

200 Club Last week's winners
 1st March: 1st : 118 2nd : 168 3rd : 67
 Congratulations!



Weekly draw takes place after Sunday Mass in the Parish Centre.
 Gotta be in it  to win it!

Light refreshments are served after Sunday Mass at both St Patrick's & St Joseph's Join us for a cuppa. All welcome!

Meetings:
St Joseph's & St Patrick's Centenary Initiatives Meeting -Saturday 21st March at 10.30 to 11.30 in the Parish Centre. All welcome.
Social & Fundraising Committee Meeting – Wednesday 8th April at 6.00 pm in the Sacristy.
Next Parish Council Meeting – Tuesday 21st April at 5.30 pm in the Parish Centre.

Red Boxes: Please bring your Red Box into church for emptying. Many thanks.

JOIN BISHOP MARCUS IN PRAYING FOR VOCATIONS: Our Lady of Unfailing Help! Pray that the Lord of the Harvest will send labourers into His harvest and that He will grant an abundance of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life within the Diocese of Leeds, and throughout the world. Amen.

Airedale Hospital Chaplain: Please contact the Chaplaincy 01535 294 088 97.
 When a Catholic is admitted to hospital it is essential that they be recorded as a Catholic on their medical records.

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A warm welcome to our parishioners and visitors

8th March 2026 – 3rd Sunday of Lent

Readings: *Page:158 of Parish Mass Book*
Masses and Services this week

Day	Time	Church/Service/Intention
Sat 7 th March	9:30 am 10:00am 5:30pm	St Joseph's – Confessions 9:30 – 9:55am Mass – Feast of Ss Perpetua & Felicity No Mass Intention Vigil Mass – St Joseph's – Gus Nixon
Sun 8 th Mar	9:00am 10:30am	3rd Sunday of Lent St Patrick's – Refugees & Asylum Seekers St Joseph's – People of the Parish
Mon 9 th Mar		No Mass or Service
Tue 10 th Mar	7:00pm	St Joseph's Mass – No Mass Intention
Wed 11 th Mar	10:00am	St Joseph's Mass – For Peace and those affected by war
Thu 12 th Mar	10:00am	St Patrick's Mass – For Peace and those affected by war.
Fri 13 th Mar	10:00am 1.15 pm	St Joseph's Mass – No Mass Intention St Joseph's - Stations of the Cross Lead by pupils from St Joseph's School
Sat 14 th Mar	9:30am 10:00am 5:30pm	St Joseph's - Confessions 9:30 – 9:55am Mass – No Mass Intention Vigil Mass – People of the Parish
Sun 15 th Mar	9:00am 10:30am	4th Sunday of Lent St Patrick's – For Peace and those affected by war St Joseph's – For Peace and those affected by war.



Baptisms and Weddings: Please speak to Fr Reilly after Mass.

Mass Intentions: . There is a shortage of Mass Intentions so if you would like any Masses saying, for any reason, please place your intentions in the envelopes provided at the back of church.

Catholic Care's Annual Appeal: will take place in all parishes across the Diocese of Leeds on 14th / 15th March. We ask every parish to support the Appeal. Your generosity is vital in helping us to continue our work with those most in need. This year's collection will support our community markets, Gianna Babybank and social isolation groups. Any donation is greatly appreciated, and we hope you can help us make this our most successful Appeal yet.

SVP News – Next Meeting, after Mass Saturday 21st March 10.30 a.m. in the Parish Centre.

Parish Centre Boiler Replacement: Hopefully work to replace the boiler in the Parish Centre will commence at the end of next week and will take 3 to 4 days.

Ministry of Readers			Eucharistic Ministers
St Joseph's			
7 th Mar	5:30pm	Phillip Harrison	
8 th Mar		Anne Wood & Radek Lis	Maria Boyd
14 th Mar	5:30pm	Julia Townson	
15 th Mar		Jackie Clark & Radek Lis	Anne Wood
St Patrick's			
8 th Mar		Michael & Luke	
15 th Mar		David & Pina	

Last week's Offertory Collection: 28th Feb/1st March St J's £408 St Pt's £133

Regular standing orders amount to £760 per month.

Next Weekend Retiring Collection for Catholic Care

You may make an offering to the Parish by using the QR Code

Thank you for your generosity!

DAY FOR CATECHISTS, CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: Saturday 11th April, 10am-3pm, Hinsley Hall The Vicariate for Education ran a very fruitful and well-attended day workshop for Children's Liturgy of the Word catechists in January. For anyone who was unable to make it, there will be a repeat of the day on the 11th April. This will include similar input, times of sharing and prayer. Lunch included. Please register your free place no later than 3rd April by emailing formation@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Dates for children making first Act of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

Sat 7th Mar: 4.15: Reconciliation Session 2 First Holy Communion Session 1. Meet in the school at 4.15 for a short meeting together followed by separate sessions for each Sacrament.

Sat 14th Mar: 4.15: Reconciliation Session 4 First Holy Communion Session 2

Sat 21st Mar: 4.15: Reconciliation Session 4 First Holy Communion Session 3

Both these dates held in the Parish Centre.

Friday 27th Mar: 2.15 Reconciliation Session 5 **IN SCHOOL – NO PARENTS**

Sat 28th Mar: 4.15: First Holy Communion Session 4

Sat 25th April: 4.15: First Holy Communion Session 5

Both these dates held in the Parish Centre.

Children make the First Act of Reconciliation at 4.00 pm on Saturday 25th April

Friday 8th May: 1.30 – 3.15 p.m. Retreat in school for children (no parents), who have just made their First Confession and who will be making their First Holy Communion.

Sat 16^h May: 4.15: First Holy Communion Session 6 – in the Parish Centre.

Children make their First Holy Communion on the Feast of Corpus Christi

Sunday 7th June at 10.30 Mass.

Dates for School Visits during Lent:

Friday 7th March – KS2 attend Mass.

Friday 13th March – 1.15 pm Class 5 lead Stations of the Cross – All welcome

Thursday 19th March – St Joseph's Day – Father to say Mass in school – All welcome.

Friday 20th March - 1.15 pm Class 4 Stations of the Cross – All welcome

Friday 27th March – 9.30 till 11.00 am Lent Big Walk – Children will start with a short liturgy and walk from church to Victory Park, around the park onto school track. There will be prayer stations set up around the walk. 'Friends of St. Joseph's' will be selling cakes. Proceeds from cakes go to school. Sponsor money will be split with CAFOD and the Good Shepherd Appeal.

Special Prayers:

Emma Cook - Jennie Hendley – Phyllis Kirrage – 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 – 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 Nickerman – Marie Fletcher – Larry Coulston – Adele Hargreaves - Anon. 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.

Dates for the Diary:

21st March **SVP Meeting** at 10:30am in the Parish Centre.

18th April 7:00pm Parish Ctr. **Remember the Imp?** Join us for a film show that heralds the great days of the **Nelson Imperial Ballroom**. The screening will show case highlights from its rich history, offering a unique opportunity to revisit those golden years. A fabulous night for everyone £10 inclusive of supper.



