



St Theresa of the Child Jesus – Queensbury

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A
14th January 2023 - Vigil Mass**

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Saturday	14th January	6.30pm	St Theresa's	People of the Parish
Sunday	15th January	10.00am	St Bernard's	Paul McNerney
		6.00pm	Reception of Stephen Greenwood into St Theresa's	
Monday	16th January	11.00am	St Theresa's	Requiem Stephen Greenwood
Tuesday	17th January	10.00am	St Bernard's	Shaun Hogan anniv
Wednesday	18th January	11.00am	St Bernard's	Requiem Maureen Lassey
Thursday	19th January	10.00am	St Bernard's	Paul Murphy anniv
Friday	20th January	10.00am	St Theresa's	
Saturday	21st January	10.00am	St Bernard's	
Saturday	21st January	6.30pm	St Theresa's	
Sunday	22nd January	10.00am	St Bernard's	

Responsorial Psalm:

Here I am, Lord! I come to do your will.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessings on the King who comes, in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens! Alleluia!

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Welcomers:</u>	<u>Readers:</u>
14 th Jan	K. Strubing & M. Brooksbank	<i>I. Richardson</i>
21 st Jan	C. Rothwell & M. Gill	<i>M. Brooksbank</i>
		<i>Please check with the organist prior to Mass.</i>

**Confession: *Saturday*
*6.15pm before Mass***

Offertory Collection *Thank you*

Please keep in mind all those who are in need in our prayers for whatever reason especially at St Theresa's –The Hales family, Anne-Marie, Betty Mackrill , Cath & David Hodgson, Inge Parkinson, Sam Rose, Anne & Jack, Eastic & Hepworth families, Florence Stott, Stephanie Foster, Kath & Terry Hall, Rose Spence, Chris Kenna, Fausto D'Italia, Jean and Barry Parker and many special intentions.

St Bernard's – Barbara McDonald, Jean Barraclough, and Francis Marshall

Those who have died recently: Maureen Lassey RIP, Allan Tillie RIP, Stephen Greenwood RIP (Stephen will be received into Church Sunday 15th January at 6pm with the Requiem Mass on Monday 16th January at 11am)

Those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Ernest Duckworth

PARISH EVENTS



NO FATIMA MASS this Monday due to the funeral



There will be tea/ coffee in the Church Hall after Mass. All are welcome.

ST THERESA'S CRAFT GROUP in the Church Hall on Tuesdays 1.30pm - 3.30pm. Everything is provided. Just come along and enjoy a warm welcome, good company and the opportunity maybe to learn some new skills.

January 17th 24th & 31st - Weaving
February 7th, 14th & 28th - Clay work
February 21st - No Meeting
March 7th, 14th & 21st - Bears
March 28th - Sugar flowers
April 4th - Simnel Cakes



St Theresa's Stay and Play in the Church Hall every Thursday morning in term time from 9.15am to 11.15am.
0-6 months - £2 6+ months £3
Drink & Snack supplied



Flower arrangements:
Week ending – 20th January
Cath Hodgson & Pam Pattison

Church Cleaning:

Week ending 20th January: Fel Kennedy & Christine Rothwell



There will be a private function in the Church Hall this Sunday 15th January.



Do you recognize this attractive lady? All will be revealed later in the bulletin.

PARISH MEETING 5th January 2023

- The Parish finances were explained. The offertory income has declined by 50%
- Our energy bill for December was approaching £800. (Two of the weeks in December the hall was not used).
- The joiners who will replace the windows downstairs are happy to wait for the go ahead.
- Todds have been approached regarding the replacement of the lights in the kitchen area with LED ones which are more economical.
- BF will repair the tabernacle shelf.
- Easter services at St Theresa's – Holy Thursday Mass at 6.30pm
Good Friday Stations at 7.30pm
Easter Sunday Mass at 10am
- Ash Wednesday 22nd February and Lent lunches will start on 25th February at 12.30pm
- Spiritual Regeneration: a Deanery Mission 'I am with you' 15th – 18th May.
- Agreed that Holy Day Masses will be 6.30pm at St Theresa's
- We will continue with one reader at Mass.
- Parish Social events were discussed.
- Date of next meeting – 27th April



The Pope's Prayer

**Intention for JANUARY –
for educators**

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL



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ST BERNARD'S PARISH

Coffee after 10am Mass on Sundays.

Confessions Saturday 9.45am

Wednesday 18th January – Parish Meeting in the Church hall. All welcome.

For social events please contact Joe Reid
01422 203063

SOCIAL PROGRAMME:-

25th Feb, 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th March –Lenten lunches at 12.30pm

23rd April - Afternoon tea

11th June –Summer Fair

8th October – Afternoon Tea

12th November - Remembrance Day Parish lunch

19th November – Christmas Fair



We have been successful with our application for lottery funding and have received £9,000 which will cover the cost of replacing the windows. Massive thanks to Keith for persisting with this. YEAH!!!!



Cath Hodgson is 80 years young on 14th January. She is celebrating at a musical afternoon with her family and friends. A very happy birthday, Cath.

(Did you recognize Cath earlier in the bulletin?)

DEANERY EVENTS: www.halifax-deanery.org.uk

SVP has a group at St Mary's – contact 07512011440

Brew and Chat – 2nd Monday of the month at St Columba's Church.

Walk off the pounds - every Thursday at 11am in St Columba's Church hall.

Daisy Chain café Tuesday 17th January from 1.30pm – 3.30pm in St Columba's Hall.

Bishop Robert Barron at the QE Centre in London - one day conference. If you are interested in attending the conference and travelling down on the coach please contact Fr. Henry Longbottom on henry.longbottom@dioceseofleeds.org.uk or 01132678257 for more information.

MISSION

“I am with you” –Halifax Deanery Mission 2023 will be in the week leading up to the feast of the Ascension. (15th – 18th May) The Catholics of our deanery will be celebrating a week of Mission, sharing with each other and the wider community the love of Jesus.

Facebook: @missionhalifax Twitter: @halifaxmission Instagram: @missionhalifax

DIOCESAN EVENTS:www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Diocesan Safeguarding Co-ordinator 0113 2618069/ safeguarding@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Hinsley Hall is available for meetings, functions, receptions ... Tel: 0113 26180000 or email conference@hinsley-hall.co.uk

Bishop- elect Philip Moger will be ordained a Bishop on 21st February. He was ordained in 1982 and served in the Leeds Diocese for many years.

Housekeeper Vacancy at St Patrick's Presbytery, Huddersfield. 20 hours per week, Tuesday – Friday. For further information and application form contact 01284 531483 or email office.holyredeemer@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Notices for the bulletin to be in by 1pm on Thursday to christinerothwell@btinternet.com
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