

St Joseph's and St Patrick's

Diocese of Leeds Registered Charity No. 249404

Barnoldswick, Earby and District

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THE SECOND WEEK OF CHRISTMAS

2nd January 2022

If you have Corona Virus Symptoms:

High temperature and new continuous cough, a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste, take a test and stay at home. (NHS Advice). Please wear a face mask in church if you can.

Times of Masses:

Saturday 1 st Jan	The Feast of the Mother of God	10.00 a.m.	Mr Thacker (LD)
	Vigil	5.30 p.m.	Janet Nixon (A)
Sunday 2 nd	2 nd Sunday of Christmas	9.00 a.m. (St Pat's)	Fr Geoffrey Parfitt (1 st An)
		10.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
Monday 3 rd	Holy Name of Jesus	9.00 a.m.	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Tuesday 4 th	Weekday of Christmas	7.30 p.m.	Thanksgiving (KA)
Wednesday 5 th	Weekday of Christmas	10.00 a.m.	Refugees
Thursday 6 th	The Epiphany	10.00 a.m. (St J's)	SVP & Friends
	Of the Lord	7.00 p.m. (St Pat's)	People of the Parish
Friday 7 th	After the Epiphany	10.00 a.m.	Dead List
Saturday 8 th	After the Epiphany	10.00 a.m.	Pauline Morris
	Vigil	5.30 p.m.	Alice Nixon (A)
Sunday 9 th	The Baptism of	9.00 a.m. (St Pat's)	People of the Parish
	The Lord	10.30 a.m.	Tony Russell

Confessions: Saturday: 9.30 – 10.00 a.m., and 4.45 – 5.15 p.m., or by request.

Evening Prayer on Tuesday at 7.15 p.m. before evening Mass at St Joseph's.

Feast of the Epiphany on Thursday 6th January (12th Day of Christmas) is normally a holyday of obligation, but it is not quite 'normal' at the moment. Masses will be celebrated on Thursday morning at **St Joseph's at 10.00 a.m.** and **7.00 p.m. at St Patrick's.**

With the new thermostat installed at Earby the church is a lot warmer now!

Please welcome the Rev'd Yemane Aradon this weekend. He has been studying for the priesthood at Oscott College, near Birmingham, and hails from Eritrea in Africa (north of Ethiopia), he was originally a refugee. He was ordained a deacon last summer and will be ordained to the priesthood on 23rd July in Leeds Cathedral. Yemane will be with us from 2nd to the 19th January.

Offertory Collection: (26.12.21) £432.05 Many thanks.

Please note, NEXT weekend January 8th/9th there is an envelope for the Poor Mission Fund.

We now have the quarterly '**Living Faith**' booklets available at the back of church, £1.50. The January edition of the **Catholic Herald** has also arrived, £4.00 – lots of information.

First Reconciliation (Confession) – There will be a preliminary meeting for parents and their children at school on Tuesday 11th January at 6.00 p.m.

Special Prayers

Jennie Hendley – Marie & Bob Fletcher – Mary Posiko – Margaret DeVito – Phyllis Kirrage – Val Kaynell – Mark Hoare – Dale McLaughlin – Marie Keating – Max Hudson – Peter Catley – Stan Nelson – Paul Wood – Tony Atherton – Pat Maloney - Mandy McLaughlan – Vincent Reeves – Alfred Atherton – Jo Walton – Gladys Maloney – Jack Greenhalgh – Paul McLaughlan – Eric Wood – Robert McCaigue – Kay Hudson – Frederick & Annie Shaw – Marjorie Higgins – Jim Kelly – Jo Walton.

Please pray for these and for the comfort of anyone suffering in any way. Please also remember the recently deceased and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

Groups in the Centre will presumably resume shortly, unless the omicron virus stops them!

Events in the Parish Centre:

Monday	10.00 – 12.00 noon	Rhythm Time for babies, toddlers and pre-school.
	6.30 - 7.30 p.m.	Yoga
Tuesday	1.30 - 2.30 p.m.	Yoga
	5.00 – 6.00 p.m.	Slimming World
	6.45 – 7.45 p.m.	Zumba
Wednesday	9.15 - 11.00 a.m.	Closed. We will be re-opening on 5 th January
	6.00 - 8.00 p.m.	Dog Training
Thursday	9.45 – 11.45 a.m.	Pilates (2 hours)
	6.00 - 7.00 p.m.	Rainbows and Brownies
	7.30 - 9.00 p.m.	Yoga
Friday	10.15 – 11.15 a.m.	Grace's Exercise Class for Mums and Babies
Saturday	9.00 - 11.00 a.m.	Junior & Infant Rugby Training

Airedale Hospital Chaplain: If you require Fr Michael McLaughlin please phone 01535 653153