

ST VINCENT'S PARISH SHEFFIELD
9 February 2025

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

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Anniversaries: Betty O'Rourke (9/2/23), Annie Eagers (9/2/07), Joan Manuel (9/2/07), Wilfred Delaney (9/2/), Mary Julia Havenhand (9/2/40), Elizabeth O'Sullivan (10/2/19), Mary Fielding (10/2/18), Bridget (Bridie) Walsh (11/2/98), Hetty Smith (11/2/07), Leon Lehmann (11/2/13), John Augustine Columbine (11/2/86), Seamus Morrisroe (11/2/86), Mary Julia Saunders (12/2/39), Michael Joseph Cleary (12/2/84), Maurice Brown (12/2/84), Nellie Broomhead (12/2/85), Eileen Scott (12/2/86), Hugh Buxton Roberts (13/2/90), Catherine Peace (13/2/96), John Menezes (14/2/21), Philomena White (14/2/17), Frances Mellor (14/2/93), Vincent Kartawick (15/2/11), Mary Shipley (15/2/00), Mary (Polly) Cummings (15/2/76), Mary Elizabeth Everett (15/2/76), Marie Agnes Gill (15/2/85) **R.I.P.**

Recently deceased: Rosa Wilson, Fr Michael O'Connor, Patricia Hale, Erica Broughton, Fr Jim Shryane, and Brian Reilly. **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).

BIDDING PRAYERS - In case you missed this request last week. The parish council is keen to involve more people in preparing the bidding prayers used at Sunday Mass. It is hoped to bring together a small group to write them, taking turns – so not every week. This does not mean reading them. Do you want to find out more? Send an e-mail to: gerryburke0909@gmail.com – if possible, by 14 February. At this stage you are not committing yourself to anything.

Response to Psalm

In the presence of the angels I praise you, O Lord.

Week beginning 9 February

SUN 9 9.30am 6.00pm	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Rosa Wilson (recently deceased)</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>
MON 10	St Scholastica, Virgin No Mass today
TUE 11 7.00pm	Our Lady of Lourdes <i>Bridget (Bridie) Walsh (anniversary)</i>
WED 12 11.00am	Funeral Service <i>Patricia Hale RIP</i>
THUR 13 9.30am	Weekday <i>Elizabeth Evans (very ill)</i>
FRI 14 9.30am	St Cyril, Monk and St Methodius, Bishop - FEAST <i>Ray Gallagher (recently deceased)</i>
SAT 15	Weekday Mass at The Hub, Solly St. Check times on their website.
SUN 16 9.30am 6.00pm	6th Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>People of the Parish</i> <i>Irene Mara (anniversary)</i>

Week 1 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 £281.29 in cash and £170 on Dona making a total of £451.29.

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.

St Vincent's Food Festival Saturday 1st March 2025 from 5 pm til late

You are invited to a parish social evening of fun, food and entertainment. **Tickets will be on sale from this Sunday 9 February** after both masses. £8 per adult £4 per child up to age 12 to include a 3 course meal (with a choice of foods including British) and a soft drink, tea/coffee. Please pay with cash or via the Dona machine. This is a ticket only event as we will need numbers in advance for catering purposes.

All proceeds to St Justin Society to aid overseas projects for those in need. **Raffle tickets** will be sold after both masses for the next 3 Sundays. Could you help by donating a prize? Tickets will be £1 per strip and you can pay cash or pay by contactless on Dona machine. Get your act ready for **'St Vincent's Got Talent'** or just come and enjoy socialising with fellow parishioners and drink in the live entertainment!

We would love any parishioners who would be happy to cook a favourite dish or who would like to perform in the talent show to get in touch.

Finally, if you know of anyone who would like to come but doesn't have transport, please get in touch and we'll do our best to help.

Please call or message Catherine on 07847180475 with any questions.

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

There will be a second collection today for Sick and Retired Priests.

Message from City of Sanctuary Sheffield: At City of Sanctuary Sheffield, we are seeing a worrying rise in homelessness amongst refugees. Perhaps most concerningly we are seeing more and more young women forced to sleep on the streets. Many of these women are from the Eritrean Orthodox Christian community. If you are ever able to make a donation towards emergency accommodation, or even perhaps have a spare room and would like to know more about hosting a refugee for 1-3 nights, please get in touch with Blessan Babu by email at: blessan@sheffield.cityofsanctuary.org or by text message: 07421 313 518

St. Vincent's is hosting a joint Crookes churches 'Bring and Mend' event in the hall on Saturday 22nd February from 10-12pm. (setting up from 9am.) If you have skills to share, clothes to mend, or small, non-electrical items that need fixing, do come along. There will be knitting, crochet and sewing tables, and bicycle checks and advice. Call in and see. Cake available.

Panto Cancelled: Due to unforeseen circumstances beyond our control, this year's Panto had to be cancelled. We apologise. For those who have paid for tickets, and wish to be reimbursed, please contact Pete and Pauline on 2682234. Please be patient with us in this difficult time. Thank you.

JUBILEE PRAYER

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