



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



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Office Hours: Monday–Friday, 9.00am–12.30pm & 1.30–4.30pm

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PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

23rd to 30th May 2021

Readings: Vigil *I Gen 11:1-9 Ps 103:1-2a, 24+35c, 27-28, 29bc-30. R 30 II Rom 8:22-27 G Jn 7:37-39*

Day *I Acts 2:1-11 Ps 103:1ab+24ac, 29bc-30, 31+34. R 30 II Gal 5:16-25 G Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15*

Next Sunday: *I Dt 4:32-34, 39-40 Ps 32:4-5, 6+9, 18-19, 20+22. R 12b II Rom 8:14-17 G Mt 28:16-20*

Cathedral

Saturday 22: VIGIL OF PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

5.30pm Josef Karch (R.I.P.)

Sunday 23: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

8.00am People of the Parishes
9.30am John Menezes (recently deceased)
11.00am Patrick Bradbury (intentions)
12.30pm For those receiving Confirmation
6.30pm Florence Goodinson (R.I.P.)

Monday 24: Mary, Mother of the Church

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Mary Rafferty (R.I.P.)
5.30pm Austin Helliwell (anniversary)

Tuesday 25: St Bede the Venerable

8.00am Stefan Poslusny (anniversary)
12.30pm Jose V. Antony (Joseph) (anniversary)
5.30pm Dominic Maloney (intentions)

Wednesday 26: St Philip Neri

8.00am Fathers & Brothers of the York Oratory (intentions)
12.30pm David Morris (recently deceased)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Thurs 27: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST

8.00am Vocations to the Priesthood
12.30pm Margaret & John Whitehead (sick)
5.30pm For Spiritual & Temporal Welfare (PJB)

Friday 28: Weekday

8.00am Lucy Hazell (intentions)
12.30pm November Memorial List
5.30pm John Carroll (sick)

Saturday 29: Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Rev Fr Francis Ogden (anniversary)

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Saturday 29: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

5.30pm For Spiritual & Temporal Welfare (PJB)

Sunday 30: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8.00am Benefactors of the Parish
9.30am Eva Campbell (anniversary)
11.00am People of the Parishes
12.30pm Rev Fr Patrick Walsh (intentions)
6.30pm November Memorial List

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 23: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

9.45am Molly Brett (R.I.P.)

Sunday 30: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

9.45am Helena Kulpa & Maria Kowalska (R.I.P.)

Holy Family

Sunday 23: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

11.00am Parish Intentions

Sunday 30: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

11.00am November Memorial List

Svätá Omša v slovenčine (Slovak Mass) – Cathedral

Sunday 23: ZOSLANIE DUCHA SVÄTÉHO

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 30: NAJSVÄTEJŠEJ TROJICE

3.00pm Parish Intentions

We pray for Rajeev Jos, H.R.H. Prince Philip, Lucia Forjut Galaizia, 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, Kay Worsnop, Vladimir Korbar Jr, Jean Hegarty, Sheena Clarke, Rima Lattash, Margaret & John Whitehead, 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: 24 May – Austin Helliwell, Thomas O'Callaghan; 25 May – Rev Fr Eric Newbound; 29 May – Rev Fr Francis Ogden; 30 May – Eva Campbell.

Confessions this week: 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**. 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.

| Mass Time | Code |
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| Saturday, 5.30pm | Sat1730 |
| Sunday, 8.00am | Sun0800 |
| Sunday, 9.30am | Sun0930 |
| Sunday, 11.00am | Sun1100 |
| Sunday, 12.30pm | Sun1230 |
| Sunday, 6.30pm | Sun1830 |

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.

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>

APF Red Mission Boxes: please bring in your red boxes so that they can be emptied. Boxes can be left at the Cathedral Office during office hours, or with one of the stewards when the Cathedral is open. Thank you!

Cathedral Opening Hours: Update

As a result of the recent guidance from the Bishops' Conference, the Cathedral has returned to its pre-Covid opening hours:
7.30am–6.00pm from Monday to Saturday, and 7.30am–7.30pm on Sunday.

A Change to Holy Communion: Following new guidance from the Bishops' Conference, Holy Communion can now take place as part of the Mass once again. The Stewards will continue to supervise Communion to help keep social distancing in place. It is also now permissible to have Holy Communion on the tongue; if this is your wish, please inform the Stewards of your intention, and you will be invited to go up separately to receive Communion right at the end. Thank you.

Changes to the Covid-secure seating arrangements within the Cathedral—Updated: The gradual relaxation of Covid restrictions is good news to all! From this weekend, we will be implementing one small change to the seating arrangements at the busier Mass times, enabling Stewards to seat 3 people to a pew as a 1+2 arrangement of households, or a 1+1+1 if absolutely necessary. All other Covid security measures will remain in place, so please keep wearing your face coverings and staying a 1m+ social distance when you are inside the Cathedral. Please also continue using the hand-santisers, the test & trace system for weekdays and the Mass booking system for the weekends. Thank you!

Rosary Rally on Sunday 30th May, 2.00-2.30pm—please join us if you can: There will be a National Rosary Relay Rally across all the Dioceses of England, Scotland, Wales and the whole of Ireland on Sunday 30th May. Our Blessed Mother Mary is always urging us to prayer the Rosary, because it is a powerful 'weapon' against the troubles that plague our world. In this Year of St Joseph, the theme of this particular event is the Holy Rosary's stronghold with the Holy Family. Our Rosary event will take place in the Cathedral between 2.00-2.30pm on that day, with music and readings. Please join our Blessed Mother, Jesus and St Joseph in with this national-wide effort. Thank you.

Could you become the Cathedral's next Health & Safety Representative? We are now appealing for someone to step forward who is willing to be trained up as a Health & Safety Representative for the Cathedral. This voluntary role would be suitable for anyone who has good attention to detail, reasonable problem-solving abilities, and who can be pragmatic in their approach. This voluntary role is only for a few days per year, and is fully supported with training, access to an online Health & Safety management tool, and assistance with the administration involved. If you can spare a little time to help, please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org, or Fr Chris. Thank you.

Vacancy—Coordinator for Adult Formation and Mission (Diocese of Hallam): Dr Greg Ryan will be leaving the Diocese of Hallam in July after 8 years developing adult formation here. The Diocese therefore wishes to appoint a new Coordinator for Adult Formation and Mission. Details of the post can be seen on the parish noticeboard in the narthex, and applicants are requested to send a CV and covering note to jmoylan@hallam-diocese.com by 14th June 2021. Interviews will take place in July, either in Sheffield, or via Zoom if Covid restrictions still apply.

All Saints Catholic High School have the following vacancies: Teacher of Religious Education, and Teaching Assistant Level 2/3. For more information, please go to the school's website: <https://www.allsaints.sheffield.sch.uk/vacancies/>

SPUC Pro-Life Chain: Sheffield SPUC is organising its annual pro-life silent witness on Meadowhall Way, Meadowhall (just off the roundabout, opposite TGI Friday and past Next Home) on Saturday 5th June, from 11.00am–1.00pm. Last year's event had to be cancelled due to lockdown, so we hope to get a good number of people participating! Please contact 07815 820052 for further information.

Children's Liturgy of the Word for Families videos: In this week's video, we are exploring the wonderful Feast of Pentecost, which celebrates the arrival of the Holy Spirit at that very first Pentecost in Jerusalem. But who is the Holy Spirit? Why is the Holy Spirit such a big deal? And how is the Holy Spirit working in people today? Join Candida to become a Gospel Detective! These videos, along with other faith resources for families, can be found on the Cathedral's website and YouTube, or use the quick link here: <https://stmariecathedral.org/mass-worship/childrens-ministry/>

Want to get more involved in the Parish? There are many different ways to serve the Parish as a volunteer, and contacting the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is a good way to find out more! If you are interested in a particular area, including becoming a member of the PPC itself, please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org to get the conversation started. We look forward to hearing from you!

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.

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. Please consider this if you are eligible, it does not cost you anything more but makes a great deal of difference to the parish. 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*)