

St Joseph's and St Patrick's

Diocese of Leeds Registered Charity No. 249404

Barnoldswick, Earby and District

Parish Priest: Fr Phillip Hall is currently unavailable.

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Email: office.stjoseph.barnoldswick@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Please use these contacts to report any issues regarding St Joseph's or St Patrick's churches

1st June 2025

7th Sunday of Easter

Masses and Services this week

We welcome Mgr Fisher who is saying the masses for us this weekend.

Sat 31 May	5:30pm	St Joseph's Vigil Mass – People of the Parish
Sun 01 Jun	9:00am	St Patrick's Mass – Intentions of Mary & Matty Fenwick
	10:30am	St Joseph's Mass – Marie Fee
Mon 02 Jun	No Mass or Service	
Tue 03 Jun	No Mass or Service	
Wed 04 Jun	10:00am	St Joseph's Mass – Fr Firth recovery. Said by Fr Paul Coffee in the Centre after Mass.
Thur 05 Jun	10:00am	St Patrick's – Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Fri 06 Jun	No Mass or Service	
Sat 07 Jun	5:30pm	St Joseph's Vigil Mass - Refugees
Sun 08 Jun	9:00am	St Patrick's Mass – People of the Parish
	10:30am	St Joseph's Mass – Bernard Spencer (A)

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday 3rd June at 6pm in the Parish Centre Lounge.

Centenaries – Ideas Group Saturday

7th June at 10:00am. In the Parish Centre.

We are forming an ideas group to discuss our two churches forthcoming centenaries. Please come along to the meeting.

SVP AWARENESS WEEKEND 7th/8th June.

Please do pick up a leaflet have a chat with an SVP member and consider joining us.

SVP MEETING Tuesday 10th June 9:30am in the Sacristy

SVP Service of the Word followed by a light lunch

Friday 13th June 11.00a.m. Parish Centre.

Please give your name to any SVP member if you need a lift to the service or **phone 07749092478.**

Mass Intentions

Please note: Currently only two mass intentions can be said each week so it may not be possible to say the masses on the dates requested. Fr K Driver could say masses in other churches, or he could pass the mass intentions on to other priests in the Diocese who do not receive many. If you are happy for this to happen, please state this on your mass intention envelopes.

Special Prayers:

Phil Wood - Emma Cook - Jennie Hendley – Phyllis Kirrage – Val Kaynell – Mark Hoare – Dale McLaughlin – Max Hudson – Peter Catley – Stan Nelson – Paul Wood – Tony Atherton – Pat Maloney - Mandy McLaughlan – Vincent Reeves – Alfred Atherton – Gladys Maloney – Paul McLaughlan – Kay Hudson – Frederick & Annie Shaw – Marjorie Higgins – Jo Walton – Jose Kelly – Margaret Rundle – Gus Nixon – Maureen Murgatroyd – Rex Perraton – Mary Fenwick – Jean O'Hara – David Clark – Valerie Ashworth – Kim Fawcett – Josie Jones – Fr. Phillip – Maureen Howarth – Fr Kevin Firth, Joe Nckerman. 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.

Ministry of Readers: St Joseph's:

31st May 5:30pm Alison Adams & Kirsty Reed

01st June Bernard Swarbrick & Radel Lis

07th June 5:30pm Kath Altham

08th June Joe Whlley & Radek Lis

St Patrick's:

01st June David & Pina

08th June Jan & Sandra

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

01st June Paul Gauntlett

08th June Anne Wood

Offertory Collection.

Sunday 25th May: St Joseph's £431 St Patrick's £117

Thank you for your contributions,

Regular standing orders amount to £720 per month.

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This weekend there is a collection for Catholic Communications

Offertory Collection Envelopes

These are now available on the table inside the main entrance. Please collect your box of envelopes. If you are unable to find your replacement box or you wish to begin using envelopes to make your offertory donation please contact Doug Boyd on 07789913925. For those wishing to donate by Standing Order the details of how to do so are in the section on **Parish Giving.**



11 May	53	23	2
18 May	69	28	148
25 May	47	10	36

Light refreshments are served after Sunday Mass at both St Patrick's and St Joseph's.

LIKE A BARGAIN? –

Visit the Repository Stall for very competitively priced greetings cards, mass cards, prayer cards etc. A few reduced items available. Please leave your money on the stall at the back. If you require change, please pay later when someone is available at the stall to give change..

First Holy Communion Preparation Session Dates These will be held in the parish centre on Saturday afternoons 4:15 p.m. until 5:15 p.m.:

Saturday 31st May
Saturday 07th June
Saturday 14th June
Sunday 22nd June – First Holy Communion Mass

Your Parish Giving: Standing Orders for your parish giving: Quite a few parishioners now take advantage of paying their weekly collection by standing order. If you would like to pay by standing order, please collect a form and complete it for your banking or, if you are online banking, please see the bulletin below for our bank details. **Gift Aid:** complete a gift aid form and return to us if you would like our parish to benefit from an HMRC tax break. If you are eligible to pay tax, then we can benefit from your giving directly. For every £1, we gain 25p. The form to complete and return to us is the same form as the standing order - just complete the gift aid section only and return to us. For internet Banking or setting up a Standing Order: Name: Diocese of Leeds St Joseph's Church Barnoldswick. Sort Code: 40-27-15 Account No: 61016709 Many thanks for your generosity. Cheques payable to 'Diocese of Leeds St Joseph's Church Barnoldswick'. The parish has benefitted directly in the past from generous parishioners who have bequeathed to the parish in their wills. Of your charity, would you please consider leaving something of your estate for the benefit of our parish. Please indicate by adding for the sole and exclusive use of St Joseph's or St Patrick's church.

Faith Chat Group dates:

wed 11th June 11am in St Joseph's Comm Centre, **Barlick**
Thurs 26th June 11am in Earby town council office, **Earby**
Wed 9th July 11am in St Joseph's Comm Centre, **Barlick**
Thurs 24th July in Earby town council Office, **Earby**
Just turn up or enquiries to Claire on 07359538853

Emmaus Bereavement Care

Care Group dates

Thurs 19th June 11am in Earby town council office, **Earby**
(NB: This is a change from 12th June)
Wed 25th June 11am in St Joseph's Comm centre, **Barlick**
Thurs 10th July 11am in Earby town council office, **Earby**
Wed 23rd July 11am in St Joseph's comm centre, **Barlick** held

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Skipton: - held in St Stephen's Parish Centre
Wed 4th June 2-4pm

Tues 3rd Jun Drop in from 7.30pm
Tues 1st Jul Drop in from 7.30pm
Tues 5th Aug Drop in from 7.30pm
Tues 2nd Sep Drop in from 7.30pm
Tues 14th Oct Drop in from 7.30pm

Finding God in All Things - Briery Retreat Centre Ilkley – 12th June 10:00am – 3:30pm £35pp inclusive of all resources, refreshments and 2 course lunch. Bookings: 01943 607287 or admin@briery.org.uk

WEBELIEVE FESTIVAL OF CATHOLIC LIFE: 25-28 July 2025, celebrating the Jubilee Year of Hope, with parishes and families in mind. Four days of music, keynotes, conversation & worship, in the beautiful surroundings of St Mary's College. Early Bird Tickets available now at www.webelievefestival.com

St Joseph's Church Baptisms and Weddings: Please approach the priest after Mass

2025: The Jubilee Year. Every 25 years we have a jubilee year. This jubilee, the theme is the Pilgrimage of Hope In our deanery, the parish of St Joseph, Keighley has been chosen to be our area church for the jubilee. This means that throughout the year, there will be events and services on the theme. In our own churches, there will be services and gatherings planned. At St Joseph's, I am designating the altar of Our Lady of Perpetual Succor as a focal point for the Jubilee Year. And at St Patrick's, the statue of Our Lady. St Stephen's Skipton have a number of Jubilee events planned. For other events, please have a look at St Stephen's Skipton website on www.ststephenskipton.org.uk

3:00pm. Former students, staff and friends of St Bede's all welcome. To reserve a place, contact jubilee@sbsj.co.uk or Mary Hymas 01274 941941. (Highgate, Heaton, BD9 4BQ),

CATHOLIC SCHOOL FOUNDATION GOVERNORS: Volunteers needed to support the governance of our Diocesan schools. Further information from Kieron Flood, Director of Education: education.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk. Alternatively, please contact Anne Wood - Email: office.stjoseph.barnoldswick@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

PRIESTLY VOCATIONS MEETING: Following the Bishop's recent Pastoral letter, this is a reminder that any man who is even remotely thinking about a vocation to the priesthood is invited to meet with Bishop Marcus and the Vocations Promotion Team. Hinsley Hall, Pentecost Sunday, 8 June, 2pm lasting about an hour, including prayers/talks/Q&A. Under 18s must be accompanied by parent/guardian. Queries to Fr Simon Lodge (simon.lodge@dioceseofleeds.org.uk /01274 872984). Please email Miss Anne Cooke (bishop.secretary@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) if you are attending.

Assist us to live, not die:

Parliament is about to have a third reading of the Bill that will give individuals the right to commit suicide with assistance by someone else. Please do collect the postcard, read and send it on to our MP. This Bill dangerously encourages coercion, improper safeguard guarantees, a slippery slope for expanding the remit, and a blatant disregard for the work of palliative care. We already have an existing Assisted Dying pathway in our country which needs more financial support from government to help the hospice movement and such like. The Bill has been called 'Assisted Dying' to avoid the word suicide for its obvious connotations. It is in effect a Bill to support assisted suicide. Please do act as a conscientious Catholic to stand up for the rights of the most vulnerable.

Motorcycle Challenge – Raising funds for St Joseph's Primary School.

Michael O'Connor is raising funds to support the purchase of some iPads for use by the pupils, given the limited resources available to the school to provide up to date IT equipment.

On **Saturday 21 June 2025**, he is hoping to ride his £600 1988 Kawasaki (**Ron** the) Tomcat from **Lands End** to **John O'Groats** in the 24 hours of the Summer Solstice.

The next day he will move across the Highlands of Scotland ready for the next leg of his trip. The following day, travel from **Ardnamurchan Point** (furthest point West on UK mainland) to **Ness Point, Lowestoft** (furthest point East).

Michael hopes to be home in Pendle the next day! **Total mileage c2250 miles** Please support him using this link to his fundraising page for St Joe's:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/mjoc-one-man-and-his-tomcat-mbikeride-stjosephs-ipads-2025>

Airedale Hospital Chaplain: Please contact the Chaplaincy 01535 294 088 or Mr Vince Curran 01535 661897. Fr McLaughlin is currently off sick. When a Catholic is admitted to hospital it is essential that they be recorded as a Catholic on their medical records.