

ST VINCENT'S PARISH SHEFFIELD  
11 May 2025

**Fourth Sunday of Easter (C)**  
Good Shepherd Sunday

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**Anniversaries:** Ann Wilkinson (12/5/13), Margaret McGahon (12/5/94), Fr Thomas O'Reilly (13/5/10), Elsie Josephine Shepherd (13/5/01), Maire Crehan (13/5/07), William Archer (13/5/95), Anthony Spencer (14/5/01), Jean Cashin (14/5/19), Gertie Murphy (14/5/20), Winifred Mary Williams (14/5/84), Lawrence Unwin (14/5/91), Hilda O'Neill (15/5/03), Anne Mulvaney (15/5/91), Joan O'Malley (15/5/96), Gordon Furness (16/5/17), Fr Michael Quigley (16/5/84), Charles Bernard Ward (16/5/87), Margaret Armatys (17/5/14), Walter John Beedham (17/5/88), Beatrice McGrail (17/5/89)**RIP**

**Recently Deceased:** Fr Terry Boyle, Benedict Hale **RIP**

**Please pray for the sick:** Angela Andrews, Patrick Judge, Richard Reilly, Jean Fahy, Justin, John Jackson, Elizabeth Dodson, Melony Oldfield, Mick McKenna, Oona Kirkland, Veronica and Brian Sowerby, Terry Finn, Valerie Ashforth, Hugh Lafferty, Anne Bright, Minnie Sandiford, Anna Lanera, Tom McGrath, Rebecca Smith, Paul Rigby.  
**Grant them, O Lord, your healing and peace.**

**Catholic Chaplain urgent call:** NGH: 2434343. Hallamshire Hospital: 2711900. Ask for the Catholic Priest on duty (day or night).

**SVP:** If anyone in the parish would like help with anything please ring: 07904 664898.

**Pope Leo XIV :** We rejoice that we have a new Holy Father. We pray that his leadership will be wise, fruitful and help the light of Christ shine more brightly in the world.

**Baptism:** Nancy Carnall will be baptised next Sunday. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

**First Communion Prep** in the hall after Mass today and next Sunday.

**The Union of Catholic Mothers:** next meeting date has changed to Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June after morning Mass, all ladies from the parish are welcome to join us.

## Response to Psalm

**We are his people, the sheep of his flock.**

### Week beginning 11<sup>th</sup> May

<b>SUN 11</b> 9.30am 6.00pm	<b>Fourth Sunday of Easter</b> <i>People of the Parish</i> <i>November Dead List</i>
<b>MON 12</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b> No Mass today
<b>TUE 13</b> 7.00pm	<b>Easter Weekday / Our Lady of Fatima</b> <i>Susan Smith (anniv)</i>
<b>WED 14</b> 9.30am	<b>St Matthias, Apostle - FEAST</b> <i>Liz &amp; John (intentions)</i>
<b>THUR 15</b> 9.30am	<b>Easter Weekday</b> <i>November Dead</i>
<b>FRI 16</b> 9.30am	<b>Easter Weekday</b> <i>November Dead</i>
<b>SAT 17</b>	<b>Easter Weekday</b> Mass at the Mission Hub. Check website for times.
<b>SUN 18</b> 9.30am 6.00pm	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> <i>Sr Ann Buckeridge (birthday intentions)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>

**Week 4** of the Psalter.

**Confessions:** after Mass on Tuesday evening and on Saturday, 10am-10.45am.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** for half an hour before weekday Masses.

**The collection last week** was £262.61 in cash and £292 on Dona, making a total of £554.61. Thank you for your generosity.

**Standing Orders:** Should you want to set up a standing order, there is a form to fill in either on the website or it can be collected from the parish office. The bank details of the parish are: **HSBC UK, 21 The Moor, Sheffield, S1 1PA.**

Name of account:

**Diocese of Hallam St Vincent of Paul**

**Sort code:** 40-41-07

**Account Number:** 81095099.

**There will be a second collection** today for the Priests' Training Fund.

### **St Justin's Cake & Plant Sale next Sunday after morning Mass.**

Cakes, plants, children's books and greetings cards. Donations of cakes and plants would be very welcome – these may be dropped off from 3-4pm on Saturday in the hall, and if anyone needs help getting cakes or plants to church, you can contact Steve Foley on 07711 326212. **Please do come along and support this event.** All money raised by the St Justin Society supports and empowers people in developing countries. Most recently, the Society was able to send £1000 to the Daughters of Charity who have established a project in Joldham in northern India. They are planning to use the money to drill a bore to provide for safe drinking water for the community there. For photos of other projects we are supporting look at the noticeboard next to the coffee hatch. Your generosity is much appreciated.

**The next meeting of the St Justin Society** is on Monday 12 May at 7pm in the church meeting room. All are welcome, please come along if you're interested in finding out more about the work of the group or supporting our activities.

**Mass to celebrate the Jubilee of People with Disabilities** (including Anointing of the Sick) 31 May, 12pm, at St Peter-in-Chains Church, Chequer Road, Doncaster DN1 2AA. **All are welcome to this Mass**, and a group from St Vincent's will be going by train (10.05 depart-10.45 arrival in Doncaster), with a 15 minute walk to the church from the station). That should give time for refreshments, personal care needs along the way/ beforehand. If anyone would like to join us, then we can meet on the platform. If you want a chat beforehand, please see Catherine Livingston or Katharine Ryan-Murray, or contact us via the Parish Office. If you prefer to go straight there by car, no problem. See you there for a wonderful celebration.

**St Wilfrid's Tour de Hallam:** Ruth Sheldon (St Wilfrid's Director) is planning to cycle to 50 churches across the whole Diocese of Hallam (dressed as a bee!). The event is aimed at increasing the profile of St Wilfrid's Centre and raising much needed funds. While Ruth is cycling, back at the Centre clients and staff will be matching the miles and following the routes on an exercise bike. She is hoping to beat her last fundraising total of £6000.

**Please sponsor her** on the website: <https://www.stwilfridscentre.org/> or on the form in the narthex. **Ruth will be visiting St Vincent's on Friday 6th June**, it will be towards the end of the day (exact time tbc) and it would be great if like other parishes we could have a **small group to welcome her**. Please sign up on the yellow sheet in the narthex. We will have tea and biscuits or perhaps ice creams if the weather is very hot!

From around the Diocese:

**Annual Service for the National Day of Prayer for Survivors of Abuse:** Please join Bishop Ralph for this service which will be held at St. Theresa's Parish Hall on Tuesday 20th May at 7.00pm. All welcome to attend as an active demonstration of our love and support for survivors of abuse.

**Abortion: Impact and Tragedy. Let's talk about it!** Please join us for the Pro-Life Mass at 10am and the 'Abortion: Impact and Tragedy. Let's talk about it!' on Saturday 7th June at the Mother of God Church, Abbeydale Road. Celebrant will be Bishop Ralph Heskett. We will be addressed by distinguished pro life speakers, Isabel Vaughan Spruce, (Director of the March for Life UK), Rachel MacKenzie, with her personal testimony and her ministry in Rachel's Vineyard, and John Edwards from St Colette's Pregnancy Centre. Light lunch and refreshments provided.

### **Parish Live Simply Pledge for May:**

I will grow salads, vegetables, fruit or herbs in the garden, in pots, on a windowsill or in the Parish Garden!