



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: Tuesday–Friday, 9.30am–12.30pm & 1.30–4.30pm (**closed** Bank Holiday Monday)

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Parish Priest: Rev Fr Christopher Posluszny

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22nd Sunday per annum (A)

30th August to 6th September 2026

Readings: *I* Jer 20:7-9 **Ps** 63(62):2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9. *R* 2b *II* Rom 12:1-2 **G** Mt 16:21-27

Next Sunday: *I* Ezk 33:7-9 **Ps** 95(94):1-2, 6-7b, 7c-9. *R* 7c+8a *II* Rom 13:8-10 **G** Mt 18:15-20

Readings can also be found at <http://universalis.com/Europe/England/Hallam/mass.htm> or on the Universalis app

Cathedral

Sunday 30 August: 22nd Sunday per annum

8.00am Joseph Koa (intentions)
10.30am People of the Parishes
12.30pm November Memorial List
6.30pm Deceased members of Cáceres and Rios families

Monday 31: Monday in Week 22 per annum

8.00am In thanksgiving & protection for priests & religious
12.30pm November Memorial List
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Tuesday 1 Sept: Tuesday in Week 22 per annum

8.00am Philip Thomas (surgery)
12.30pm Mary & Les Mansell (R.I.P.)
5.30pm Anon. (special intention)

Wednesday 2: Wednesday in Week 22 per annum

8.00am November Memorial List
12.30pm Steve & Jackie Ferriter (in thanksgiving)
5.30pm Veronique Akossibié Adje (R.I.P.)

Thursday 3: ST GREGORY THE GREAT

8.00am Anugraha (birthday intentions)
12.30pm Marie Boyden (sick)
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Friday 4: Friday in Week 22 per annum

8.00am Akhil Elias (recently deceased)
12.30pm Amian & Frebo families (protection)
5.30pm Carlos Carmelino (R.I.P.)

Saturday 5: Saturday in Week 22 per annum

8.00am Loyd Lawrence D'Souza (intentions)
12.30pm Manuel Mfutula (recently deceased)

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Sunday 6: 23rd Sunday per annum

8.00am Sheila Lupton (R.I.P.)
10.30am Steve & Jackie (anniversary)
12.30pm Rev Fr Christian Nwakamma (intentions)
6.30pm Kery & Marie-Alise Madeleine

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 30 August: 22nd Sunday per annum

9.15am Parish Intentions

Sunday 6 September: 23rd Sunday per annum

9.15am Anon. (special intention)

Holy Family

Sunday 30 August: 22nd Sunday per annum

10.30am November Memorial List

Sunday 6 September: 23rd Sunday per annum

10.30am People of the Parishes

Svätá Omša v slovenčine
(Slovak Mass) – St Charles Borromeo

Sunday 30 August: 22. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 6 September: 23. nedeľa v Cezročnom období

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sacrament of Confession	<i>Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm</i>
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	<i>Tuesday, Wednesday & Saturday: 11.30am–12.15pm</i>
Rosary	<i>Friday and Saturday: after the 12.30pm Mass</i>
Divine Mercy Devotions	<i>3.00pm, Monday–Friday</i>
Legion of Mary	<i>Sundays, after 12.30pm Mass (in Parish Room)</i>
Bible Study Group	<i>Wednesdays, 7.30pm (in Cathedral House)</i>
Let Us Pray (Prayer Formation Group)	<i>Saturdays, 2.00–4.00pm, Parish Room</i>
Young Adults (18-35) Faith Group	<i>2nd & 4th Saturdays, 11.00am (next: 12th Sep), Parish Room</i>

We pray for all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: Elizabeth Sandy, Jean Hegarty, Rima Lattash, Margaret Whitehead, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, Damian Osako, Patricia Allen, Mary Worsnop, Jean Rogers (*flowers*), Kingsley Owomero, Charles Teti, Jean Rodgers (*ex-sacristan*), Liam Blayne, Gabriel Ofodile Okafor, Margaret Brennan, Diana, Karen Parry, Sarah Betts, Liam Bambury, Jean Nowak, Sean Nagle, Margaret Smith, Lucy Hazell, Oscar Almeida, Liam Jenkinson, Balthazar Martins, Lynn Hyland, Philip Gardiner, 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: 31 Aug – Chinenye Nwabueze; 1 Sep – John Michael Connell, Hilary Ejiofor; 2 Sep – Rudolf Macko Sr, Annie Mintiens.

Hospital Chaplaincy: When a Catholic is admitted to hospital, it is essential that they are recorded as Catholic on their medical records **and** that the Catholic Chaplain, Fr Andrew, Sr Anne or Sr Helen are notified via the Chaplaincy (tel. 0114 271 5485; e-mail sth.chaplaincy@nhs.net).

Support your Church and Clergy: The Cathedral's bank details (for direct debit/standing order/internet banking) are as follows:

Name of Bank Account: St Marie's Restoration Fund

Sort code: 40-41-07

Account number: 01094289

Each Sunday after the 10.30am Mass there is an opportunity to get together with other parishioners over a cup of coffee or tea. 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!

'Little Fishes', a free playgroup for the 0-3yrs, will restart on Wednesday 2nd September, 10.30am–12.00pm: We will be welcoming back our 'Little Fishes' and their parents / carers from the first Wednesday in September. Join us in Houlden Hall for play, snacks and singing!

Next Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) Meeting—Tuesday 8th September, 7.30pm: If you wish to bring something to the PPC's attention, or come along as a guest, please get in touch with Niall, the PPC Secretary, on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Thank you.

Celebration Mass for Married Life—Saturday 19th September, 12.30pm

On Saturday 19th September, there will be a special Mass for Married Life at St Marie's Cathedral at 12.30pm, celebrated by Bishop Marcus Stock, for couples and their families celebrating their 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 70th wedding anniversaries this calendar year. Newly married couples are also welcome to come. During the liturgy, there will be an opportunity for couples, who wish to do so, to renew their marriage vows. If you would like to take part in this celebration, please fill out the online application form (scan the QR code to access) by Friday 4th September. For further details, please contact formation-mission@hallam-diocese.com (tel. 0114 256 6410).



Good Shepherd Youth will restart on Saturday 12th September, 4.00-7.00pm: Good Shepherd Youth meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month, and is open to all secondary aged young people (Y7 upwards, whether they come to Church or not). Each session always involves Jesus, socialising, games and homecooked food! If your young person hasn't come before, they would be most welcome to join us; please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org to get the online registration form. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

The next Baptism Preparation course will be on Saturday 26th September, 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.

Job Vacancy—Diocesan Choral Director: The Diocese of Hallam is seeking to recruit an enthusiastic and appropriately qualified Choral Director who, working closely with the Lead Diocesan Choral Director, will be responsible for working within local Catholic schools to implement and develop the National Schools Singing Programme (NSSP). The Choral Director will work within Catholic primary schools and will be responsible for the development of choral singing in those schools, nurturing potential in the diverse communities those schools are located in. The core work of the Choral Director takes place during the school day in the diocesan primary schools, although children in the NSSP with a particular interest in singing will be encouraged to take part in after-school choirs and Sunday Masses and services. For more detail about the role and an application form, please email Mr Chris Edge at cedge@hallam-diocese.com. Closing Date for Applications: 28th September 2026 at 9.00am.

Journey in Faith 2026/27—Advance Notice: 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. Registration for this year's programme will take place on Saturday 10th October, at 3.30pm, in Houlden Hall.

Leeds Walsingham Way is a new Joint Diocesan Camino for the Year of St Francis of Assisi! Full information and links for Day Pilgrims to sign up for any of the days walking through Leeds or Hallam Dioceses can be found at <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/day-pilgrims-invited-to-join-new-diocesan-walking-pilgrimage/>. All are welcome to join for Mass: the Camino begins Saturday 12th September with 8.00am Pilgrims' Mass at Leeds Cathedral, followed by walk to Wakefield; 8.00am Sunday Mass at St Austin's, Wakefield, followed by walk into Hallam; 8.00am Mass at St Marie's Cathedral, Sheffield, on Tuesday 15th September, followed by a walk to Padley Martyrs' Chapel.

Changes to Cathedral schedule this week: Please note that this week there will be no Confessions or Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Bank Holiday Monday (31st August), Thursday (3rd September) or Friday (4th September). There will also be no 5.30pm Masses on Bank Holiday Monday or this Thursday.

After an absence of several years, the Safari Supper is returning on Wednesday 30th September, starting at 6.30pm. The Safari Supper is a visit to four City Centre Churches with a short act of Worship and Supper, ending at St Marie's for coffee and chocolates—everyone is welcome! More details are on the posters in the narthex.

March for Life UK—Saturday 5th September in London: Come and join us on this empowering march for the unborn. Guest speakers, pro-life stalls and children's activities. Come and be a voice for the voiceless. There are still a few places on the coach; if you are interested in joining, please contact Rachel on 07368 297872.

St Peter-in-Chains (Doncaster) will be hosting a special Day of Prayer on Saturday 24th October, promoting the Shrine of Our Lady of Doncaster. The day will begin with Adoration and Benediction at 10.00am during which confessions will be available and is followed by the celebration of Holy Mass. Reflections will be given during the afternoon and the day ends with the rosary led by the Irish singer Dana, finishing around 3.00pm. A nine-week novena in preparation for the day begins on Saturday 22nd August, asking Our Lady of Doncaster and the four beatified martyrs of the Diocese of Hallam (Bb Nicolas Garlick, Robert Ludlum, John Anne, and William Richardson) to intercede for us. For bookings and further information please contact hailfullofgrace2026@gmail.com.

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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