

St Theresa of the Child Jesus – Queensbury

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29th February 2020

1st Sunday in Lent Year A

Mass Times	Church	Intention
Sat 6.30pm	St Theresa's	People of the Parish
Sun 10.00am	St Bernard's	Sean Keane L.D.
Mon 1.30pm	St Theresa's	Thanksgiving for 60 years of happy marriage
Tues 10.00am	St Bernard's	Reg & Betty Lownsbrough
Wed 10.00am	St Theresa's	Yorkshire Brethren
Thurs 9.30am	St Bernard's	Stations of the Cross
10.00am	St Bernard's	S.M.G. Intention
Fri 10.00am	St Theresa's	Holy Souls
Sat 10.00am	St Bernard's	Holy Souls
Sat 6.30pm	St Theresa's	
Sun 10.00am	St Bernard's	

Eucharistic Ministers:

29th Feb P. Barker/ G. Coyne
 7th March C. Rothwell/ K. Strubing
 14th March G. Coyne/ P. Barker



Readers: please check with the organist before Mass

29th Feb H. Macintyre/G. Coyne
 7th March I. Richardson/ C. Rothwell
 14th March K. Cooper/M. Brooksbank



Tea/ Coffee:

29th Feb C. Hodgson
 7th March F. Kennedy
 14th March C. Rothwell



Cleaning:

18th March C. Whitfield/ P. Wood
 10th April K. Mundy/ M. Holmes



Flower arranging:

(No flowers in Lent)



Sacrament of Reconciliation:

St Theresa's Saturday 5.45 -6.15pm
 St Bernard's Saturday 9.15- 9.45am



Responsorial Psalm:

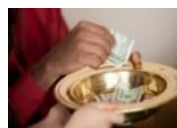
Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Gospel Acclamation:

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus.
Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus.

Offertory:

Envelopes £204.50
 Loose £ 80.50
£285.00



Thank you for your offering

PLEASE CHECK THE ROTAS AND SWAP WITH ANOTHER IF YOU ARE NOT AVAILABLE. Thank you

Please keep in your prayers

Those who have died recently: Sean Keane R.I.P.

The sick and those caring for them: St Theresa's - George Done, Inge Parkinson, Holly, Brendan Barry, Nadine Crowther, Bridget McLoughlin, John Kennedy, Sue Dickerson, the Wainwright family, Evelyn Harland, Francis Moore, Nora Haley, Clifford Browne and Christopher Browne.

St Bernard's – Erminia Pacsai, Lawrence Ward, George Cox, Barbara McDonald, Jean Barraclough, Winifred Cafferkey, Francis Marshall, Eileen Lee, Angela Romanic, Florence Robertshaw, Hylda O'Brien, John Moore.

Those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Eucharistic Ministers – guidance has been given for those distributing the Hosts to wash their hands for which a jug/towel will be provided at the offertory table.

ST. THERESA'S PARISH EVENTS

FATIMA: Mondays - Rosary Prayer 1.20pm & Mass at 1.30pm.

SINGING: Monday 2nd March at 2.45pm.

CRAFT GROUP This takes place in the Church Hall (under the Church) on Russell Road every Tuesday from 1.15pm to 3.30pm. Everyone is welcome, just come along, everything is provided and no experience is necessary. You will be given a warm welcome.

3rd March - Weaving

10th, 17th & 24th March - Patchwork

31st March - Something for Easter

DIARY DATES

5th March - Prayer Group in the Presbytery at 7.30pm

4th April - Palm Sunday

9th April - Maundy Thursday 7.30pm Mass at St Theresa's

12th April - Easter Sunday Mass at 10am in St Theresa's

21st May - Parish meeting 7.30pm

28th June - Summer Fair possible date

8th Nov - Parish lunch

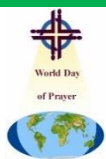
15th Nov - November Fair possible date

3rd October - Parish celebrating Feast of St Theresa

Eucharistic Ministers please collect the rota for the next three months from the post rack in the porch. BF

Parish Meeting 27th February

Twelve parishioners plus Fr. Bob met in the hall to discuss and make decisions for St Theresa's Parish. Matters discussed include maintenance of the church, health and safety checks, electrical report, finance, liturgical arrangements, reports from the many groups and diary events. The meeting is NOT a select group but is open to every parishioner to have their say on the running of the Parish. The latest of our wall hangings depicts the many groups active in our parish. The Parish meeting brings all these together and would welcome new faces and new ideas. Come along to the next meeting on Thursday 21st May at 7.30pm in the Church Hall.



World Day of Prayer - will be held on Friday 6th March at the Baptist Church on Chapel Street this year. People throughout the world will come together on 6th March to pray starting at sunrise in Samoa and ending 36 hours later back in the Pacific as the sun sets over American Samoa. People from 126 countries and islands will come together in prayer. "Encircling the globe in a great wave of prayer." Come and join in this service of prayers which this year has been written by Zimbabwe. The same service will be held at the Halifax Minster at 2pm on the 6th March.

St Theresa's Church hall and its facilities are available for hire at very reasonable charge. Call Bob Frost -01274 883440

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DEANERY EVENTS

Deanery website: www.halifax-deanery.org.uk.

All parish websites are available through the Deanery and therefore easily available for those interested.

Marriage Preparation Course - for those intending getting married in the near future. Sundays 19th & 26th April and 3rd May at 12.15pm in St Marys Presbytery, Clarence Street, Halifax. Contact Deacon John 01422 241345.

FIRST COMMUNION: 16/17th May - in individual Parishes

If you would like your child to make their first confession or first communion please contact Christine Rothwell 07713635431

St Columba's Church Hall:

The Angels Corner Café on 15th March at 12 noon - 2.30pm

Walk Away the Pounds - Thursday at 10.30am in St Columba's Church hall.

DIOCESAN EVENTS

www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Day of Recollection - organised by the Catenians at Leeds Trinity University on 21st March. This will be led by the Bishop of Salford, John Arnold. Cost £20 includes buffet lunch. To book a place contact Chris L'Estrange 07740 624989

Behold 2020 -

The rededication of England as the Dowry of Mary.



On Sunday 29th March 2020 (First Sunday after the Solemnity of the Annunciation), the Bishops of England and Wales will celebrate the rededication of England as the Dowry of Mary in Walsingham, in every Catholic Cathedral, in every parish and in as many homes as possible. To prepare for this they are asking all Catholics to begin a personal 33 day consecration to Jesus through Mary beginning on **21st February**. Copies of the Angelus Promise Prayer are available in the Church porch. For further details please visit www.behold2020.com

ST. JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

www.st-josephs.calderdale.sch.uk

email: admin@st-josephs.calderdale.sch.uk

24th Feb School reopens

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH

19th March - 7.30pm Ladies Group meeting in the hall.

7th April - 7pm Easter Flower arranging. Tickets £14 to include refreshments and your arrangement to take home. Bring your own secateurs and gloves. Contact Kath Hogan 01422 366965

Notices for the bulletin to be in by Wednesday 9pm
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Welcome to all Visitors: Tea/coffee is available downstairs, under the Church, every Saturday evening after Mass. Come and join us.