



**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:** Mon–Thu, 9.00am–12.30pm & 1.30–4.30pm. **Closed** Friday.

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**Assistant Priest:** Rev Fr Patrick Harrigan

**Parish Deacon:** Rev Mr Paul Green

**33rd Sunday *per annum* (B) (Remembrance Sunday)**

*14th to 21st November 2021*

**Readings:** *I Dan 12:1-3 Ps 15:5+8, 9-10, 11. R<sup>x</sup>1 II Heb 10:11-14, 18 G Mk 13:24-32*

**Next Sunday:** *I Dan 7:13-14 Ps 92:1ab, 1c-2, 5. R<sup>x</sup>1a II Rev 1:5-8 G Jn 18:33b-37*

**Cathedral**

**Saturday 13: 33rd Sunday *per annum* (Vigil)**

5.30pm Ikechukwu Chikwelugo (R.I.P.)

**Sunday 14: 33rd Sunday *per annum***

8.30am People of the Parishes

10.30am For All the War Dead

12.30pm Candida Calvert (intentions)

6.30pm Barnsley (birthday)

**Monday 15: Weekday**

8.00am Caroline & Anna (intentions)

12.30pm Teresa & Harry Pavey (R.I.P.)

5.30pm Muriel Walsh (anniversary)

**Tuesday 16: Weekday**

8.00am Matthew & Lucy Hazell (intentions)

12.30pm Thomas Flanagan (recently deceased)

5.30pm November Memorial List

**Wednesday 17: Weekday**

8.00am Seth Marrin (recently deceased)

12.30pm Kath Jarman (recently deceased)

5.30pm November Memorial List

**Thursday 18: Weekday**

8.00am Sr Audrey Lorion (intentions)

12.30pm Harry Doherty (recently deceased)

5.30pm The Walters family (intentions)

**Friday 19: Weekday**

8.00am Denzil & Cyril Mole, and Mr & Mrs Nelson Kelly (R.I.P.)

12.30pm Neville Durham (R.I.P.)

5.30pm Paul Andrew Atkins (anniversary)

**Saturday 20: Weekday**

8.00am Special intention (PH)

12.30pm Vocations to the Priesthood

**Next Weekend – Cathedral**

**Saturday 20: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (Vigil)**

5.30pm Lucy Hazell (intentions)

**Sunday 21: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

8.30am Special intention (PH)

10.30am People of the Parishes

12.30pm John Menezes (R.I.P.)

6.30pm Kath Jarman (recently deceased)

**Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald**

**Sunday 7: 33rd Sunday *per annum***

9.45am John, Mary & Peter Brett (R.I.P.)

**Sunday 21: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

9.45am Marie, Madeline, Radline & Rodney

**Holy Family**

**Sunday 14: 33rd Sunday *per annum***

11.00am Parish Intentions

**Sunday 21: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

11.00am Parish Intentions

**Svätá Omša v slovenčine (Slovak Mass) – Cathedral**

**Sunday 14: 33. nedelja v Cezročnom obdobju**

3.00pm Parish Intentions

**Sunday 21: KRISTA KRÁĽA**

3.00pm Parish Intentions

<b>Sacrament of Confession</b> .....	<i>Monday–Saturday, 11.30am–12.15pm</i>
<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> .....	<i>Monday–Friday, 11.30am–12.15pm;</i> <i>.....Saturday, after the 8.00am Mass (with Benediction)</i>
<b>Rosary</b> .....	<i>Friday and Saturday, after the 12.30pm Mass</i>

**We pray** for Kath Jarman, Seth Marrin, 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, Ruth Bleakley, Helen Carroll, Mary Pridgeon, Kath Atherton, Pat O'Connor (Lintott), Jonathan Dempsey, Elizabeth Dillop, Kay Worsnop, Vladimir Korbar Jr, Jean Hegarty, Sheena Clarke, Rima Lattash, Margaret & John Whitehead, Catherine, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, 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:** 15 Nov – Muriel Walsh; 16 Nov – Blessing Uloma Odo Okorie; 17 Nov – Eileen White, Jameel Frances; 19 Nov – Paul Andrew Atkins; 21 Nov – Liam Morris.

**Teas & Coffees available after the 10.30am Mass:** There is a chance to enjoy a chat over a cup of tea or coffee in Houlden Hall each Sunday, after the 10.30am Mass. (Houlden Hall is on the floor immediately above the Nottingham Building Society, next to the Cathedral's entrance). Everybody is welcome!

**Children's Liturgy this Sunday, at the 10.30 Mass:** All children are welcome to join Candida for their own special Liturgy of the Word during the 10.30am Mass; please meet her at the baptismal font at the start of Mass (or ring the bell for Houlden Hall if you arrive a little late). Alternatively, we have family friendly scripture resources available on our website each week, including a Gospel-based activity sheet, sing-along worship songs and the latest video instalment of the *Mark 10 Mission for Children*: <https://stmariecathedral.org/mass-worship/childrens-ministry/>

**The St Cecilia Schola (ladies' Gregorian chant group)** has begun rehearsals again, at 6.00pm on Mondays. Please contact Lucy Hazell via email ([scholacantorumsanctamariaeshf@gmail.com](mailto:scholacantorumsanctamariaeshf@gmail.com)) or telephone (07816 930666) if you are interested!

**Emmaus School—Reception and Nursery Places available:** There are places in Reception (for September 2022 start) and Nursery (immediate start) currently available at Emmaus School. For more information, please see the posters in the narthex, contact Emmaus School (tel. 0114 276 6474, e-mail [enquiries@emmaus.sheffield.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@emmaus.sheffield.sch.uk)), or go to [www.emmaus.sheffield.sch.uk](http://www.emmaus.sheffield.sch.uk).

**The Saints of St Marie's—A New Book for the Feast of All Saints!** Why not treat yourself to the latest book in Deacon Bill Burleigh's series about our beautiful Cathedral Church? When the church was built in 1850 it was decorated with many magnificent items, among them the Saints. They are there as models for our devotion and can be found as statues, in the stained glass, and as head-stops! Copies are available at the back of church, for the special price of £5 during November; after that, they will be £6. Really good value!

**Catholic Men's Society Mass (St Michael's, Rivelin), Saturday 20th November:** Mass will be celebrated at St Michael's Cemetery Chapel, Rivelin, Sheffield, on Saturday 20th November, at 10.30am, for the repose of the souls of the Catholic Men's Society members interred in the cemetery.

## **November Memorial List 2021-22**

November is the month in which we pray especially for the dead. Each parish brings together these prayers for their friends and family in the November Memorial List Masses celebrated throughout the coming year.

Forms are available on which you can list the names of individual family and friends, or make a family request (e.g. "Deceased members of the N. family"). Please place the form in the envelope provided, together with your donation, and hand it to one of the priests or stewards, put it in one of the donation pillars in the Cathedral, or post it through the letterbox at Cathedral House.

**Journey in Faith 2021-22:** The Cathedral's "Journey in Faith" course is for all who want to become Catholic, for adult Catholics who have not received their First Holy Communion or been Confirmed, and for Catholics who want to learn more about the faith. This year's programme will begin this Friday (19th November) from 7.00-8.30pm in the Parish Room, when there will be registration and an introduction to the programme. If you would like to take part, please do come along to Cathedral House (Norfolk St, S1 2JB).

**Advent items now available in the bookshop!** Advent calendars and advent candles are currently for sale. Christmas cards will be available soon. We have also put a box for your suggestions or requests. If there is something you would like to be available in the bookshop or if there is something specific you would like us to obtain for you, please let us know. Please remember to put your money for all items in the collection box (or hand into the office or give to one of the stewards) in order for us to be able to reorder stock.

**There will be an Advent Prayer Group** on Tuesday evenings in Advent, from 7.00-8.00pm, starting on Tuesday 30th November in the Cathedral. Everyone is welcome!

**Confirmation Programme at St Marie's (2022):** This year's Confirmation Preparation Programme will be beginning on Monday 10th January 2022 and ending on 5th June. It is for secondary school age children in Y8 or above. Sessions will be 5.45-6.55pm on Monday evenings during term time, in Houlden Hall, next to St Marie's Cathedral. Registration forms are available at the back of church or in the sacristy. Please take and fill in a form and return it to the sacristy or a member of the clergy after Mass before Friday 3rd December. Someone from the catechetical team will then be in touch with you before the school Christmas Holidays.

**Interested in helping young people learn about our faith?** St Marie's is looking for volunteers to help secondary school age children learn about their faith and grow in an authentic relationship with the Risen Christ in preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. No previous experience is needed and support and training will be provided. If you're interested, please talk to a member of the Cathedral clergy.

## **This Year's Big Thank You for our Volunteers**

We are blessed with fantastic teams of Volunteers here at St Marie's—all of whom play a vital role in the liturgical and parish life of the Church. And what better way to give thanks for them than over the weekend where we celebrate our Lord Jesus being Christ the King!

As things this year need to be slightly different due to Covid restrictions, on behalf of the Parish Pastoral Council, Eileen Maher (PPC Chair) would like to invite all our volunteers to a Weekend Celebration on 20th/21st November. They will be specially remembered at each Mass and there will be a small gift for each of them, as well as an opportunity for parishioners to post their personal notes of thanks to our Volunteers on our "Big Thank You" board (which will be making an appearance very soon). Please look out for it, and help us make this celebration one to remember. Thank you!

**Lessons and Carols at St Marie's Cathedral—Saturday 18th December:** on the evening of Saturday 18th December, starting at 7.00pm, there will be a liturgy of Lessons and Carols here at St Marie's Cathedral. Save the date—everyone is welcome!

**Update on the Synod 2021-2023:** On the 17th October, the latest Synod was officially launched in the Diocese and has got underway. The focus is on becoming a “Synodal Church”—a church that truly journeys together, listens to one another, and participates in her mission. The process is for everyone to participate in, so that we can each 'give voice' to our experience of Church, here at St Marie's. We are keen to create a team of leaders who can help us shape and roll out a process that is suitable for our wonderfully multi-cultural and diverse community. We want to make sure that we give a voice to all, especially those who may feel on the outside of things—perhaps even excluded! Because no human being is unworthy in the eyes of God. If you would like to help us make sure your group/community/culture has a voice, please contact Candida and Onesmus on [PPC@stmariecathedral.org](mailto:PPC@stmariecathedral.org) to get involved. We warmly encourage those from Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald's, and Holy Family, also to step forward. Thank you!

### **Message from the Cathedral Finance Group**

We are very grateful for your continued support throughout these difficult months. However lockdowns, lower attendance and other limitations of the pandemic have badly affected our income in 2020 and 2021. Throughout this period we have been very lucky in the services and opportunities for prayer and support consistently provided by the Cathedral clergy. In order to sustain this service for the future we really need your help to address the financial shortfall – costs associated with maintaining the clergy and the cathedral did not change very much in spite of the marked drop in income, which you are aware we rely on to upkeep the Cathedral and look after the clergy. The last figures we reviewed showed a £6K shortfall in the year to June. We are aware it has been a difficult time for all but here 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](mailto: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 Offertory button on the Cathedral website's livestream page. (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 the Cathedral office ([office@stmariecathedral.org](mailto:office@stmariecathedral.org)). If you have any queries or need any help with any of these suggestions please contact me at [finance1889@gmail.com](mailto:finance1889@gmail.com). Thank you very much for your continued generosity and support.

Margaret Helliwell (Parish Finance Committee)