



Our Lady & St. Joseph, Aire Valley

SS Mary & Monica, Cottingley and Sacred Heart, Bingley

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Mass Schedule

week beginning Saturday 6th May 2023

5th Sunday of Easter	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	Marissa Bell
Saturday 6/Sunday 7 May	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	People of the Parish
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	Rosa Obiedzinski
Monday 8 May	No Mass		
Tuesday 9 May	6.15-6.45pm Confessions 7 pm Mass	Cottingley	Parish Dead List
Wednesday 10 May	10am Mass	Cottingley	Bryan Rollason
Thursday 11 May	10am Mass	Cottingley	Parish Dead List
Friday 12 May	10am Mass	Bingley	Charles Acton
6th Sunday of Easter	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	Baby Conor
Saturday 13/Sunday 14 May	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	Tom Doyle
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	Dr Ian Naylor

Parish Notices

First Sacraments Programme In consultation with St Joseph's Primary School, we have fixed the date for the 1st Holy Communion Mass at St Mary and St Monica's, Cottingley on Sunday 25 June (time yet to be confirmed). Children who attend St Joseph's Primary School and are in Year 4 will already have received Enrolment forms. Please return them to the school office (or to Canon Jim) ASAP. Preparation for **1st Confession** will take place in school and Year 3 children have also received Enrolment forms. Parents of the candidates for **1st Holy Communion** (ie Year 4) are invited to meet in School at 6pm, this coming Wednesday, 10 May, to discuss the Programme with Canon Jim, Mrs McArthur and the teaching staff.

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 May - For Church Movements and Groups We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

A Christian Aid Service is being held at St Michael's Church, Cottingley starting at 10:00 am on Sunday 14 May. All very welcome!

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

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

Please contact Colin on [01274 566332](tel:01274 566332) with any changes to this list.

Forms are available at the back of each church for a new **gift aid** with envelopes or standing order. These may be returned to Canon Jim. To set up a standing order without gift aid, send the completed form direct to your bank.

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 at www.ticketsource.co.uk/bradfordcatholicplayers.

Church cleaning at Sacred Heart needs more cleaners. If you can spare an hour every few weeks to help please contact Margaret Abbott tel. [01274 560340](tel:01274 560340) email mmabbott@hotmail.co.uk.

Would **all holders of red mission boxes** please bring them to church next weekend for emptying and they will then be returned to church for collection the following week. Last year the parish collected a total of £858.44 for the missions, a marvellous effort and a big thank you to everyone.

Red Box holders and supporters are invited to a Leeds Diocesan Mission Mass, Immaculate Heart of Mary church Leeds LS17 6LE Tues 23 May at 2;30. The speaker is a Kenyan Missionary, Sister Nganda and refreshments are available afterwards. Please let me know if you are interested in going or need further information before 18th May. kevingking12@gmail.com

Invitation to meet Rev Jeyapaul of the Kathryn Mercy Trust: Rev Jeyapaul and his son Charles will be staying with Katy Grainger between 28 May and 1 June. Katy warmly invites you to meet Jeyapaul and Charles Monday 29 May evening at her house in Cottingley with food and drink provided. If you would be interested in coming then please contact her on 07749 820810 or email katygrainger70@gmail.com. If you are unable to attend but wish to meet them at a different time please also let me know and this can be arranged. Thank you.

The Parish Memorial Book

The book has these memories for this week:

1 James Power	8 David Eric Yates
2 Chris Mullen	8 James Desilva
2 Elizabeth Crowther	8 Mary Sunter
4 Giuseppina Hrabar	9 George Henry Hill
5 Jean Vanier	10 Una McHenry
6 Eric McManus	10 Walter (Ginger) Biggins
6 Patrick Ahern	11 L/Cpl Alfred James Clark (killed in action 1917)
7 Dermot Rowe	12 Mollie Reveley
7 Gerald Francis Clark	14 Mary & Jim Kennedy

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:
Rewilak & Richards Families Norman & Mary Harker
May Sanderson & Tommy Sibson Kowalczyk Zaniewski
Ahern & Cochrane Families

There will be a **Retiring Collection** over the weekend of 6/7 May for **TWIG (Third World Interest Group)**. On behalf of the Parish, TWIG is sending a cheque to CAFOD for £400.00 for CAFOD's Turkey - Syria Earthquake Appeal.

Bingley Food Bank If you're thinking of donating, right now things are very busy and 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/>

Children's Liturgy

There will be no Children's Liturgy at the 9:15am Mass at Cottingley on Sunday 14th May and Sunday 28th May. If anyone would like to help out with Children's Liturgy please contact Liz liz.firth@live.co.uk

Recently died: Colin Wilson, Chris Leigh and Malcolm Gill. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Christian Aid Week 14-20 May

A 'distribute and collect envelope' House-to-House collection will be taking place in selected streets. Please donate and be nice to our Collectors! More Collectors are required: to help contact Tony Plumbe Tel: [01274 566607](tel:01274 566607) or Email: ajplumbe@hotmail.com. More Counters are required on Monday 22 May & Wednesday 31 May daytime: contact Tony as in the last sentence.

The annual Diocesan Blessed Sacrament Procession

ALL families and individuals will be welcome to our Diocesan Pastoral Centre to process along with Bishop Marcus with the Blessed Sacrament through the grounds of Hinsley Hall. Headingley LS6 2BX Starts at 3pm.

Recent Collections (envelopes and cash)

January - £2803.20
February - £1968.86
March - £2064.35

Second Collections

Lourdes - £119.20
Peru - £10
Youth Service - £5
CAFOD - £388.20
Catholic Care - £466.47

The **coffee morning/social gathering** will be held this month on Tuesday May 9th in the meeting room at Sacred Heart Church from 10.00 to 11.30. Everyone is welcome.

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.