

200 Club Winners 19th April
 1st: 111; 2nd:135; 3rd:36
 Congratulations!



Weekly draw takes place after Sunday Mass in the Parish Centre.

Gotta be in it to win it! ☆



A warm welcome to our parishioners and visitors

26th April 2026 – 4th Sunday of Easter

Readings: Page 262 of The Parish Mass Book

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

When a Catholic is admitted to hospital it is essential that they be recorded as a Catholic on their medical records.

Wallet cards there are a limited number available at the back of church. Please take a card to carry with you as a spiritual companion to express your Catholic identity in case of an emergency / life-threatening accident.

Airedale Hospital Chaplain: Please contact the Chaplaincy 01535 294 088 97.
Blackburn Hospital Chaplaincy Team: 01254 733632 or 01254 733001 or via the hospital switchboard on 01254 263555 or by email at chaplains@elht.nhs.uk.

St Joseph's and St Patrick's

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Barnoldswick, Earby and District

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Diocese of Leeds Safeguarding: www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/safeguarding

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Masses and Services this week

Day	Time	Church/Service/Intention
Sat 25 th Apr	9:30am 10:00am 5:30pm	St Joseph's – Confession until 9:55am Mass –St Mark the Evangelist - No Intention Vigil Mass – Joe Nixon (LD)
Sun 26 th Apr	9:00am 10:30pm	4 th Sunday of Easter St Patrick's Mass – people of the Parish St Joseph's Mass – Marjorie Higgins Recovery
Mon 27 th Apr		No Mass or Service
Tue 28 th Apr	7:00pm	St Joseph's – Mass – Antoni Lis
Wed 29 th Apr	10:00am	St Joseph's – Mass – St Catherine of Sienna- Anne Wood Special Intention
Thur 30 th Apr	10:00am	St Patrick's – Mass – No Intention
Fri 1 st May	10:00am	St Joseph's – Mass –St Joseph the Worker - Marjorie Higgins
Sat 2 nd May	5:30pm	St Joseph's – Vigil Mass – People of the Parish
Sun 3 rd May	9:00am 10:30am	5 th Sunday of Easter St Patrick's – Mass – No Intention St Joseph's – Mass – Marjorie Higgins



"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me"

John 10:27

**Good Shepherd
Sunday**

2nd and 3rd May Fr Melaku T. Amente from the White Fathers will be saying Masses for us. A collection for the White Fathers will be taken after each Mass.

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.

Meetings:

Social & Fundraising Committee Meeting – Monday, May 18th at 4.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Everyone is welcome to attend or if you have any ideas for Fundraising and cannot attend, please pass these on to any member of the Parish Pastoral Council or make a note in the Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Communications Book at the back of both churches. It is vital that we look at ways to increase fundraising to cover costs of urgent works required at both St Joseph's Church and St Patrick's Church

Red Mission Boxes

Please bring the red mission boxes to church so they can be emptied. Thank you!

Ministry of Readers			Eucharistic Ministers
St Joseph's			
25 th Apr	5:30pm	Phillip Harrison	
26 th Apr		Les Wood & Radek Lis	Anne Wood
2 nd May	5:30pm	Julia Townson	
3 rd May		Anne Wood & Radek Lis	Paul Gauntlett
St Patrick's			
26 th April		Luke & Michael	
3 rd May		Pina & David	

Last week's Offertory Collection To be advised

Regular standing orders amount to £760 per month.
 Second collection this weekend for Priest Training Fund
 Second collection next weekend for The White Fathers after each Mass



QR Code may be used for offertory giving.

Thank you for your generosity!

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Saturday 25th April 4:00pm	St Joseph's Church – First Confession
These children will make their First Confession , Details will be given later - in the meantime please pray for all our young people who will be receiving this sacrament for the first time.	



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Children who are making their First Holy Communion this year still have three sessions to attend:

Saturday 25th April 4:15pm	Parish Centre
Saturday 16th May 3:30pm	Beginning with practice in the church – followed by a session in the Parish Centre
Sunday 7th June 10:30am Feast of Corpus Christi	St Joseph's Church - First Holy Communion
Children will make their First Holy Communion on the Feast of Corpus Christi the 7th June at 10.30 Mass. Everyone is invited to this celebration and are asked to pray for our parish children who are receiving Holy Communion for the first time.	

Special Prayers:

Please pray for the comfort of anyone who is sick, housebound or suffering in any way. Please also remember the recently deceased and those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

CONSULTATION ON THE FUTURE OF THE DIOCESES OF LEEDS & MIDDLESBROUGH: As part of the consultation currently taking place across our two Dioceses, there is an opportunity for all clergy, religious and members of the lay faithful to contribute by completing an online questionnaire, either individually or as a parish group. Prayerful reflection should be given to the questions so that the Holy Spirit may guide this process of discernment. Prayer resources and a presentation are available on the diocesan website to support this process. Responses should be submitted no later than Friday, 22nd May 2026. For more information and to complete the questionnaire, please visit: [Leeds & Middlesbrough Consultation 2026 | Diocese of Leeds](#)

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.

Offertory Envelope Boxes

Offertory envelopes are now available for collection at the back of both churches. Should you be unable to locate your offertory envelopes, or if you wish to receive a box of envelopes, please get in touch with **Doug Boyd** for assistance . Contact : : **07789913925** .