

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

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Office Hours: Tuesday–Thursday 9.00am-12.30pm & 1.30-4.30pm; Friday 9.00am-12.30pm
(**Closed** on Bank Holiday Monday and Friday afternoon)

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Christopher Posluszny

Assistant Priests: Rev Fr Stephen Ssekiwunga, Rev Fr Mariusz Stawarz, Rev Fr Raoul Baziomo

**21st Sunday of Ordinary Time
25th August to 1st September 2019**

Today's Readings: *I* Isa 66:18-21 *Ps* 116:1, 2. *R* Mk 16:15 *II* Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 *G* Lk 13:22-30

Next Sunday: *I* Sir 3:19-21, 30-31 *Ps* 67:4-5ac, 6-7ab, 10-11. *R* cf. 11b *II* Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a *G* Lk 14:1, 7-14

Cathedral

Saturday 24: 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time (Vigil)

5.30pm Renee Parkin (anniversary)

Sunday 25: 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

8.30am Phyllis Caesar (sick)
10.30am The Calvert family (intentions)
12.30pm November Memorial List
6.30pm Vocations to the Priesthood

Monday 26: Weekday

8.00am **NO MASS**
12.45pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Tuesday 27: St Monica

8.00am Gordon Lawless (anniversary)
12.45pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Wednesday 28: St Augustine of Hippo

8.00am November Memorial List
12.45pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Thursday 29: The Passion of St John the Baptist

8.00am November Memorial List
12.45pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)
5.30pm Jessie Durham (anniversary)

Friday 30: Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List
12.45pm Elizabeth Patricia Griffiths (recently deceased)
5.30pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)

Saturday 31: Weekday

12.30pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)

Next Weekend's Masses – Cathedral

Sat 31 August: 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time (Vigil)

5.30pm Deceased Clergy of the Diocese of Hallam

Sun 1 September: 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

8.30am November Memorial List
10.30am John Connell (anniversary)
12.30pm Macario Francisco (R.I.P.)
6.30pm Ivy Rose Davies-Neale (newborn)

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 25 August: 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

9.45am Garry Cruise (R.I.P.)

Friday 30: Weekday

9.15am Jean Thorpe (R.I.P.)

Sun 1 September: 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9.45am Jean Murdock (R.I.P.)

Holy Family

Sunday 25 August: 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

11.00am Parish Intentions

Sun 1 September: 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

11.00am Parish Intentions

Divine Office at the Cathedral

Morning Prayer: Tuesday–Friday 7.45am

Midday Prayer: Tuesday–Friday 12.30pm

Evening Prayer: Tuesday–Friday 5.15pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday –Friday 12.00-12.30pm

Saturday 11.00am-12.15pm, 4.45-5.15pm

Sunday 5.45-6.15pm

Exposition

Tuesday –Friday 12.00–12.30pm

Sunday 5.45-6.15pm (*with Benediction*)

Prayer Led by Parishioners at the Cathedral

Rosary

Friday 1.30pm; Saturday 12.00pm

Devotion to The Divine Mercy

Friday 2.00pm

Parish Groups at the Cathedral

Children's Liturgy of the Word

No Children's Liturgy until Sunday 8th September

Monday Over 60s Lunch Club

After 12.45pm Mass in the Parish Room

Friday Lunch Club

No Friday Lunches until Friday 6th September

Sunday Teas & Coffees

No Sunday Teas & Coffees until Sunday 1st September

"Alive!" Prayer Group

Wednesday 7.00-8.00pm

We pray for Michael Parden, Paul Connerton, and all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: Pauline West, Phyllis Caesar, Dominic, Jackie Davison, Mavis Hamilton, Marie Casey, Ann Harvey, Trevor Harvey, Nora Kenny, Maura Hallam, Rev Fr Colum Kelly, John Carroll, Robert Stocks, Gloria Welsh, Anthony Gallagher, Christopher Browne, Sile Burns, John Carroll, Stella McAssey, Ted Harrison, Ruth Bleakley, 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: 26 Aug – Mary Wonderley, Reginald Bagshaw, Rev Fr John Cashman; 27 Aug – Gordon Lawless, Simone Piletto; 1 Sep – P. Devasia, John Connell.

St Marie's Collections

Sunday Collection: £848.69; CAFOD: £25.00

Slovak Mass (Svätá Omša v slovenčine): there is no Slovak Mass this Sunday. Next Sunday, there will be one at St Catherine's (Burngreave Rd, S3 9DN), at the new time of 3.00pm.

New Bereavement & Loneliness Fellowship Group to Start in the Autumn: Are you bereaved, lonely, or feeling isolated? A new fellowship group will be starting soon in the parish, and you are invited to get involved in shaping what that will look like. The group intends to organise regular meetings for activities such as coffee in town, walks in the countryside, and possibly visits to the theatre / cinema, etc. Please contact Candida in the first instance on PPC@stmariecathedral.com.

Sunday Teas & Coffees (After 10.30am Mass): We will be taking a break during the month of August, but this weekly social will resume again on Sunday 1st September.

“Alive!”—Wednesday Evening Prayer Time at St Marie’s: the “Alive!” Prayer Time takes place every week at St Marie’s on Wednesday evenings, 7.00-8.00pm. If you want to deepen your faith, open your heart more to the Lord, and become more active in the Church, then prayer is an excellent place to start—and everyone is welcome!

Children’s Liturgy over the Summer: Children’s Liturgy will be having a break over the summer holidays, and will resume once schools are back (8th September). Children’s Activity Sheets will be available throughout the summer though, so don’t forget to pick up your copy.

Come and See Our Multilingual Lord’s Prayer Exhibition: Thank you to all those parishioners who have got involved in our Multilingual Lord’s Prayer exhibition! We now have 12 African languages featured, 11 Asian, and 14 European. You can either read the words/script, or scan the QR code to hear it spoken. If your language is not yet represented, please get involved by emailing Candida and Josip on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Many thanks.

The next Baptism Preparation Programme will be held over two sessions on Saturday 14th and Saturday 28th September, 9.30-11.00am in Houlden Hall. If you are planning to have your child baptised in the near future, please pick up a registration form at the end of Sunday Mass, fill it out and drop it off at Cathedral House or after Mass.

Office hours this week: please note that, this week, the Cathedral office will be closed on Monday 26th August (due to the Bank Holiday) and on the afternoon of Friday 30th August.

Can You Spare a Few Hours A Week to Volunteer in the Cathedral? We are currently looking for new weekday Stewards to help look after the visitors we have coming to the Cathedral. Duties include giving assistance, direction and guidance in a number of different ways, and helping visitors to get the most out of their visit to St Marie’s. If you would like to find out more, please contact Eileen on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Thank you.

2019 Lourdes Reunion—Sunday 8th September: Commencing with Mass at 12 noon followed by buffet lunch at St Bernard’s Catholic High School, Herringthorpe Valley Road, Rotherham, S65 3BE. An opportunity for those who travelled on the diocesan pilgrimage this year to renew friendships, but open to all, including those who have travelled before or are interested for next year. Suggested donation £5 towards food and refreshments.

Annual Lourdes Ball—Friday 4th October: This is the main fund-raising event for the Diocesan Lourdes Fund. Black-tie Ball at Aston Hall Hotel, Aston, Sheffield, S26 2EE (J31 M1). Tickets £40 per person, 7.00pm for 7.30pm. Telephone Mandy Drown (07894 340823) for more information.

Mass intentions: a reminder that any Mass intentions (along with stipends) can be dropped off at Cathedral House during office hours, posted through the letterbox, or left with a Priest after Mass.

St Wilfrid's Centre Bishop's Walk: This year, St Wilfrid's Centre is celebrating 21 years of the annual Bishop's Walk, which has helped raise more than £200,000 during that time. Please support Bishop Ralph, Bishop emeritus John and the team from St Wilfrid's on their sponsored walk on Saturday 21st September, which will help St Wilfrid's continue their work with vulnerable people. Sponsor sheets are at the back of the Cathedral—if you are a taxpayer and able to Gift Aid, please make sure you write your full address (including postcode) and tick the Gift Aid box.

International Food Festival at St Oswald's (26th September): St Oswald's is having an International Food Festival on Thursday 26th September, starting at 5.00pm. There are more than ten nationalities represented in St Oswald's parish—all are invited to come to the festival, and to also prepare the best dish of your own country and bring it along. Please e-mail Sr Anne (stoswald.parish@yahoo.co.uk) for more details.

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



Prayer for Vocations

Loving and generous Father,
it is you who call us by name and ask us to follow you.
In particular, you call some to serve you
as ministers in your Church.

Bless our diocese of Hallam by raising up
faith-filled and dedicated Priests, Deacons and Religious.
Bless our families and choose from our homes
those who are needed for your mission. Amen.

Mary, Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for us.

Blessed John Anne, pray for us.

Blessed Robert Ludlam, pray for us.

Blessed Nicholas Garlick, pray for us.

Blessed William Richardson, pray for us.

Security

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

PLEASE SWITCH OFF YOUR MOBILE PHONE WHILST IN THE CATHEDRAL