

St Vincent's Parish, Sheffield

29th March 2026

Palm Sunday (Year A)

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Response to Psalm

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? Why have you forsaken me?

Anniversaries: Esther Helen Dero (29/3/89), Jan Mikuszewski (29/3/95), Arthur Ashforth (30/3/00), Herbert Wood (30/3/89), Winifred Mooney (30/3/94), Olivetta Esposito (31/3/05), Fred Marsh (31/3/92), Hannah Agnes Corcoran (1/4/84), Henry Sturman (1/4/85), Mary Jessop (1/4/86), Amelia Dalton (2/4/04), Jason Crowley (2/4/00), Sarah Louise Holmes (2/4/87), Mark Finn (2/4/93), Winifrid Gardiner (2/4/95), George William Turner (3/4/84), Catherine McEnroe (3/4/88), James Gardiner (3/4/95), Ann Gabrielle Flint (3/4/96), Anne Wilson (3/4/98), Mary Howley (4/4/11), Louis Ferri (4/4/93) **May they rest in peace**

Recently Deceased: Paul Stephenson **May he rest in peace**

Please pray for the sick: William Byrnes, Angela Andrews, Patrick Judge, Richard Reilly, Jean Fahy, Justin, John Jackson, Elizabeth Dodson, Melony Oldfield, Oona Kirkland, Veronica and Brian Sowerby, Terry Finn, Anne Bright, Minnie Sandiford, Tom McGrath, Rebecca Smith, Paul Rigby, Breda Costelloe.

Grant them, O Lord, your healing and peace.

Catholic Chaplain urgent call:

Northern General: 0114 243 4343
Hallamshire Hospital: 0114 271 1900
Ask for the Catholic Priest on duty (24hrs)

The SVP (St Vincent de Paul Society):

We try to help anyone who asks for our help. In the past we have helped people in many ways, shopping, giving lifts, mending things or assisting with form filling. We are here to help, phone or text 07304 498864!

Sun 29th 9.30am 6.30pm	Palm Sunday <i>People of the parish</i> <i>Susan Smith (RIP)</i>
Mon 30th	Monday of Holy Week No Mass
Tue 31st 8.30am 9.30am	Tuesday of Holy Week Adoration Mass <i>David Goodwin (birthday)</i>
Wed 1st 8.30am 9.30am 11.00am	Wednesday of Holy Week Adoration Mass <i>Pansy Bradley (RIP)</i> Chrism Mass at the Cathedral
Thur 2nd 7.00pm	Maundy Thursday Mass <i>Pat & Terry Sleath (65th Wedding Anniversary)</i>
Fri 3rd 3.00pm	Good Friday Passion Service
Sat 4th 8.00pm	Holy Saturday Easter Vigil <i>Holy Souls</i>
Sun 5th 9.30am 6.30pm	Easter Sunday <i>Phil Finnigan</i> <i>People of the parish</i>

For Mass times at St Vincent's Mission Hub, Solly Street, please check here
<https://stvincentsmissionhub.org/mass>

Confessions after Sunday Masses

The collection last week: £224.10 cash and £125 on Dona, making a total of £349.10. Thank you.

Second Collection Fri 3rd April: Holy Places in Palestine

Collection Envelopes: Please collect the named envelopes for 2026/27 from the narthex

Standing Orders: It really helps us to plan if you set up a standing order for your weekly or monthly donations. If you would like to set one up our account is with HSBC, named "Diocese of Hallam St Vincent of Paul" Sort code: 40-41-07 Account no: 81095099

Sacred Triduum This is now the holiest week of the year culminating in Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil. These 3 days are known as the Triduum: a single event, honouring the Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ. The high point of the Triduum (and the whole year) is the Easter Vigil on Saturday at 8pm, which the Church calls the 'Mother of all Vigils'. If you are able to, please do come and experience the whole of the Triduum.

Foot Washing at Maundy Thursday Mass, 2nd April: As usual, we would like to have some parishioners volunteer to have their feet washed as part of the liturgy for this mass. There is room for up to 12 people. If you will be at this mass (part of the Easter Triduum) and would be willing to do this, please add your name to the list on the notice-board in the narthex.

Good Friday Walk: On Good Friday (3 April) we will be doing our usual cross-carrying walk round parts of Crookes and Walkley as an act of witness, before the Good Friday passion service. Everyone welcome. We walk at an easy pace, with 14 pauses for stations on the route. Meet at the church for a 1pm departure. Back in time for the Good Friday service at 3pm.

Holy Saturday Pilgrimage for World Peace: We will be carrying a cross and will have prayers and readings along the way (9miles). Starting at St Williams Church Ecclesall Road S11 8TL at 9.00am on Holy Saturday 4th April arriving at Padley/Grindleford at around 4.00pm. Bring a packed lunch and drinks and wear clothing/footwear for rough paths and uncertain weather. Train back at 4.51pm or Bus (65) at 5.03pm. Children accompanied by an adult welcome. If you are able to join us please email office@stwilliamsofYorksheffield.org.uk giving your name and a contact email and phone number.

Celebration: After the Easter Vigil we will be celebrating with the new members of our community, everybody is welcome to join us for a few refreshments.

Day by Day books for Easter are in the narthex. Free – please take one.

The Cafod Big Lent Walk 2026 The Big Lent Walk group have now walked over 1500km between them. Donations so far £375.00. Do sponsor if you can, the smallest amount is very welcome and adds up. There is a sponsorship form on the narthex board, or online <https://parishes.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/columbas-fundraising-page>

Parish Council: Minutes of the meeting on 4th March available on the website and in the narthex.

Formed: We are reviewing our current parish subscription for the Formed platform. If you are a regular user please could you contact the parish office. Many thanks.

Encounter School of Ministry Sheffield: Launching September 2026, a dynamic two-year training journey rooted in long-term discipleship, designed to teach, equip, and activate believers to demonstrate the love of God through the power of the Holy Spirit. Through teaching, small groups, worship, and activations, you will learn to step out in faith, grow in the gifts of healing and prophecy, and make the supernatural life of the Spirit a natural part of everyday life. Join a community pursuing transformation, breakthrough, and the call to do the "greater works" Jesus promised. For more information and enrolment - encounterschool.org/sheffield

Hallam Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026 Bookings are now being taken for the Hallam Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 26th June to 2nd July. For bookings see www.tangney-tours.com/hallam, or call 01732 886666. Paper booking forms are available in the narthex. For further information call 01302 247910 or 07724 650066 or email lourdesoffice@hallam-diocese.com.

Sent to Share the Faith: On 17 April 2026 three Franciscan Friars, Fathers Casey Cole, Tito Serrano and Jason Damon from Charlotte in the USA will be visiting the Diocese to help us to think about how we can spread the Gospel today. See the poster in the narthex for more details.

All are very welcome to the events and meetings held here at St Vincent's. If you have any access requirements then please contact the office and we will do our best to help.