



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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Parish Priest: Rev Fr Christopher Posluszny

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6th Sunday *per annum* (C)

13th to 20th February 2022

Readings: *I Jer 17:5-8 Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4+6. R 39:5a II 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20 G Lk 6:17, 20-26*

Next Sunday: *I 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23 Ps 102:1-2, 3-4, 8+10, 12-13. R 8a II 1 Cor 15:45-49 G Lk 6:27-38*

Cathedral

Sunday 13: 6th Sunday *per annum*

8.00am November Memorial List
10.30am People of the Parishes
12.30pm Dee Wright (sick)
6.30pm Lucy Hazell (intentions)

Monday 14: Ss CYRIL & METHODIUS

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm John Menezes (anniversary)
5.30pm Vanaja Michael (birthday intentions)

Tuesday 15: Weekday

8.00am Dee Wright (sick)
12.30pm John & Alice and family (intentions)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Wednesday 16: Weekday

8.00am Dan & Josie and family (intentions)
12.30pm Joseph Durham (intentions)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Thursday 17: BL WILLIAM RICHARDSON

8.00am Ronny, David, Angelica & Mike
12.30pm Ndoke Peter Bletas (R.I.P.)
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Friday 18: Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Mariana, Joseph & Luida (sick)
5.30pm For the Diocesan Phase of the Synod

Saturday 19: Weekday

8.00am Erica & Michel Jean (R.I.P.)
12.30pm November Memorial List

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Sunday 20: 7th Sunday *per annum*

8.00am Mr & Mrs Benoit (R.I.P.)
10.30am Rev Mgr James O'Brien (intentions)
12.30pm November Memorial List
6.30pm People of the Parishes

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 13: 6th Sunday *per annum*

9.15am James Perozzi (R.I.P.)

Sunday 20: 7th Sunday *per annum*

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

Holy Family

Saturday 12: 6th Sunday *per annum* (Vigil)

6.00pm November Memorial List

Saturday 19: 7th Sunday *per annum* (Vigil)

6.00pm Parish Intentions

Svätá Omša v slovenčine
(Slovak Mass) – Cathedral

Sunday 13: 6. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 20: 7. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Parish Intentions

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

We pray for all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: 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, Liam, Dee Wright, 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: 16 Feb – Rev Fr Michael Kileen; 17 Feb – Ion Zorz; 18 Feb – Rev Fr Peter Knott, S.J.

Women's Group continuing to meet each Thursday: The Women's Group will continue to meet over Christmas and New Year. If you would like to join us, please come along at 11.00am on Thursdays and we will meet you by the piano. Women of all ages are most welcome!

No Children's Liturgy this weekend: Children's Liturgy is having a little break over half-term, but will return on Sunday 27th February. Our Gospel-based activity sheets are available at the back of Church, and to download from the Children's Ministry page of the Cathedral website. On the website you will also find a suitable YouTube Children's Liturgy for each week. Wishing all our families a wonderful half-term!
<https://stmariecathedral.org/mass-worship/childrens-ministry/>

Having a stint in hospital? Please let us know! We have a large 'flock', here at St Marie's, and we can help ensure your spiritual and sacramental needs are met in hospital if we know you are there. Please contact Matthew in the office, either by phone or email, and he will alert the chaplaincy team. Alternatively, make sure the hospital knows you are Catholic, and someone should be able to find you that way.

Bible in a Year, Days 22-28—Journey with God, Joseph and his brothers: On Days 22-26, we journey with Joseph, where we see how the faithfulness of Joseph in the Old Testament foreshadows the faithfulness of St Joseph (the husband of Mary) in the New Testament. On Day 27, we are then introduced to a whole new time period—Egypt & Exodus—about 400+ years after Jacob and Joseph, where we meet Moses. The 'Bible in a Year' podcast, with Fr Mike Schmitz, uses a ground-breaking approach developed by renowned Catholic Bible teacher Jeff Cavins, to tell the 'mega-story' of our Salvation History. Each day's podcast is around 20 mins in length, and can easily be fitted into your day. The podcast is available on all the major Apps, and on YouTube: just search "Bible in a Year Fr Mike".

The next Baptism Preparation course will be on Saturday 5th March, from 9.30-11.00am in Houlden Hall. Registration forms are available after one of the Masses, from a steward or the Priest, or from the Cathedral office. If you wish your child to be baptised at St Marie's, you will need to attend the preparation programme, so please do fill in and return the registration form.

Journey in Faith 2021-22: This week's Journey in Faith session will be on Friday 18th February, from 7.00-8.30pm, in Houlden Hall.

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!

Synod News: Journey with Us



Last Chance to Return Your Family / Group Synod Form!

Thank you to all those of you who have engaged with our Synod process to date - whichever method you have chosen to get involved. Your participation is much appreciated, and your input is very valuable! Please now return your synod forms so that we can include your voice in our process. You can place them in the orange box by the Synod display, or the basket on the table at the back of Church. Thank you.

What would you like to say to Pope Francis? Please pick up one of the Diocesan postcards and let us know! Completed postcards can be returned via the orange box by the Synod display, or the basket at the back of the church.

“Each One, Reach One!” A Synod Process to hear from our non-practicing Catholic friends and family: If you have any friends or family who are Catholic but who are absent from Church, we would love to hear from them! We encourage our whole Church community to reach out to at least one individual and invite them to say: (1) what made them stop coming to Church, (2) what keeps them away, and (3) what we (the Church) could do to encourage them to return. If you have ever felt sadness at the loss of our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ, now is your chance to do something about it! Please take a leaflet from the back to Church, and reach out to someone today. (Completed forms can be returned via the orange box or the basket at the back of Church - thank you!)

A Listening Encounter via Zoom on Wednesday 23rd February, 2.00-3.00pm: We still have 3 spaces left on our final Zoom Listening Encounter! To register your interest, please send Candida and Josip an email on PPC@stmariecathedral.org.

Listening Encounters via the telephone: If you would like someone to call you so that you can take part in the Synod, please email the PPC on PPC@stmariecathedral.org, or telephone Matthew on 0114 272 2522 during the Cathedral Office's opening hours.

One-to-One Listening Encounters: To book a one-to-one Listening Encounter to take place in the Cathedral or in your home, please contact the PPC on PPC@stmariecathedral.org or speak to David/Paul when they next visit.

2022 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Friday 24th June–Thursday 30th June (6 nights): £765.00, Full Board flying from Doncaster Airport. Insurance £33. Booking form and further details available from www.hallam-lourdes.com or by telephone (07724 650066). Please note: Everyone participating in the 2022 pilgrimage must be fully vaccinated against Covid-19. We feel that it is possible to plan for the pilgrimage to take place safely, but if it does not prove to be possible and the diocese cancels, then full refunds will be made.

School Job Vacancies: please see the noticeboard for details of current job vacancies in the diocesan schools. You can also visit the Diocese of Hallam website (<https://hallam-diocese.com/about-doh/vacancies/>) to see current vacancies.

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) 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). 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)