

**CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST ANNE**

Cookridge Street, Leeds LS2 8BE

CHURCH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Chapeltown Road, Leeds LS7 4BZ

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT – 5TH MARCH 2023

“The Gospel of this second Sunday of Lent presents the narrative of the Transfiguration of Jesus. (cf. Mt 17:1-9). Taking aside three of the Apostles, Peter, James, and John, He led them up a high mountain. And that is where this unique phenomenon took place: Jesus’ face “shone like the sun, and his garments became white as light” (v. 2). In this way, the Lord allowed the divine glory which could be understood through faith in his preaching and his miraculous gestures, to shine within Him. The Transfiguration was accompanied by the apparition of Moses and Elijah who were “talking with him” (v. 3). The ‘brightness’ which characterises this extraordinary event symbolises its purpose: to enlighten the minds and hearts of the disciples so that they may clearly understand who their Teacher is. It is a flash of light which suddenly opens onto the mystery of Jesus and illuminates his whole person and his whole story. The Blessed Virgin was able to contemplate the glory of Jesus hidden in his humanness. May she help us stay with Him in silent prayer, to allow ourselves to be enlightened by his presence, so as to bring a reflection of his glory to our hearts through the darkest nights.” (Pope Francis, Angelus, 2017). **THE SCRUTINIES** take place at 10.30am & 11.00am Masses over the next three Sundays.

| DAY | LITURGICAL CELEBRATION | TIMES OF MASS <i>HR = HOLY ROSARY</i> | INTENTIONS | EXPOSITION Monday-Friday 3.00pm – 5.00pm CONFESSIONS Monday - Friday 11.15am - 12.15pm 4.30pm - 5.00pm Saturday 11.00am - 11.45am 5.00pm - 5.30pm ANGELUS/ROSARY Mon, Wed, Thurs 12noon Sat 11.30am EVENING PRAYER Mon - Fri 5.10pm CONFESSIONS AT HR Sun 10am-10.15am DIVINE MERCY Not this Thursday due to the Funeral STATIONS OF CROSS Tues & Fri 12noon PSALTER WEEK 2 |
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| Sat 4 th | <i>Vigil Mass of Second Sunday of Lent</i> | 6.00pm | Pauline Parker – Get Well | |
| Sun 5 th | <i>Second Sunday of Lent</i> <i>Mass in Latin</i> <i>Mass in the Ge'ez Eritrean Rite</i> | 9.15am 10.30am HR 11.00am 1.00pm HR 6.00pm | People of the Parish <i>Vanya Almeida Birthday</i> Diane Flaherty RIP <i>Private Intention</i> Private Intention | |
| Mon 6 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> | 12.30pm 5.30pm | D'scd Alwell & McGrath Families Michael & Cordelia Mkpadi 50 th Wed An | |
| Tue 7 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> | 10.00am HR 12.30pm 5.30pm | <i>Private Intention (Yr4 Class attending)</i> Canon Vincent O'Hara RIP Christopher Mark Gomez Sick | |
| Wed 8 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> Stations of the Cross | 12.30pm 12noon HR 5.30pm | Elizabeth Twohey RIP --- Rogelio, Virgilio, Hilaria Anniversary | |
| Thurs 9 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> <i>Funeral Service</i> | 12.30pm 1.20pm 5.30pm | Private Intention Marjorie Howley RIP Desmond Byrd RIP | |
| Fri 10 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> Stations of the Cross | 12.30pm 5.30pm 6.15pm | Eileen O'Donnell Special Int's Barry Keoghan Int's --- | |
| Sat 11 th | <i>Weekday of Lent</i> <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday (Signed BSL)</i> | 12noon 6.00pm | Bernard Wilson Anniversary November Dead List | |

This week the following candles are lit for these intentions:
CATHEDRAL SANCTUARY LAMP: Kamba - Thanksgiving
OUR LADY OF UNFAILING HELP LAMPS: OSCE Exams /
 Pass OSCE Exams
For those who wish to have a lamp lit there are envelopes at the back of the Cathedral and Holy Rosary Church.

We welcome all visitors to the Parish this weekend and those who have recently moved to the city. Please say hello after Mass!

MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL

9.15am: Junior Girls **Hymns:** Entrance **199** Communion **206**
11.00am: Girls & Scholars Introit: Sung; Communion: **708**
 Missa 'L'homme armé', Josquin;
 Resplenduit facie eius, Victoria;
 Agnus Dei, Josquin

Credo III (for words & music see Hymn 503)

PRAYER INTENTION OF POPE FRANCIS FOR MARCH 2023: For victims of abuse: We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering. **MASSSES RECEIVED: Deceased (Recently or Anniversary):** Josephine Power & D'scd Relatives, Anna, Arthur Wright, Dennis Patrick Parsons, Obiora Ezeh, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Barney McGeever, Sarah Keane, Ze Yan Cheung; **Intentions:** Praying for Justice, Debbie, Private Intention, Bishop Philip Moger, Mary Ferguson, Vanya Almeida, Caetano Dias, Nuno Lopes, Mary O'Sullivan. **MASS INTENTIONS:** envelopes are available in both churches; also, it is possible to request a Mass via the Parish website. **LIFE:** Pregnant? Need to talk? Call freephone: 0808 802 5433. **PRAYERS:** Please pray for peace in Ukraine, all who are sick, and our housebound and sick Parishioners; those in distress; and for all who have died recently, Charles Cawkwell (Funeral Mass, **Fri 17th March**, 10am, Cathedral), and for those who anniversaries occur at this time. **TODAY the 11am Mass** will be celebrated in Latin. Please pick up a booklet with the text of the Mass along with the hymn book.

THE SEASON OF LENT: Please do take home the LENT INFORMATION LEAFLETS with the times of Stations of the Cross at the Cathedral and the Holy Rosary, Exposition, the Rosary, and Confession. Also, the Lent Reflections!

10TH ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL PRAYER INITIATIVE: on the 13th March 2023, Pope Francis celebrates ten years of his pontificate. To highlight this anniversary a special online map featuring virtual lighted candles has been set up. If you would like to offer a Hail Mary for Pope Francis visit <https://www.decimus-annus.org/site/index> and you too can light your own digital candle.

PARISH CENSUS: to register with the parish please use the link on the Parish website. There will be paper copies available at the back of Church next week.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023: the first class is on **Tues 7th March**, 4.30pm-5.45pm, HR Community Room. For parents who did not attend the meeting last week please make yourselves known this weekend. It will not be possible for your child to join the course after it begins.

EASTER CARDS AND EASTER MASS CARDS: Available at the back of Church only £1.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIED LIFE: Sat 12th May, Mass for Married Life at Leeds Cathedral at 12noon for couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 70th wedding anniversaries this year. To attend fill out the application form available at the back of church; send to Miss A Cooke, Bishop's House, 13 North Grange Road, Leeds, LS6 2BR or email it to bishop@dioceseofleeds.org.uk by **Fri 28th April**.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: Saturdays 9:30am to 4:30pm; 1st April; 22nd April and 13th May. Venue Wheeler Hall, LS2 8BE. Before booking, please ensure you have discussed your wedding intentions with your parish priest and the priest who will conduct the wedding. Contact: Rev. Michael Mkpadi by email: mcmkpadi@yahoo.co.uk



For more information on the event of Leeds City of Culture 2023, please visit <https://leeds2023.co.uk/>

LES LECTURES DE LA MESSE sont disponibles en Français.

LAS LECTURAS DE LA MISA están disponibles en Español.

AS LEITURAS DA MISSA estão disponíveis em Português

APPRECIATION POEMS BOOKLET: available this weekend at a suggested minimum donation of £5. Money raised is for The Daughters of Mary Mother of Mercy Orphanage in Ahiaeke, Umuahia Nigeria. This is the order of our Sisters.

HOME VISITS FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: if there are parishioners who live with the boundary of Mother of Unfailing Help (Cathedral and Holy Rosary) who are unable to get to Mass and would like to receive a visit from the Parish Clergy and Sisters. Please contact the Parish Office with their details and we can arrange a visit.

PARISH FRIENDSHIP GROUP: will meet again on **Friday 3rd March** in Wheeler Hall. Come along for a chat, coffee and cake with weekly activities, 10.30am – 12noon.

HANDMAIDS WOMEN'S GROUP: Join the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal for Adoration, Music, Rosary, Sacrament of Reconciliation & refreshments. **Friday 10th March** 7-8.30pm Corpus Christi Church, Neville Road, Leeds.

YOUTH 2000 LEEDS RETREAT: Sat 25th - Sun 26th March, at Leeds Trinity Uni; see notice board for further details.

LEGION OF MARY: today **5th March** in the Syndicate Room of Wheeler Hall, after the 11am Mass. All welcome.

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY COFFEE: Each Sunday after the 11.00am Mass in Wheeler Hall. Contactless payment is available! **HOLY ROSARY SUNDAY COFFEE:** Each Sunday after the 10.30am Mass in the Community Room.

PARISH YOUR WEEKLY OFFERING TO THE PARISH: The Parish bank details are: HSBC Bank PLC, Sort Code: 40-27-15, Account no: 31165453, Account name: Diocese of Leeds Mother of Unfailing Help. It is possible to donate via the Parish website & contactless machines. With very grateful thanks for your generous donations to the parish.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY: retiring collection after all Mass this weekend. **CATHOLIC CARE ANNUAL APPEAL** will take place over the weekend of the **18th/19th March**.

ORGAN RECITALS: each Monday at 1.15pm. All welcome.

INFANT & ADULT BAPTISM & MARRIAGES: Please speak to one of the Clergy at the end of one of the Sunday Masses.

Please silence your mobile on entering the church.
Details of other Parish & Diocesan Events and Current Vacancies are on the website and notice boards.

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