

Our Lady & St. Joseph, Aire Valley

SS Mary & Monica, Cottingley and Sacred Heart, Bingley



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Mass Schedule

week beginning Saturday 8th April 2023

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| Easter Sunday Saturday 8/Sunday 9 April | Solemn Celebration of the Vigil and 1st Mass of Easter 8 pm Mass | Cottingley | Michael Glacken |
| | 9.15am Mass | Cottingley | Leo O'Brien |
| | 11.15am Mass | Bingley | People of the Parish |
| Monday 10 April | No Mass | | |
| Tuesday 11 April | No Mass | | |
| Wednesday 12 April | No Mass | | |
| Thursday 13 April | No Mass | | |
| Friday 14 April | No Mass | | |
| 2nd Sunday of Easter Saturday 15/Sunday 16 April | 4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass | Bingley | Dennis Whitaker |
| | 9.15am Mass | Cottingley | Eileen and Martin Link |
| | 11.15am Mass | Bingley | People of the Parish |

Parish Notices

LENTEN PROJECT Thank you to everyone who took a collection box for KASIN (Kids at School in Nepal). We suggest you use them during Lent for your loose change, money you might otherwise have spent on treats etc. We in TWIG will let you know how much has been raised after Easter. Thank you for your support. If you didn't receive a box, more are available at the back of church. NB John Peet will appreciate the return of the boxes please. They cost him money!

KASIN CHARITY Members of TWIG will be at all the Easter weekend services to collect the boxes for the Lenten project. Thank you for your support for this worthy cause.
Thanks. Vivien

CAFOD Appeal for Earthquake victims in Turkey and Syria CAFOD is providing water, shelter, medical supplies and winter kits for survivors. Your donations have made this possible. To add your support, please visit www.cafod.org.uk/give

Pope Francis' monthly prayer intention for April - For a Culture of Peace and Non-violence
We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

Please remember in your prayers all who are sick at this time especially

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| Derek Armour | Sheila Jenkins | Philomena |
| Christopher Baines | Liam Kay | McKenna |
| Lucy Booth | Jacob Kinsey | Paul McMenamin |
| Michael Bradley | Ria Koetsier | Joan Meggitt |
| Canon Jim | Patricia Long | Sheila Monaghan |
| Callaghan | Richard Longden | John Moran |
| Frieda Clapham | Brian Marie | David Ohr |
| Camilla Devanney | Andrew Markham | Tony Shipman |
| Barbara Furniss | Christine Matthews | Steven Shaw |
| Vincenzo Greco | Bridget | Canon Joe Smith |
| Ian Harrison | McKenna | Elizabeth Spencer |
| Elizabeth Hartley | Harry McKenna | Jeff Trotter |
| | | Mary Walker |
| | | Lisa White |
| | | Ann Wilkinson |

Please contact Colin on [01274 566332](tel:01274566332) with any changes

If you have not already done so, remember to **collect your new offertory envelopes**. Any problems please let Canon Jim's secretary have your contact details. She works Wednesdays and Thursdays and phone/email details are on the bulletin. There are forms available at the back of each church for a new gift aid with envelopes or standing order or simply use to set up a standing order if gift aid not needed. These may be returned to Canon Jim

The CAFOD Lent 2023 Appeal: Ordinary people in Bangladesh inspiring real change. For details see <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ULTqHsawCZU>

Recruitment Of New Diocesan Lay Trustees: Bishop Marcus is seeking to recruit additional Lay Trustees to join the Board of the Diocese of Leeds Trustee. The Board is hoping to secure the appointment of individuals in this round of recruitment with skillsets particularly in Catholic Education, Finance or Property, as well as Governance, Human Resources, Hospitality, Communications & Digital Media, Health & Safety. More information can be found at: www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk or from the leaflet at the back of church.

Bradford Catholic Players "Sing for Ukraine" – There will be a fundraising cabaret concert for Ukrainian refugees at The Ukrainian Club, Legrams Lane, Bradford. Friday 19th May at 7.30, Saturday 20th May at 2.30 and 7.30. Tickets £15 and £10 (under 13s), including sharing platters served to your table, from Anne Copley, Susan Holroyd or Julie Martin, or 07305 632513, email: bcptickets@live.co.uk, or book online at www.ticketsource.co.uk/bradfordcatholicplayers.

There will be a special **Celebration Mass for Married Life** at Leeds Cathedral on Saturday 13th May, at noon for couples and their families celebrating their 25th (Silver), 40th (Ruby), 50th (Golden), 60th (Diamond) and 70th (Platinum) wedding anniversaries this year. There will be an opportunity for couples, who wish to do so, to renew their marriage vows during the liturgy. If you are celebrating the anniversary of your wedding and you would like to take part in this celebration, application forms are available at the back of church, to be returned by the 28th of April to the address on the form.

The Parish Memorial Book

The book has these memories for this week:

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| 8 Kevin Devanny | 12 Mary Thorp |
| 9 Mona Birch | 13 Bert Halton |
| 9 Philip Wholley | 14 Anne-Louise White |
| 10 Essie Sheehan | 14 Trevor Atkinson |
| 11 Lucy Semenjuk | 16 Richard Wright |
| | 16 Rosa Obiedzinski |

To have your loved ones included in the Parish Memorial Book, please send their name and date of death to bulletin@ourladyandstjoseph.org.uk

Sanctuary Candles are lit each week in memory of your loved ones. Please keep the following in your prayers:
Martin & Eileen Link
Trevor Atkinson
Intentions of Andrew
Markham
Deceased Members of the Hammond Family
Moran Family

Children's liturgy

There will be no Children's Liturgy at the 9:15am Mass at Cottingley on Easter Sunday.

Bingley Food Bank

If you're thinking of donating, right now most of the shelves are a little bare, so anything from our recent lists would be really useful:

<https://bingleyfoodbank.org.uk/how-to-donate-food/>

Also needed – volunteers to help run the foodbank.

Contact Barbara bingleyfoodbank@gmail.com for more details.

Knights of St Columba Inter-Parish Quiz

The next round of the regular Inter-Parish Quiz will be held at the The Avondale Club (formerly Shipley Catholic Club) on Monday, 24th April 2023 at 8.00 pm. Teams will ideally be limited to 5 although parishes may enter more than 1 team. The format will be the same as usual with **NO** embarrassing individual questions. There will be **FREE** Pie & Pea Supper, **FREE** engraved trophy for the winners, **FREE** answer sheets, a raffle and good company!

To join in, simply e-mail to kscquiz@virginmedia.com by Friday 21st April 2023

Bishops' Conference issues a report supporting migrants and refugees

Migrants and refugees are human beings not just statistics, the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales states in: 'Love the Stranger' a new publication just released. For more details, see

<https://www.indcatholicnews.com/news/46742>

Open The Book Would you enjoy reading bible stories to children? The Open the Book team act out these stories in schools. Nothing to learn – we have to read from the book. If you would like to take part please email Kathy Hughes on kathyhughes2303@gmail.com

The next **coffee morning** will be held on Tuesday April 11th at 10 am in the meeting room at Sacred Heart church.

Please email **items for the parish bulletin** to me (Colin) at bulletin@ourladyandstjoseph.org.uk before Thursday and I will try to fit your item in.