



Our Lady & St. Joseph, Aire Valley

SS Mary & Monica, Cottingley and Sacred Heart, Bingley

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Mass Schedule

week beginning Saturday 10th February 2024

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Saturday 10/Sunday 11 February	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	Parish Dead List
	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	Gina Iannetta
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	Terry Larkin
Monday 12 February	No Mass		
Tuesday 13 February	No Mass		
Wednesday 14 February Ash Wednesday	10am Mass	Bingley	People of the Parish
	7pm Mass	Cottingley	Ernest Walton
Thursday 15 February	No Mass		
Friday 16 February	No Mass		
1st Sunday of Lent Saturday 17/Sunday 18 February	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	Anne Timbrell
	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	Private Intention (C.P.)
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	People of the Parish

Parish Notices

CAFOD Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at cafod.org.uk/ipc or call [0303 303 3030](tel:03033033030) to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need. **CAFOD also has other appeals for emergencies elsewhere too!** Thank you for your prayers and support.

Pope Francis' Intention for February: For The Terminally Ill

Let us pray that the sick who are in the final stages of life, and their families, receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment.

Both churches have a **Hearing Aid Loop** available for the benefit of those hard of hearing.

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

Ministers at Masses this weekend

Saturday 10/02 17:00 Reader Barbara Hladowski
Eucharistic minister Michael Rewilak
Sunday 11/02 09:15 Eucharistic minister H Sandra Walton
Readers R Helena Harrington, P Mark Brennan
Sunday 11/02 11:15 Eucharistic minister Jean Denman
Reader Viv Drake

Ministers at Masses next weekend

Saturday 17/02 17:00 Reader Mark Startin
Eucharistic minister Michael Rewilak
Sunday 18/02 09:15
Eucharistic minister H Helena Harrington
Readers R Ann Mc Kerchar, P Teresa Mills
Sunday 18/02 11:15 Eucharistic minister Peter Harrison
Reader Julie Martin

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

Chris Baines	Liam Kay	Harry McKenna
Marisa Bell	Jacob Kinsey	Philomena
Maria Binns	Ria Koetsier	McKenna
Michael Bradley	Patricia Long	Joan Meggitt
Frieda Clapham	Richard Longden	John Moran
Camilla Devanney	Brian Marie	David Ohr
Barbara Furniss	Andrew Markham	Tony Shipman
Paul Gallagher	Christine	Steven Shaw
Vincenzo Greco	Matthews	Mary Walker
Ian Harrison	Paul McMenamin	Lisa White
Elizabeth Hartley	Bridget McKenna	Ann Wilkinson

Contact Colin on [01274 566332](tel:01274566332) with any changes to this list.

Winter Shelter (4-11 March) Please ring/email Clare Howarth on [07712 162757](tel:07712162757) or clarehow9@hotmail.com to add your name to the rota. The rota is now available on the parish website. **Volunteers needed please especially overnight!**

The SVP are most grateful for your donations for future raffles and tombolas collected during January. Many thanks for your support.

Canon Joe Smith, past parish priest at Sacred Heart FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

Reception of Canon Joe Smith's body into St Patrick's Church, New North Road, Huddersfield HD1 5JY, at 6.30pm on Thursday 29 February followed by Mass. Requiem Mass for Canon Joe Smith is also at St Patrick's Church, Huddersfield, on Friday 1 March at 11am followed by cremation at Huddersfield Crematorium.

The World Day of Prayer will be held at The Eldwick Church, Otley Road. Eldwick on Friday March 1st at 2.p.m. The service, compiled a few years ago by the Christian Women of Palestine, has the theme 'I beg you, bear with one another in love'. Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be provided.

Flower Group at Sacred Heart Church Bingley

The Flower Group is a small group of women who love flowers. The group is looking to recruit new members to start after Easter. We work in pairs providing flowers to decorate the church on a rota basis, once every 5/6 weeks. We are not professional flower arrangers, we just enjoy working with flowers. If you would like to join our friendly group you will be very welcome. If you are interested please ring/email Linda Whitehead on [07812 684 249](tel:07812684249) l.whitehead1956@yahoo.com

The Parish Memorial Book

The book has these memories for this week:

10 Margaret Spillane	14 Annette Davis
11 Eileen Brearley	14 Bert Ashworth
11 Louis Rowe	14 Ernest Walton
11 Robert Bonner	14 Frank Thompson
11 Very Rev. Canon Joseph Finan	15 Richard B. Enright
	17 David Holroyd
12 Marie Marguerite Jennings	18 Christopher Kavanagh
12 Norah Ashworth	18 Douglas Stableford
12 Peter Smith	18 George William Philpott
13 Stuart William Owen	18 Mary Elizabeth Cavill

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: Mary Monaghan

A cheque was sent by TWIG to CAFOD for £700 & asked that the sum be split as follows;
£350 - Turkey - Syria Earthquake Appeal
£350 - Pakistan Floods Appeal
Thanks to all who donated.

CAFOD Family Fast Day is Friday 23 Feb. Please join in by eating simply and giving what you can. Collect a **CAFOD** envelope to Gift Aid your donation or give online. Watch the story of James the Fisherman in the Lent Appeal 2024 at cafod.org.uk

Children's liturgy runs during the 9:15am Mass at Cottingley. Come and find us just before Mass starts in the room at the back of church. We will be running as usual on Sunday 11th February. We'll take a break on Sunday 18th February. There'll be no sessions on Sunday 3rd and Sunday 17th March.

There are **boxes in both churches for the collection of used stamps** which to be used to raise money for **Martin House Hospice**.

The next **coffee morning at Sacred Heart church** will be held on Tuesday 13th February from 10am to 11.30.

Friends of the Holy Land would like to thank all parishioners who raised £307.68 for Christians in the Holy Land. Conditions continue to be extremely challenging. Please continue to remember FHL and those we support in your prayers.

The Trinity Conference 2024 - Reawakening the Catholic Vision: Saturday 17th February, 9.00am-5.00pm, Leeds Trinity University, LS18 5HD. What is the future of our Catholic parishes, schools and homes, when much of what we see appears in decline? TC24 will explore the implications that our Western, 'post-Christendom' society has for the Church's mission today. Bookings (by 9 February) and more info at www.trinityconference.co.uk or email: h.hayward@leedstrinity.ac.uk

Little Sisters Of The Poor - Sadly Mount St. Joseph's Care Home in Headingley, Leeds, run by the Little Sisters of the Poor, will have to close by the end of June 2024, due to the fact that RAAC (Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete) has been found throughout 95% of the roof of the home. Its condition is such that the home cannot continue to be used beyond next year. The present buildings, most of which were constructed in 1971, will need to be demolished. The Sisters have provided outstanding care for so many lay-people and clergy over many years. As a Diocesan family we owe the Sisters a great debt of gratitude. Please pray that a way can be found for the mission of the Sisters to continue in our diocese. More details here: dioceseofleeds.org.uk/urgent-appeal/. **Donations to the Little Sisters** can be made at littlesistersofthepoor.co.uk/donate-here