



THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST MARIE
with the Churches of Holy Family
and Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald



Cathedral House, Norfolk Street, Sheffield, S1 2JB

Office Hours: Monday & Friday, 9.00am–12.30pm & 1.30–4.30pm
(office closed Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday until further notice)

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5th Sunday per annum (B)
7th to 14th February 2021

Readings: *I Job 7:1-4, 6-7 Ps 146:1-2, 3-4, 5-6. R̄ cf. 3a II 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23 G Mk 1:29-39*
Next Sunday: *I Lev 13:1-2, 44-46 Ps 31:1-2, 5, 11. R̄ 7 II 1 Cor 10:31–11:1 G Mk 1:40-45*

Cathedral

Saturday 6: 5th Sunday per annum (Vigil)

5.30pm November Memorial List

Sunday 7: 5th Sunday per annum

8.00am Maureen Bennett (recently deceased)

9.30am People of the Parishes

11.00am Special intention

12.30pm John Rowan (recently deceased)

6.30pm Matthew & Lucy Hazell (intentions)

Monday 8: Weekday

8.00am Parish Sick List

12.30pm Ken Biggin (sick)

5.30pm Michael Connell (anniversary)

Tuesday 9: Weekday

8.00am Regina Kasompe (recently deceased)

12.30pm Anthony LeMay (intentions)

5.30pm November Memorial List

Wednesday 10: St Scholastica

8.00am November Memorial List

12.30pm Private intention

5.30pm Annie O'Connor (R.I.P.)

Thursday 11: Our Lady of Lourdes

8.00am Marcelle Mattli (recently deceased)

12.30pm November Memorial List

5.30pm Most Rev Philip Tartaglia (recently deceased)

Friday 12: Weekday

8.00am Amiyarani Chowdhury (anniversary)

12.30pm Rt Rev Patrick O'Donoghue (recently deceased)

5.30pm November Memorial List

Saturday 13: Weekday

8.00am Fathers of the York Oratory (intentions)

12.30pm **Funeral Mass** (Regina Kasompe)

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Saturday 13: 6th Sunday per annum (Vigil)

5.30pm Ken Biggin (sick)

Sunday 14: 6th Sunday per annum

8.00am Maureen Bennett (recently deceased)

9.30am Charlie Currier (intentions)

11.00am People of the Parishes

12.30pm November Memorial List

6.30pm John Rowan (recently deceased)

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 7: 5th Sunday per annum

9.45am Mary Drabble (R.I.P.)

Friday 12: Weekday

9.15am **NO MASS**

Sunday 14: 6th Sunday per annum

9.45am James Francis Griffith (R.I.P.)

Holy Family

Sunday 7: 5th Sunday per annum

11.00am November Memorial List

Sunday 14: 6th Sunday per annum

11.00am Parish Intentions

Svätá Omša v slovenčine (Slovak Mass) – Cathedral

Sunday 7: 5. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Michalovic Julius Zomrely (recently deceased)

Sunday 14: 6. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Parish Intentions

We pray for James Griffith, Maureen Bennett, Regina Kasombe, 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, Clifford Browne, Stella McAssey, Ted Harrison, Ruth Bleakley, Helen Carroll, Mary Pridgeon, Kath Atherton, Jack Hilton, Pat O'Connor (Lintott), Jonathan Dempsey, Elizabeth Dillop, Jim Griffith, Kay Worsnop, Vladimir Korbar Jr, Jean Hegarty, 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: 8 Feb – Michael Connell, Rev Fr Kevin O'Hagan, C.M.; 9 Feb – Jane Gaynor Apat.

Confessions: Monday–Saturday, from 11.30am–12.15pm in St Joseph's Chapel. For everyone's safety, there will be a protective plastic screen in place. Please stand while making your confession.

Mass Booking System: Due to the current laws and guidelines in place, it is necessary for everyone to book a place at the Saturday Vigil and all Sunday Masses at St Marie's Cathedral. Please text the appropriate Mass code, followed by a space and then the number of people you are booking for, to **07476 558810**. The Mass codes are as follows:

Mass Time	Code
Saturday, 5.30pm	Sat1730
Sunday, 8.00am	Sun0800
Sunday, 9.30am	Sun0930
Saturday, 12.30pm	Sun1230
Sunday, 6.30pm	Sun1830

So, to give an example, if you wanted to book three places at the 9.30am Sunday Mass, you would text **Sun0930 3** to 07476 558810, and so on.

Please note that the 11.00am live-streamed Mass is closed to the public until further notice.

Anyone unable to use the text-based system can ring the Cathedral Office (0114 272 2522) to book. If you are unable to attend the Mass you have booked places for, please let us know by contacting the Cathedral Office during office hours or, outside of office hours, the PPC (PPC@stmariecathedral.org). Thank you.

A note about data protection (GDPR): By texting us in this way, you consent to the use of your number for the purposes of the booking system. The phone numbers are not linked in any way to names and addresses, and will be kept for 21 days before being destroyed.

Weekly Children's Liturgy videos: In this season of Epiphany, we explore all the different ways that Jesus has been revealed to us. Join Candida each week and become a Gospel Detective; we will work together to uncover these Gospel truths! These videos are suitable for all primary school aged children, although younger and older children will get something out of them too. The videos are on our Children's Ministry webpage, along with the activity sheet: stmariecathedral.org/mass-worship/childrens-ministry/

Need some help and support? We are all called to be one body in Christ (1 Cor. 12:12-27). If you need some help and support, please reach out to the PPC and let us know. You can contact us by e-mail (PPC@stmariecathedral.org), through Cathedral House (0114 272 2522), through a member of the clergy, or by talking to a Steward.

No Internet? No Problem! Sunday Mass is also available via Telephone: The Sunday 11.00am Livestream Mass is also available over a telephone. Please use the following instructions: Dial the phone number 0203 901 7895 and listen to the instructions. When prompted, enter the Meeting ID: 827 4685 3641 followed by the # symbol (hash symbol). When asked to enter your Participant ID, ignore the Participant ID bit and just press # one more time to listen in to the Livestream. Please note: this service is monitored, so information about the Livestream will be given if it is necessary / helpful to do so.

The next session of Journey in Faith will be on Tuesday 9th February, and will be held online via Microsoft Teams, starting at 7.30pm.

Another Steward Needed for Sunday 6.30pm Mass: We were delighted to have a new volunteer step forward to help steward the 6.30pm Sunday Mass! That is brilliant news. Ideally we would like one more Steward to help strengthen the team—could that be you? If you are willing and able to help serve your community in this way, please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Thank you!

First Holy Communion Programme—Update: It is hoped that this year's First Holy Communion programme will be able to start before the end of the academic year. If you wish your child (Y3 upwards) to participate in this year's programme, please e-mail office@stmariecathedral.org to register your interest. Once the dates are able to be finalised, the catechists will then get in touch with you with the course details.

Serving at Masses at St Marie's: We are now able to include more people in this important ministry. Obviously, things are slightly different, and to ensure everyone's safety we have to limit numbers, observe social distancing and make sure good hygiene measures are in place. If you would like to resume serving at Sunday Mass, please get in touch with Paul Helliwell (e-mail paulhelliwellsr@gmail.com; text 07773 910897) to give him your contact details (or, if you are under 18, those of your parents) so that he can explain the changes to you, and draw up a rota that is fair and safe for everyone.

Workshop: "God and Coronavirus: Where is He?" There are 2 more workshops left in this thought provoking series. We have had a good crowd attending each session, and others are also welcome to join us! (It doesn't matter if you haven't attended the first 2 sessions). We next meet via Zoom on Monday evening, 7.00-8.00pm; please contact Charlie on PPC@stmariecathedral.org if you haven't yet got the joining details. It is also possible to join by telephone too. Alternatively, if you would rather do your own reflection, and would be interested in having the links to the videos we have been using, please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org and she will send them to you.

Strategic Fundraising in the Diocese: The Trustees of the Diocese have recently set up the Strategic Fundraising Advisory Board (SFAB). SFAB exists to help develop the networks, expertise and relationships need to support all the charitable projects and fundraisers on the ground. Their purpose is to build a coordinated, lasting and sustainable approach to fundraising across the Diocese. If you are interested in receiving their monthly Newsletter, or have time and/or skills that could help the Diocese, please contact Candida on SFAB@hallam-diocese.com. Thank you.

Foetal Pain parliamentary motion: A new parliamentary motion (EDM 1340) calls on the Government to introduce new guidance on foetal pain. The evidence that babies can feel pain in the womb highlights the humanity of unborn children and provides another important reason to introduce legislation to protect them from abortion. Right To Life UK have an easy-to-use tool which makes it simple to contact your MP, asking them to sign this motion, which can be accessed at www.righttolife.org.uk/FetalPainMotion.

Sunday Afternoon Chat via Zoom (3.00-4.25pm): As we find ourselves in another lockdown, we would like to invite you to join in with our Sunday Afternoon Chat on Zoom. You can come just listen if you don't quite feel brave enough to join in - it is entirely your choice. Conversation is friendly and light-hearted, and everyone is warmly welcome! The meeting goes live every Sunday at 2.45pm for a 3.00pm start. To join, please use Meeting ID: 873 9429 7637 or the quick link here: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87394297637>

Message from St Marie's Finance Group

Thank you very much for your continued generous contributions in these difficult times. We are so lucky at St Marie's to have the services of several priests and a beautiful Cathedral to worship in. Sustaining both the clergy and the Cathedral does incur costs, as you would expect, and many of these have remained the same in spite of the pandemic, whilst our income has been much reduced because of the periods of closure and reductions in congregations. We recognise that many are also struggling with the economic effects of this crisis but in order to continue to enjoy the spiritual support and benefits we currently have we need to ensure the income meets the costs of supporting the clergy and maintaining the Cathedral and house. We really need your continued support to be able to do this.

There are many ways you can help if you are able to. The very best way to ensure that your donations are made regularly, in all circumstances, is to set up a standing order, this also means we can count on your support. Forms are available from the Cathedral office (office@stmariecathedral.org) if you would like to do this.

If you use online banking you may be able to set one up yourself on your bank's website or app using following information:

Name of Bank Account: St Marie's Restoration Fund

Sort code: 40-41-07

Account number: 01094289

You can also use these details to make a direct transfer from your bank to ours, which is very helpful, making the money immediately available for the parish.

To make a debit or credit card payment, go to <https://stmariecathedral.mydona.com/> or use the Dona button on the Cathedral website. (Please note there is a charge for this service which is deducted from donations before they are paid to the parish). Donations made this way can be gift aided.

Whether you are setting up a standing order or making a one off donation, if you are a UK taxpayer you can increase the value of the donation to the parish by gift aiding the donation. This allows the parish to reclaim the tax paid on the donation and increases the value of the gift by 25%. (A £5 donation becomes £6.25 a £10 donation becomes £12.50 etc.). Please consider this if you are eligible, it does not cost you anything more but makes a great deal of difference to the parish. Gift aid forms are available from office@stmariecathedral.org.

If you have any queries or need any help with any of these suggestions, please contact me at finance1889@gmail.com.

Thank you very much for your continued generosity and support.

Margaret Helliwell (*Parish Finance Committee*)