



St. Vincent's Parish

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PARISH PRIEST: REV. FR. PADDY WALSH

"He has sent me to bring good news to the poor." Lk 4:18

SUNDAY, 5th NOVEMBER 2023

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY PER ANNUM YEAR A

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

SUNDAY, 5 NOVEMBER

Thirty-First Sunday Per Annum

9:30am (Mass): People of the Parish

6:00pm (Mass): Special Intention

Monday, 6 NOVEMBER

Feria

10:30am (Mass at St. Michael's Rivelin):

For the dead of the cemetery and those buried in the Catholic section at Crookes cemetery.

Tuesday, 7 NOVEMBER

Feria / St. Willibrord, Bishop

6:30pm: Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

7:00pm (Mass): Kathleen Pearce (Recently Deceased)

Confessions after Mass

Wednesday, 8 NOVEMBER

Feria

9:00am: Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

9:30am (Mass): Lily Saccomando

Thursday, 9 NOVEMBER

Feast of The Dedication of The Lateran Basilica

9:00am: Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

9:30am (Mass): Elmer & Leach Families

Friday, 10 NOVEMBER

St. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor of The Church

9:00am: Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

9:30am (Mass): John Rigby

Saturday, 11 NOVEMBER

St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

Confessions 10:00 – 10:45am

Mass at St. Vincent's Mission Hub (Check their website for Mass times)

SUNDAY, 12 NOVEMBER

Thirty-Second Sunday Per Annum

9:30am (Mass): Tina Leadley (Recently Deceased)

6:00pm (Mass): People of the Parish

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Week 3 of the Psalter

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.

Live Simply Tip: Support CAFOD by signing one of their online petitions. See www.cafod.org.uk

Interested in Catholicism: 14th November – 7:45pm

Of your charity please pray for the anniversaries:

Greg O'Doherty (5/11/05), Francis Doherty (5/11/05), Patricia Darley (5/11/09), Irene Harrison (6/11/03), Frank Hartley (7/11/69), Joseph O'Hara (7/11/84), Brigid Agnes Gough (7/11/84), Stanislaw Falasa (8/11/11), Lena Brodka (8/11/94), Don Trinder (9/11/05), Mary Kathleen Marsden (9/11/86), Joyce Hunter (9/11/), Vincent Hale (11/11/14), John Edward Toole (11/11/02), Fr Francis Moverley (11/11/85), Irene Lodge (11/11/13), Arthur Ashforth (11/11/00), John Saunders (11/11/30)

and all other anniversaries that occur at this time.

Lately Dead: Elizabeth Loftus and Tina Leadley

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

The collection for last Sunday, 29th October was £477.17 plus standing orders. The electronic giving device has been installed in the Narthex. **Thank you for your continued 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, 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

Please pray for the sick: Peter Mara, 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, Pat Lintott (O'Connor), 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.

Grant them, O Lord, your healing and peace.

St. Vincent's Parish Live Simply Prayer:

Father, source of light and goodness help us to tread lightly on your world, and to share with each other the fruits of your creation.

Acting justly, loving tenderly and living simply. Showing humility and gratitude for all that you give. Lord of heaven and earth.

Did someone say Christmas? : Although the supermarkets may think were nearly there, they're only right about one thing – we do need to prepare! This year the Parish will be having a Midnight Mass in addition to a 5pm Vigil Mass, and the usual 9:30am Christmas Day Mass. We are forming a small choir to lead in the Midnight Mass as we will be singing the Latin Proper's (Kyrie, Gloria, Credo Sanctus, Agnus Dei etc.). If interested please see either Fr. Walsh in the sacristy after Mass, Josh after the Sunday evening Mass, or send an email into the Parish.

Next Practice Friday 17th November – 6pm till 7:30pm

Live Simply Tip for November: I will ask for a donation to a charity instead of a birthday present & Christmas presents.

Parish Film Night - Save the date! **Friday 15th December** - Showing of 'The Letter' at **7 pm**. A story of Pope Francis' invitation to an African refugee, a young Indian student, a community leader from the Amazon and a Hawaiian scientist couple - to share their experience of our changing climate. Glorious and moving scenes of our common home. Bring some Christmas treats to eat - there will be hot and cold drinks and mulled wine provided.

The Union of Catholic Mothers, will be doing the cake stall at the Christmas Bazaar on Saturday 2nd December if anyone would like to donate a cake or help to run the stall please contact Marie Vintin on 07990991118.

November Dead List: If you would like a Mass / Masses said for your loved ones throughout the year, you can pick up an envelope and information slip in the Narthex. Please return it in the sacristy or to the parish office.

Parish Bazaar: The Parish Bazaar will be held on Saturday 2nd December from 11am till 1:30pm. If you would like to book a stall, volunteer to help with setting up, clearing up, helping on the day, or would like more information, please contact Helen (07828752806) or Kathryn (07879014700), or please come and chat to us after mass. We'd love more parishioners to be involved. Many thanks.

MacMillan Coffee Morning Thank You: Thank You all those who supported us in any way to make the event such an enjoyable social event. We raised £2,644 which is just amazing in these challenging times. Our sincere thanks. Tina, Steve and everyone in the Crookes Macmillan Volunteer Team.

Confirmation Candidates: There is only a few weeks to go until The Bishop comes to our parish to carry out one element of his episcopal ministry; that is to confirm others. Our candidates have been working hard to prepare themselves to gratefully receive this sacrament and we would like to ask that you keep them in your prayers in these last few weeks. The confirmations will take place on **Sunday the 26th of November, The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King, at the 9:30am Mass**. That Sunday there will also be a retiring collection for Youth Ministry in the Parish.

Second Collection for Needy Parishes: This Sunday there is a second collection for the Needy Parishes Fund. This is a diocesan fund which helps smaller parishes, or parishes in an emergency situation, with repairs or maintenance work, or in its charitable functions helping those in need.

Ravi's Bible Study on Marks Gospel: Ravi's bible study on Marks Gospel will be on the 16th of November at 6pm. If you missed the first session do not worry it is not too late to join!

Note of Open Parish Meeting: There was an open parish meeting on 27 September. A note of the meeting is available on the parish website - please do read it. Paper copies are available on the tables in the Narthex.

This week's top tip for getting the most out of Holy Mass:

Don't just reactively reach for the Holy Water upon entering and exiting. Make the gesture intentional. As you reach, remember the transformative power of the sacraments. Thank God for the gift of your baptism, by which you have the privilege of being called God's son or daughter. As you trace the sign of the cross upon your body, contemplate how water brings both death and life, and consider how important it is to be covered by and filled with God's grace through the sacraments.

This Sunday's Response to the Psalm:
Keep my soul in peace before you, O Lord.



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