

Our Lady & St. Joseph, Aire Valley

SS Mary & Monica, Cottingley and Sacred Heart, Bingley



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Mass Schedule

week beginning Saturday 26th October 2024

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Saturday 26/Sunday 27 October	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	Allan Austick (SVP Intention)
	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	Patrick Casey
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	Kate Kubejch
Monday 28 October Ss Simon and Jude, Apostles	No Mass		
Tuesday 29 October	6.15-6.45pm Confessions 7pm Mass	Cottingley	Private Intention (KP and CB)
Wednesday 30 October	10am Mass	Cottingley	Patricia Byrne
Thursday 31 October	10am Mass	Cottingley	Private Intention (DFW)
Friday 1 November All Saints Day – Holyday	10am Mass	Bingley	Maria Marbach
	7pm Mass	Cottingley	People of the Parish
All Souls Day 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday 2/Sunday 3 November	4.15-4.45pm Confessions 5 pm Mass	Bingley	For all the Faithful Departed
	9.15am Mass	Cottingley	Parish Dead List
	11.15am Mass	Bingley	For All the Faithful Departed

Parish Notices

Donate to CAFOD 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 worked 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.

Apologies for the delay. **Collection figures for the month of September are now available:** Envelopes £1167.50, Standing Order Gift Aid £2263.50, Other Standing Orders £266.33, Loose Plate Cottingley £637.83, Loose Plate Bingley £886.34, Catholic Education Service £317.94, Home Mission Sunday £246.53

Pope Francis' Intention for October: For A Shared Mission

Let us pray that the Church continues to sustain a synodal lifestyle in every way, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, communion and mission shared by priests, religious and laity.

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.

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

Ministers at Masses this weekend

Saturday 26/10 17:00 Eucharistic minister Mark Startin

Reader Peter Taylor

Sunday 27/10 09:15 Eucharistic minister H Danuta Petrie

Readers R Elaine Schack, P Teresa Mills

Sunday 27/10 11:15 Eucharistic minister Peter Harrison

Reader Jeremy Charnock

Ministers at Masses next weekend

Saturday 02/11 17:00 Eucharistic minister Michael Rewilak

Reader Anne McArthur

Sunday 03/11 09:15 Eucharistic minister H Sandra Walton

Readers R Mark Brennan, P Angela Asquith

Sunday 03/11 11:15 Eucharistic minister Deirdre Naylor

Reader Julie Martin

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

Marisa Bell	Elizabeth Hartley	Philomena McKenna
Maria Binns	Liam Kay	Joan Meggitt
Helen Bower	Jacob Kinsey	Sheila Monaghan
Michael Bradley	Ria Koetsier	John Moran
Ellerie Carroll	Melissa Le Coultre	David Ohr
Sylvie Cantopher	Patricia Long	Tony Shipman
Frieda Clapham	Richard Longden	Steven Shaw
Camilla Devanney	Brian Marie	Neil Smith
Barbara Furniss	Andrew Markham	Jeff Trotter
Paul Gallagher	Christine Matthews	Mary Walker
Vincenzo Greco	Paul McMenamin	Lisa White
Ian Harrison	Harry McKenna	Ann Wilkinson
		Madeleine Wilkins

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

Find Out More About The Livesimply Award:

Bishop Marcus promoted the CAFOD LiveSimply award in his recent Season of Creation Pastoral Letter. Find out more about the scheme by joining a Zoom meeting on 28 October organised by the Northern Dioceses Environment Group. See the J&P Commission website for more detail www.leedsjp.org.uk

Want to work in our lovely primary school? St Joseph's have a **vacancy for a teaching assistant** at their school. Please see their website for more details: St Joseph's Catholic Primary School - Home (bcwcat.co.uk)

There will be a **retiring collection on the weekend of 3/4 November for the FINAL collection for TWIG** (Third World Interest Group) as the group is closing down shortly.

Important notice:- On the weekend of 9/10 November the Parish will be visited by Father Fabias of the Holy Ghost Fathers to preach at all Masses and appeal for Missionaries from UK Religious Orders who are working abroad.

Recently, the member of staff who led the **Mini Vinnie group at St Joseph's** retired and the school is currently unable to run the Mini Vinnie group meetings. Are there any parishioners willing to volunteer their time to help run our Mini Vinnie meetings in school. The short meetings used to be fortnightly but this could be flexible. Anyone interested or wanting more information please contact the school to speak to Jenny Stephenson.

Prayer For The Synod Of Bishops: The second session of the Synod began on 2 October. The Holy Father has requested the prayers of the whole Church during the Synod. During October, dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary, please consider offering a decade of the Rosary each week to pray for the maternal intercession of the Mother of God, for the Church and for the members of the Synod.

Online Gospel Meditations: The Briery host a weekly hour of meditation/reflection focusing on the following Sunday's readings, providing an opportunity for shared reflection in small groups. Reflection begins at 7.30pm, doors open from 7.15pm for a welcome/chat. All are welcome to attend. To find out more, and to receive the link, email admin@briery.org.uk or call [01943 607287](tel:01943607287).

The Parish Memorial Book

The book has these memories for this week:

October	
26 Philomena Manning	30 Patricia Margaret Byrne
26 Anne Plowden	31 Dorothy Maria Mungovin
27 Maev Margaret Somerset	31 Joan Ellison
27 Maria Marbach	31 Margaret Barraclough
28 Ann Finnigan	1 Edith Annie Barnes
28 Cora Morgan	1 Maria Sands
28 Veronica Gough	1 Michael Moore
29 Catherine Caine	2 Richard Bateson
29 Hilda Clarkson	2 Henry Norman Holt
30 Andrew King	3 Paul B. Enright
	3 James Bottomley

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:

Maeve Somerset Krystyna Lewalski
Michael P. Carroll

Are you an early riser? **Would you like to be a "Welcomer" at SS Mary and Monica's for the 9.15 am Mass?** You'd need to be in church by about 8.50 am. If so, please contact Anne Copley so that you can be included on the rota.
Anne.copley1@btinternet.com or [07980006213](tel:07980006213). Thank you.

If you shop at Asda, please consider nominating St Joseph's for the Cashpots for the schools initiative? If you have their rewards app, you can nominate our school to receive some FREE funding! It costs the shoppers NOTHING but Asda will donate money to school. As of typing, the school has raised £116.23. There are 55 days left, PLEASE support this if you can, it only takes seconds to nominate the school in the app.

Sister Act to be presented by Bradford Catholic Players:

13th to 16th November 2024 at Yeadon Town Hall Theatre, Wednesday-Friday at 7.30 pm, Saturday 1pm & 5.30.
Ticket Prices: Wednesday: Adults £18, Under 18 £5, Thursday to Saturday: Adults £23, Under 18 £10
Tickets are flying off the shelves, so don't miss your chance to experience this joyous show. Secure your seats today! To book your tickets: Visit our Ticket Source link: ticketsource.co.uk/bradfordcatholicplayers.
Email or call Anne Copley, our Ticket Secretary at bcptickets@live.co.uk or [07305 632 513](tel:07305632513)

Friends of the Venerable (Venerable English College, Rome)

The Friends support the college and its students through prayer (including prayer for the College Martyrs), financial help and fellowship. In doing so, the Friends promote the work of the Venerable English College for the Catholic Community in forming the next generation of priests, and providing further training for those ordained, from countries including England and Wales. Friends of the Venerable is a charity registered in England and Wales (1075141).
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The Christopher Wharton Catholic Academy Trust is consulting on the admission arrangements for admissions in September 2026 in line with the requirements of the School Admission Code 2021. For more information please visit: Blessed Christopher Wharton - Admissions Consultation 2026/27 (bcwcat.co.uk) or email David Hymas, Trust Governance Manager david.hymas@bcwcat.co.uk

Advent Events At The Briery: Day of Reflection led by Fr Dennis Cassidy, 10.00am – 4.00pm Saturday 7 December £40pp including a two-course home-cooked lunch.
Advent Preached Retreat led by Fr Chris Thomas 13-15 December, entitled 'Advent – a time to meet the God of Surprises'. £215pp fully inclusive/£100pp non-residential. For more information or to book either of these events, contact the Administrators: admin@briery.org.uk or [01943 607287](tel:01943607287)