



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

Weekly draw takes place after Sunday Mass at the back of St Joseph's church!

Gotta be in it to win it!

NB: St Joseph's Sunday Coffee Morning will resume next Sunday 4th October!

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.

St Joseph's and St Patrick's Repository Stalls "Bargain of the Month"

As October is the Month of the Rosary we have a selection of **rosary beads** for just £4 at the repository stall. Do have a look on the way out! **Thank you from Kath and Tracy**

MARRIAGE SUPPORT: If you are just in a rut or for more serious issues – Retrouvaille could be the solution. www.retrouvaille.org.uk +44 797 338 0443

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.

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

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.

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

St Joseph's and St Patrick's

Leeds Charity No. 249404

Barnoldswick, Earby and District

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Safeguarding Officers: St Joseph's – Anne Wood:01282 850327;

St Patrick's – Tracy Foster: 01282 841116

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

Parish Centre Bookings: Jayne Brignall 07988528597 Email: jaynebrignall100@hotmail.co.uk

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A warm welcome to our parishioners and visitors

27th September 2026 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Page:134 of The Parish Mass Book

Masses and Services this week

Day	Time	Church/Service/Intention
Sat 26 th Sep	9:30am 9:35am 10:00am 5:30pm	St Joseph's– Sts Cosmas & Damien Martyrs Exposition and Adoration Confession 9:35-9:55am Mass – Marjorie Higgins <i>Rosary is said after morning Mass</i> Vigil Mass – Lucyan Frybezowski
Sun 27 th Sep	9:00am 10:30am	26 th Sunday of Ordinary Time St Patrick's – Mass - People of the Parish St Joseph's – Mass - Christina Williams
Mon 28 th Sep		No Mass or Service
Tue 29 th Sep	7:00pm	St Joseph's – Mass – No Intention
Wed 30 th Sep	9:30am 10:00am	St Joseph's – St Jerome. Priest. Doctor <i>Rosary will be said before Mass</i> Mass – Toby and his Mother
Thu 1 st Oct	10:00am	St Patrick's – St Therese of Lisieeux. Virgin. Doctor Mass – Jan Wood (Peace)
Fri 2 st Oct	10.00am	St Joseph's – Guardian Angels Mass – Marjorie Higgins
Sat 3 rd Oct	9:30am 9:35am 10:00am 5:30pm	St Joseph's– Exposition and Adoration Confession 9:35-9:55am Mass –Lucyan Frybezowski <i>Rosary is said after morning Mass</i> Vigil Mass – People of the Parish
Sun 4 th Oct	9:00am 10:30am	27 th Sunday of Ordinary Time St Patrick's – Mass – Hilda Calder (A) St Joseph's – Mass – Marjorie Higgins



Parable of the

Two Sons

Matthew: 21:28-32

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

CHRISTMAS FAIR. - A Planning Meeting will be held on Tuesday 29th September at 6.00pm in the Parish Centre. Please come along with your ideas and find out how you can help to make this a successful event. Our Christmas Fair will be held on Saturday 28th November. This is a joint event between the Parish and St Joseph's School and is the biggest fundraising event of the year.

Quiz Night 16TH October for 7:30pm Parish Centre £10 inc supper. **Fundraising for SVP Funds & Parish Buildings Fund. Reserve a place & book supper please Contact: 07789 913 925**

Ministry of Readers			Eucharistic Ministers
St Joseph's			Doug Boyd
26 th Sep	5:30pm	Nick Lucas	
27 th Sep	10:30am	Ann Woodn & Radek Lis	
3 rd Oct	5:30pm	Judith Southern	
4 th Oct	10:30am	Jacqu Clark & Radek Lis	Kah Altham
St Patrick's			
27 th Sep	9:00am	Claire & Frank	
4 th Oct	9:00am	Michael & Luke	

Offertory Collections:
Offertories: SJ £443; SP £128
Catholic Education Collection: £74
There will be a second collection this weekend for the work of the SVP.
Second collection next weekend for CAFOD
Regular standing orders amount to £760 per month
Bank Details:
Diocese of Leeds St Josephs Church Barnoldswick
Account Number 61016709
Sort Code 40-27-15



Thanks you for your generosity!

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)
The minutes of the last meeting held on Tuesday 21st July are available at the back of both churches to view or can be viewed on the Parish website www.stjosephsbarnoldswick.org.uk under the Parish Council tab. If you would like to draw anything to the attention of the PPC, please use the communications books at the back of both churches or speak directly to a member of the council – their photos and names are on the notice boards at the back of each church. Next meeting: **Thursday 22nd October at 5.30pm in the Sacristy.**

RED MISSION BOXES Please bring your boxes in and leave them at the back of church so that they can be emptied and then returned to you.

Diary Dates - Coming Events!	
Oct 3rd	Ground Work - 1 hour Thinking and Working St Joseph's Grounds 10:30am
Oct 16 th	SVP Quiz Night 7 for 7:30pm Parish Centre £10 inc supper. Reserve a place & book supper please Contact: 07789 913 925
Nov 7th	Live Simply Table Top Sale 10.30am to 2.30pm in the Parish Centre. Tables £5 each
Nov 28 th	CHRISTMAS FAIR - Get your thinking caps on for ideas and start collecting items now!

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.

THE Saint Vincent de Paul Society has now been in existence for 193 years. It started in a small way in Paris and is now a huge world wide organisation putting into practice the Catholic Church's Social and Justice Teaching. Catholic Social Teaching (CST) is the moral compass of the Catholic Church. It applies the message of the Bible and Jesus to modern life, guiding how we treat one another and build a fair society. Modern CST started in 1891 with an official letter called *Rerum Novarum* by Pope Leo XIII, which looked at the struggles of workers during the Industrial Revolution. I am sure you will have heard about the new encyclical by Pope Leo XIV which too deals with the Catholic Social and Justice Teaching applied to this century. This weekend we are asked to become more aware of the SVP, reflect and join up to put into practice the teaching of Christ who called us all to "Love one another as I have loved you".

SVP This is our SVP Awareness Weekend. Someone will speak at each mass about the work of the SVP and how you can get involved or make the SVP aware of people in need. There will be SVP members at the back of church after each mass if you would like to speak to them about anything. There will also be a retiring collection to help towards their work. **Next meeting 13th October 6.00 to 6.55pm in the Parish Centre**

"LIVE SIMPLY" that others may simply live group, has **TWO** events coming up. **ONE** the regular tidying up of the church grounds, Father's front and back garden and hopefully planting a sack of bulbs that has been donated to us. This happens on every first Saturday of the month from 10.30 till 11.30 We are also hoping in the future to plant maybe some apple trees or pear trees. If anyone wants to donate any fruit trees to be planted please contact the "LIVE SIMPL" group through the parish office email. **TWO If you want a table at the Table Top Sale** you may be disappointed they are literally going like hot cakes. But if you want a bargain or a hand crafted gift put the date in your diary **Saturday 7th November 10.00 to 2.00 and come along**

CAFOD's family fast day is on Friday 2nd October. **This harvest season, we have an opportunity to thank God for all we have received and to share those blessings with others. As one global family, we are called to put our faith into action by supporting our neighbours who don't have enough food or safe water. Please take a CAFOD envelope home with you today and if you are a UK taxpayer, please remember to complete the Gift Aid declaration, which increases your donation by 25 per cent at no extra cost to you. There will be retiring collections after all masses next weekend. Thank you**

Meetings:
Tuesday 29th September – Joint Meeting with School at 6pm in the Parish Centre to plan the Christmas Fair that will be on Saturday 28th November. All welcome – **This is the biggest Fundraising event of the year so please come along with your ideas.**
Wednesday 7th October St Patrick's prayer group will meet at 5 p.m..
Monday 12th October - Live Simply Meeting at 6pm in the Parish Centre
Tuesday 13th October - SVP meeting at 6pm in the Parish Centre
Thursday 22nd October - Parish Pastoral Council Meeting at 5.30pm in the Sacristy

Notices from the Diocese
40 DAYS FOR LIFE – PRAYER, FASTING AND PEACEFUL VIGIL: 23rd September to 1st November 7:00am-7:00pm. Join us in being a voice for the voiceless. Location just over 150 meters from MSI Reproductive Choices abortion facility at the junction of Chapeltown Road and Barrack Road LS7 4AW. This complies with current buffer-zone law. To get involved contact Chris Redding 07815 681343 email: 40daysforlifeleeds@gmail.com. Further information at www.40daysforlife.com/leeds

RCIA PROCESS FORMATION: Join the Vicarate for Education on Saturday 7th November at Hinsley Hall (10am – 4pm) to explore how to accompany and support those discerning the Catholic faith through the RCIA process. Ideal for parish volunteers, catechists, and anyone interested in faith formation. Come and discover practical insights, shared experiences, and ways to help guide others closer to Christ. To reserve your free place by October 23rd, visit www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/education/cpd-2025/ or email formation@dioceseofleeds.org.uk