, there will be a Lent study course entitled "Receiving Christ in Five Different Ways", Thursdays from 9th March to 6th April, at the Church of God of Prophecy, Duke St, 7.00pm for 7.30pm start. All welcome.

"Awakening"—Tuesday 7th March: "Awakening" is a 100 days Eucharistic Adoration initiative happening all across the UK and Europe by Jesus Youth UK. As part of this, this Tuesday (7th March) there will be Eucharistic Adoration all day here at St Marie's Cathedral. There are sign-up sheets at the back of the Cathedral if you are able to commit to a particular time, as well as leaflets with more information on "Awakening". Come and join us as we pray especially for the church in UK and Europe, for vocations to priesthood, religious, consecrated and family life and for persecuted people all around the world.

School sessions volunteer opportunity at St Marie's Cathedral: Do you enjoy working with children and are interested in Religious Education? We are looking for an enthusiastic and committed volunteer to help us with delivering exciting primary school sessions on Wednesday mornings. For further information please contact Laura Claveria on heritage@stmariecathedral.org or visit <http://stmariecathedral.org/visit-us-home/get-involved/>.

Exhibition "Treasures Revealed" (4 March–31 May): Don't miss this exciting exhibition on St Marie's heritage at Sheffield Central Library. As part of this exhibition, there will also be a free Talk & Cake Event (16 March, 2.30pm) on our fascinating history and newly restored treasures. Refreshments will also be provided. Location: The Carpenter Room, Sheffield Central Library. No booking required. For further information please visit <http://stmariecathedral.org>.

"Understanding The Easter Triduum"—Sheffield North Deanery Liturgy & Spirituality Group: Have you ever wondered why we celebrate the Easter Triduum in the way we do? Fr Peter McGuire will lead us in exploring these hugely important liturgies of the Church, on Saturday 11th March, 10.00am–12.30pm at St Vincent's Church, Pickmere Rd, S10 1GY. Everyone is welcome—please contact Louise on 07806 713399 for further details.

Archbishop Romero Centenary: the Hallam Justice & Peace Commission and CAFOD invite you to a talk titled “The Secret of Romero: Passion for God and Compassion for the Poor”, which will be given by Sr Martha Zechmeister, C.J., on Thursday 23rd March, 7.00-9.00pm, at St Marie’s Cathedral. Sr Zechmeister is Professor of Systematic Theology at the University of Central America in San Salvador, and an internationally renowned speaker. Evening Prayer will precede the talk at 6.45pm. Everyone is welcome!

This year’s CAFOD Fast Day will be on Friday 10th March—if you wish to participate, envelopes are available from the back of church.

Knights of St Columba Lenten Service: Sunday 19th March at the Carmelite Monastery of the Holy Spirit, Kirk Edge, High Bradfield, S6 6LJ, at 2.30pm. The service will be conducted by Fr John Cooke, the Chaplain to the local Knights. Everyone is very welcome to attend—see the poster for more information!

40 Days for Life has saved the lives of 12,668 unborn children and aims to end abortion by means of prayer, fasting, community outreach and peaceful vigil. Hallam’s 7th campaign will take place from Wednesday 1st March to Thursday 9th April, throughout which a prayerful vigil will be held outside the Doncaster BPAS Abortion clinic (123 Thorne Road, Doncaster DN2 5BQ). To take part or for more info please visit www.facebook.com/40daysforlifehallam, e-mail hallam40daysforlife@gmail.com, or call 07977 869594.

Reflection for Lent—“Time with the Lord, Time for Yourself”: Saturday 18th March. 9.00am-6.00pm at St Bede’s Church, Rotherham, S60 1HF. All are warmly invited to come and spend some part of their day in prayer, reflection or just some quiet time before the Blessed Sacrament. See the posters for more information.

CAFOD volunteer needed! St Marie’s is in need of someone to be the CAFOD Parish Contact—please contact Cathedral House if you are able to volunteer a very small amount of your time to support the work of CAFOD in this role.

Current Vacancies: Details can be found on the notice-board and on the Hallam Diocesan Website.

Security

Be aware that thieves operate in the city centre so keep handbags & valuables with you at all times when in Church

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