

ST VINCENT'S PARISH SHEFFIELD
23 February 2025

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

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Anniversaries: Joan Carroll (23/2/17), Mary Jane O'Shea (23/2/33), Hanora O'Flynn (23/2/04), Francis Coyne (24/2/00), Joseph Oakes (24/2/02), John Henry Booth (24/2/84), Tess Wells (24/2/89), Lawrence O'Malley (24/2/91), Nicolino Caretto (25/2/06), Dorothy Eaves (25/2/11), Catherine Rogers (25/2/13), Fr Hubert Bamber (25/2/92), Sergius Matveief (25/2/86), James Stephens (25/2/86), Cornelius Ben Smith (25/2/92), Annie Fox (26/2/88), Kathleen Elmer (27/2/99), Margaret Lowe (27/2/13), Maurice & Ellen Woulfe (27/2/00), Eileen Smith (27/2/88), Norah Ward Nee Cruise (27/2/91), James Finnigan (27/2/96), Ann Dempsey (28/2/98), Agnes Webb (28/2/63), Mary Prenter (1/3/24), Fr Tom Keegan (1/3/04), Canon Leonard Rout (1/3/94), James Makin (1/3/85), Andrew Michael Smith (1/3/85) **RIP.**

Recently deceased: Rosa Wilson **RIP.**

Please pray for the sick: Patrick Judge, Richard Reilly, Jean Fahy, Justin, John Jackson, Elizabeth Dodson, Melony Oldfield, Mick McKenna, Oona Kirkland, Veronica 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).

Sister Elizabeth Carr will be saying a few words after Mass today about her upcoming pilgrimage on foot from Canterbury to Rome to raise money for the homeless charity Newark Emmaus Trust. She asks for your prayers and of course any donations you feel able to give. More info in narthex.

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

Baby Sarah Bilkhu will be baptised here today. Please pray for her and her parents on this special day.

Response to Psalm

**The Lord is compassionate
and gracious.**

Week beginning 23 February

SUN 23 9.30am 6.00pm	7th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>People of the Parish</i> <i>Harvey Willgoose (recently deceased)</i>
MON 24	Weekday No Mass today.
TUE 25 7.00pm	Weekday <i>For some good results</i>
WED 26 9.30am	Weekday <i>For Cecilia</i>
THUR 27 9.30am	Weekday <i>Elmer & Leach families RIP</i>
FRI 28 9.30am	Weekday <i>Irene Lamaletie RIP</i>
SAT 1	St David, bishop. FEAST Mass at The Hub, Solly St. Check times on their website.
SUN 2 9.30am 6.00pm	8th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Ray Gallagher (recently deceased)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>

Week 3 of the Psalter.

Confessions: After Mass on Tuesday evening and from 10.00am -10.45am on Saturday.

Half hour Exposition before morning Mass on weekdays.

The collection last week was £391.83 in cash and £145 on Dona making a total of £536.83. The standing orders for January came to £1983, 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.

Mystery Book Sale: There will be a mystery book sale in the narthex after Mass on Sunday 9th March. Funds raised for St Justin society, all books £1. Please bring cash or can use Dona machine.

The next Union of Catholic Mothers Meeting will be held on Wednesday 5 March (Ash Wednesday) after the 9.30 Mass. Any ladies of the Parish wishing to join us would be very welcome.

St Vincent's Food Festival – Next Saturday! Please call or message Catherine on 07847180475 with any questions. Don't forget to buy your raffle tickets.

Live Simply Pledge for February: I will....find out more about climate issues, pray for creation, and talk about the climate crisis with others.

Jubilee 2025: Inclusion of Disabled People at St Vincent's Church

The Inclusion Working Group will meet on 27 Feb at 7pm. The group has been doing an Audit of facilities and activities with a view to enhancing access and inclusion for disabled people. The next meeting will identify priorities. If anyone wants to attend, just come along on Thursday. You will be most welcome. If you are not available, but want to become involved, or make any comments, please let Russell Brynes know, or contact the Parish Office with your details. Thank you.

Calling all overwhelmed and busy parents! Come join us for a faith-filled weekend at St Vincent's Mission Hub! Mike and Alicia Herson, of the famous Messy Family Project, are coming all the way from the USA, to lead couples during an exclusive workshop, on the Four Disciplines of a Family! The main event is on Saturday 15th March (11-3pm) (Childcare is available on a pre booking basis only). There will also be a Date Night for married couples on Friday March 14, (7:30-9:30pm) with cheese and wine and a talk from Mike and Alicia, on How to Keep Your Love Alive. The evening will end with Eucharistic Adoration.

<https://stvincentsmissionhub.org/events-and-info>

Lenten Day of Reflection with Bishop Ralph Heskett CSsR

Saturday 22 March 2025 11:00-4:00 pm Hallam Pastoral Centre. The event is free. Participants should bring their own packed lunch. Please book on the diocesan Eventbrite page <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/hallam-formation-and-mission-46212155433>

Join CAFOD's Big Lent Walk in the Jubilee Year and journey together with Catholics in England, Wales and Scotland as Pilgrims of Hope in this Jubilee Year - walking 200km over 40 days during Lent. Journey to one of the churches or shrines designated as places of pilgrimage in our diocese as part of your Big Lent Walk. Every £1 you raise will support communities like Lokho's in Kenya, experiencing the worst impact of the climate crisis, to rebuild their lives in hope. Sign up here: <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/>

From 5th March, Sheffield's 40 Days for Life campaign invites you to join other Christians in praying and fasting for an end to abortion in our community. Come and join us to peacefully witness for the sanctity of human life. If you'd like to join, please sign up at www.40daysforlife.com/en/broomhall or call Rachel 07368297872 or Andrew 07943893945.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven; May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen