



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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7th Sunday of Easter (A)

21st to 28th May 2023

Readings: *I Acts 1:12-14 Ps 26:1, 4, 7-8a. R^x13 II 1 Pet 4:13-16 G Jn 17:1-11a*

Next Sunday: *I Acts 2:1-11 Ps 103:1ab+24ac, 29bc-30, 31-34. R^x30 II 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 G Jn 20:19-23*

Cathedral

Sunday 21: 7th Sunday of Easter

8.00am Maxine Haig (sick)
10.30am Marcelle Daunoras & Angelina Gaudio (R.I.P.)
12.30pm People of the Parishes
6.30pm November Memorial List

Monday 22: Monday in Week 7 of Eastertide

8.00am Salvatore Piletto (recently deceased)
12.30pm Angela Griffiths (R.I.P.)
5.30pm Sylvie Amian (intentions)

Tuesday 23: Tuesday in Week 7 of Eastertide

8.00am Sylvie Amian (intentions)
12.30pm Joshua (in thanksgiving for recovery)
5.30pm Veronique Akossibié Adje (R.I.P.)

Wednesday 24: Wednesday in Week 7 of Eastertide

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm John Menezes (R.I.P.)
5.30pm Sylvie Amian (intentions)

Thursday 25: St Bede the Venerable

8.00am Sylvie Amian (intentions)
12.30pm Nupur (in thanksgiving)
5.30pm Helio Simoes (R.I.P.)

Friday 26: St Philip Neri

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Sylvie Amian (intentions)
5.30pm Rita Crane

Saturday 27: ST AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY

8.00am Sylvie Amian (intentions)
12.30pm November Memorial List

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Sunday 28: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

8.00am Sylvie Amian (intentions)
10.30am People of the Parishes
12.30pm Pia (in thanksgiving)
6.30pm Jeanette Creber (R.I.P.)

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 21: 7th Sunday of Easter

9.15am Lawrence Boyle (R.I.P.)

Sunday 28: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

9.15am In thanksgiving

Holy Family

Sunday 21: 7th Sunday of Easter

10.30am Parish Intentions

Sunday 28: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

10.30am November Memorial List

Svätá Omša v slovenčine

(Slovak Mass) – St Charles Borromeo

Sunday 21: 7. Veľkonočná nedeľa

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 28: ZOSLANIE DUCHA SVÄTÉHO

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sacrament of Confession	Monday–Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Monday–Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm
.....	Saturday: after 8.00am Mass (with Benediction)
Rosary	Friday & Saturday: after the 12.30pm Mass
Adoration and Prayer Group	2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6.00pm (next one 24th May)

We pray for Pope Benedict XVI, Angela Linfitt, Salvatore Piletto, Margaret Shaw, and all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: Phyllis Caesar, John Carroll, Robert Stocks, Gloria Welsh, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Helen Carroll, Mary Pridgeon, Kath Atherton, Pat O'Connor (Lintott), Elizabeth Dillop, Kay Worsnop, Vladimir Korbar Jr, Jean Hegarty, Rima Lattash, Margaret & John Whitehead, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, Dee Wright, Emma Green, Damian Osako, Patricia Allen, Mary Worsnop, Jean Rogers (flowers), Kingsley Owomero, Margaret Smith, Anthony Gallagher, Maria Farrugia (née Cedola), Charles Teti, Liam Blayney, Yvonne O'Donovan, 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: 22 May – Jozef Karch, Angela Maria Mukiibi; 24 May – Austin Helliwell; 25 May – Rev Fr Eric Newbound; 26 May – Elvira Daunoras; 27 May – Maureen Connors; 28 May – Evna & Wiktor Kulanek.

Health & Safety Matters: If you wish to raise any issues regarding health and safety at St Marie's, please e-mail healthandsafety@stmariecathedral.org.

This weekend there will be a second collection in aid of the diocesan World Youth Day pilgrimage, to help support the young people in our diocese who wish to attend this year's World Youth Day in Lisbon.

Each Sunday after the 10.30am Mass there is an opportunity to get together with other parishioners over a cup of coffee or tea. This is an important way of building and strengthening the parish community, so please join us, whether you are a regular member of the congregation or a visitor. Refreshments are served in the Houlden Hall (1st floor of the building next door to the church), and we look forward to getting to know you better – all welcome!

Children's Liturgy at the 10.30am Mass – this weekend: Children's Liturgy exists to nurture the hearts and minds of our youngest parishioners in the Truth and the Light that is Jesus! Please meet Candida and the team at the baptismal font at the start of Mass, or ring the bell for Houlden Hall if you are running late. If your child is under five years old, please come along to help and support them.

No Children's Liturgy next weekend (Pentecost): There will be no Children's Liturgy on Pentecost Sunday, but the team will be back on Sunday 4th May for Trinity Sunday. Don't forget to pick up your Gospel-based activity sheet from the back of Church!

Please note that for the upcoming Bank Holiday Monday (29th May), the only Mass will be at 12.30pm. There will be no 8.00am or 5.30pm Masses, and no Confessions or Exposition. The Cathedral office will also be closed, and will reopen as normal on Tuesday.

Raffle Tickets for the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham: Dee Wright will be selling tickets for this year's raffle (£1 each) in support of the shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham after Mass. Please speak to Dee for more information.

The Holy Bible Parish Poll – last chance to participate! The PPC invite you to complete their very quick Parish Poll, looking at how often people read the Bible / Holy Scripture at home. The reason for it is because lots of people have asked for Bible Study groups, and we want to plan this to meet the real needs of the Parish. The Poll only takes 30 seconds to complete, and is anonymous. You can complete it online using your smartphone via <https://bit.ly/3HIMkFv>, or scan the QR code on the poster. If you don't have a smartphone, please complete a paper copy available at the back of Church. Thank you!

Please pray for our students: Let us all join together to pray for all students within our parish (and beyond) who are carrying the cross of exams or assessments at the moment. In particular, let us pray for those who are doing their GCSEs and A-levels, as well as for all our university students. May they seek the presence of the Lord more earnestly at this time, and may they individually, and personally, experience His divine love, help, peace and joy. In Jesus' mighty name we pray. Amen.

A New Time for the Wednesday Adoration & Prayer Group—6.00pm: The Adoration and Prayer Group that currently meets on two Wednesdays a month, will now be moving to the earlier time of 6.00pm. This Holy Hour will take place directly after the 5.30pm Mass, and is a wonderful opportunity for us to spend some time with our Lord Jesus in adoration, prayer and praise! If you have yet to experience it, please do come along. The next opportunity will be on Wednesday 24th May at 6.00pm. All welcome!

Next Talk and Social of St Marie's Christian Village—Saturday 3rd June, 6.00pm: The next CVSM talk and social will take place on Saturday 3rd June, in Houlden Hall (just above the Nottingham Building Society), at 6.00pm. "Vocation and responding to God's call" will be the theme of the event. There will be a shared supper and a chance to socialise with each other. CVSM exists for all Christians: young and old, those who live as families and those who live alone. Please bring a food or drink contribution. For more information, please speak to Rafid or Valeria (10.30am Mass), or e-mail rafiduk@yahoo.co.uk.

Next Parish Pastoral Council Meeting—Tuesday 23rd May, 7.00pm: If you wish to give the PPC some feedback or raise something for their attention, or you would like to come along as a guest to the meeting, please speak to a member of the PPC, or get in touch with Niall, the PPC Secretary, on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Thank you.

Good Shepherd Youth at St Marie's—Walking with Jesus: Candida will be starting a new Good Shepherd Youth group at St Marie's in June, suitable for all teenagers. The theme for this summer will be Friendships, and will include activities, discussion, music, games, pizza, episodes of *The Chosen* and opportunities for teenage Adoration of Jesus in the Eucharist. To register your interest and/or to find out more, please contact Candida in person or via GoodShepherd@hallam-diocese.com.

Do you have the expertise to help/support someone in their search for a job? There are a number of parishioners at the moment who are struggling to find employment. It is very likely that we have the expertise within our community to help some of these job seekers. If you have any expertise around careers, writing CVs, preparing for interviews, etc, please get in touch with Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org, and let's see what we can do—collectively—to give them a hand. Thank you!

Pentecost—Acts 1-7: If you would like to understand the Feast of Pentecost within the context of the first 7 Chapters of the Book of Acts, watch this interesting, 6-minute YouTube video from the Bible Project (suitable for all ages): <https://youtu.be/JQhkWmFJKnA>

“Come Follow Me” (Matthew 4:19)—Could God be calling you to the Priesthood?

Any man in our diocese who wishes to consider more deeply whether God might be calling him to the Priesthood is warmly invited to a morning of prayer and discernment on Saturday 3rd June, from 10.00am–12.30pm at St Vincent’s Mission Hub (Solly Street, Sheffield, S1 4DE). For more information, please contact Rev Fr Lee Marshall (lmarshall@hallam-diocese.com).

Mass of Thanksgiving for All Involved in Ministry in the Diocese: If you are involved in any lay ministry in your parish community you are invited by Bishop Ralph to join him in the celebration of Mass to give thanks for the variety of lay ministries exercised across the diocese, on Saturday 3rd June, 4.00pm at St Charles Church (next to the Hallam Pastoral Centre), St Charles Street, Sheffield, S9 3WU.

Catholic Charismatic Renewal—OVERFLOW event in Birmingham, 1st July 2023: The Catholic Charismatic Renewal National Conference for England and Wales invite you to their event, OVERFLOW, taking place on the 1st July in Birmingham, “So that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit” (Romans 15:13). This is a wonderful opportunity for us to join other faith-filled Christians to meet the Lord in worship, praise and encounter! Please note that there are separate booking forms for adults and the under 18s. To find out more and book your tickets, please refer to the poster at the back of Church or visit <http://www.ccr.org.uk/articles/overflow2/>

Vocations Weekend for Women (20s & 30s), organised by the Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ)—Friday 26th to Sunday 28th May: Jesus invites each of us to ‘Come and See’. This discernment weekend in Liverpool, with the theme of “Discerning God’s Call in your life”, will give an opportunity to explore the vocation to religious life and to reflect on God’s call to you. If you are in your 20s or 30s, wondering if God is calling you to religious life and want to find out more, why not come along? You are welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on the Saturday. There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, chance to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them. For more information, please contact Sr Lynne, F.C.J. at fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com, or visit www.fcjsisters.org.

Job Advert—Communication and Social Media Officer of Hallam Diocese: The Diocese is seeking to recruit an enthusiastic and motivated Communication and Social Media Officer to cover the maternity leave of the present post-holder. Based at the Pastoral Centre, your role will require you to be a well-motivated, independent and conscientious worker, willing to take on the challenge of contributing to the work of the team and of the Diocese in various ways. This post carries a Genuine Occupational Requirement for the postholder to be a practising Catholic in full communion with the Church (in accordance with the Equality Act 2010). The successful candidate will be required to apply for an Enhanced DBS check prior to taking up their post. An application pack can be obtained from the Formation and Mission department: formation-mission@hallam-diocese.com. Closing date: Noon on Wednesday 31st May.

Are you an engineer, architect or construction manager? EMI is a Christian Network in Sheffield for engineers, architects and construction managers, who are looking to spur each other on in love and good works. They have a spring event in Sheffield City Centre on Wednesday 24th May, 6-7:30pm. You can find out more and register for the event here: <https://emiworld.org/events/424>

Security

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

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