ST VINCENT'S PARISH SHEFFIELD

3 March 2024

Third Sunday of Lent (B)

Parish Priest: Fr Paddy Walsh

Address: 40 Pickmere Road, Sheffield S10 1GY

Anniversaries: Fr Andrew Daly (3/3/89), Elsie Wiseman (3/3/86), Edward Dillon (3/3/92), Ann Hensey (4/3/22), Kevin Finnigan (4/3/21), Ellen Brammer (5/3/99), Michael Genn (5/3/02), John T McDonald (5/3/00), Fr John Delaney (6/3/96), Patricia Hammond (6/3/18), Keith Creaghan (6/3/01), Francis Joseph Cunningham (6/3/00), Agnes Lawler (7/3/01), Mgr Stephen Sullivan (7/3/92), Catherine A. Griffiths (7/3/87), Mark Robert Union (8/3/87), Marie Devoto (9/3/12), Marcella O'Gorman (9/3/73), John Francis Sheerin (9/3/87) May they rest in peace **R.I.P.**

Recently Deceased: Fr Joseph Smith (Leeds), Doreen Twomey, Ijeoma Maureen Nwakamma **R.I.P.**

Please pray for the sick: Liam Curran, John Jackson Elizabeth Dodson, Melony Oldfield, Mick McKenna, Oona Kirkland, Alison, Veronica Sowerby, Debbie, Felix, Lee Reilly, David Baker, Maura O'Hara, Terry Finn, Johnathan Elbel, Valerie Ashforth, Hugh Lafferty, Anne Bright, Goretti Bradshaw, Marie Vintin, Fr Jim Shryane, Fr Michael O'Connor, Minnie Sandiford, Anna Lanera, Paddy and Tom McGrath, Andrew Booth, Rebecca Smith, Michael, Eva Rajesh, Matilda & Family, Bridget Maughan, Theresa Maughan, Jack Hague, Tony, John Jackson, Mary Prenter. Grant them, O Lord, your healing and peace.

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, 49-63 Fargate, Sheffield. South Yorkshire. S1 2HD.

Name of Account: Diocese of Hallam St Vincent of Paul Sort code: 40-41-07 Account Number: 81095099

Gospel Reflection will continue for another 2 Tuesdays at 10 a.m. in church. There will be a time for reflection and prayer on the gospel, led by Catherine Evans. This will last approximately 30 minutes.

5th March, 12th March – all welcome.

Stations of the Cross: will be after Mass every Friday during lent.

Church will be open for private prayer from around 8am to around 5pm most days.

Response to Psalm

YOU, LORD, HAVE THE MESSAGE OF ETERNAL LIFE. **Telephone**: 0114 2680716 **Week 3** of the Psalter

Parish Office Email: crookes@idnet.com Website: www.stvincentschurch.com

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK	
SUN	Third Sunday of Lent (B)
9.30am	People of the Parish
6.00pm	Doreen Twomey (recently deceased)
MON	Lenten Weekday
10.30am	Mass at St Michael's, Rivelin
TUE	Lenten Weekday
7.00pm	Mary Prenter (ill)
WED	Lenten Weekday
9.30am	Tina Leadley (recently deceased)
THURS	Funeral Mass
10.30am	Patricia Lintott R.I.P.
FRI	Lenten Weekday / St John of God, Religious.
9.30am	Marie Agnes Gill (anniversary)
	Stations of the Cross after Mass
SAT	Lenten Weekday / St Frances of Rome
	Mass at St Vincent's Hub (check times)
SUN	Fourth Sunday of Lent (B) (Laudate)
SUN 9.30am	Fourth Sunday of Lent (B) (Laudate) Richard & Jilli
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Confessions after 7pm Mass on Tuesday evening and on Saturday from 10am to 10.45am.

Half hour Exposition before Weekday Masses unless otherwise notified.

Collection: £457.19 plus standing orders last week, thank you.

Dona Machine: The DONA machine is now working

Catholic Chaplain urgent call: NGH:

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

S.V.P: If anyone in the parish would like assistance with anything please ring, 07904664898.

Next <u>'Interested in Catholicism':</u> Tuesday 5th March 7.45 pm

First Communion / First Confession: The first session for the children will be today after the 9.30am Mass in the small, green carpeted room. Second session next Sunday 10th March after morning Mass.

Next Sunday is **Mothering Sunday**.

A Pastoral letter is read out from the Bishop today and there is an important handout from the Bishop for every parishioner to collect after Mass.

The next **UCM meeting** will be on Wednesday 6th March after morning Mass.

St Justin's Society will meet on Tuesday 19th March at 7pm. We are always happy to have new members.

Oiche Cheoil Sheachtain Na Gaeilge – A Night of Music for Irish Language Week led by St Vincent's GAA for those who enjoy Irish Traditional Music. 7.30-10pm at The Grapes, Trippet Lane on Wednesday 6th March.

The Freedom Programme is an 11 week programme taking place at Carmel Care in Hillsborough for women who are experiencing or have experienced domestic abuse, starting Wednesday 3rd April, 12-1.30pm. To discuss the programme in confidence call Jacqui on 07309 858 955, email jacquinewhopecommunity@outlook.com

Could you help organise a Parish Social Event? The idea of holding a Parish Social has been raised at various meetings in the past, but if it is to happen we need a small group of volunteers to plan and organise it. If you would be willing to help, please speak to Fr. Walsh or any other member of the Parish Council. Information about Parish Council members is on the website and on posters in the narthex and hall.

Quiz and Chips Night in aid of the Sheffield-based Charity Snowdrop. Snowdrop supports survivors of human trafficking. It will take place on Friday 22nd March at 7:30pm in the church hall. Teams are a max of 8 and it's £10pp.

I am also running the Sheffield Half Marathon on 7th April. If you would like to support the fundraising for the Snowdrop Project in any way, please contact Niamh Grant on 07931914005. Many thanks for the support.

Today is our **Parish Big Lent Walk for Cafod**. Meet in Our Lady's garden at the front after Mass. Please do join and/or sponsor us. We have a fundraising page online, and there is a sponsorship form in the narthex.

https://parishes.walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/st-vincents-crookes-big-lent-walk

Churches in Crookes are having a 'Bring and Mend' session Saturday 9th March 10-12pm at Wesley Hall, Crookes. Clothes mending, small non-electrical household items, bike checks and cycling advice- come and share fixing problems and knowledge, information and cake! You'll be very welcome. A joint effort by Wesley Hall, St. Vincent's, St. Thomas' and St. Tim's. (Contact Columba via WhatsApp or heavygate@aol.com)

Live Simply Pledge for March:

I will reduce my use of energy by using low energy light bulbs and turning them off when they're not needed. I will turn off electrical appliances when not in use, rather than leaving on standby.

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