

CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST ANNECHURCH OF THE HOLY ROSARYCookridge Street, Leeds LS2 8BEChapeltown Road, Leeds LS7 4BZTHE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD – 7TH JANUARY 2024



"Today, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Epiphany, that is, the manifestation of the Lord to all peoples: in fact, the salvation wrought by Christ knows no boundaries; it is for everyone. The Epiphany is not an additional mystery, it is still the same mystery as the Nativity, viewed, however, from the dimension of light: the light that illumines every man and woman, the light to be *welcomed* in faith and the light to be *brought to others* in charity, through witness, in the proclamation of the Gospel. Where is this light? The Evangelist Matthew, in his turn, recounting the episode of the Magi (cf. 2:1-12), shows that this light is the Babe of Bethlehem; it is Jesus, even if his kingship was not accepted by everyone. Rather some rejected it, like Herod. He is the star who appeared on the horizon, the awaited Messiah, the One through whom God would establish his kingdom of love, his kingdom of justice, his kingdom of peace. He was born not only for some, but for all men and women, for all peoples. The light is for all peoples, salvation is for all peoples. Let us invoke the protection of Mary over the universal Church, so that the Gospel of Christ, the light of all peoples, the light of all communities, may spread throughout the entire world." (Pope Francis, Angelus, 6th Jan 2021).

DAY	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	TIMES OF MASS HR = HOLY ROSARY	INTENTIONS	Exposition <u>Monday - Friday</u>
Sat 6 th	Vigil Mass of The Epiphany	6.00pm	Fr J J Brannigan OMI Anniversary	3.00pm – 5.00pm
Sun 7 th	The Epiphany of The Lord Mass in Latin	9.15am 10.30am HR 11.00am 6.00pm	S Raj Thanksgiving <i>Marina Hounto Thanksgiving</i> People of the Parish Blanche Oseland Private Intentions	CONFESSIONS <u>Monday- Friday</u> 11.15am - 12.15pm 4.30pm - 5.00pm
Mon 8 th	The Baptism of The Lord Christmas Time ends today	12.30pm 5.30pm	Sr Stella Okeadu Personal Intentions Mia C Iruguin RIP	<u>Saturday</u> 11.00am – 11.45am
Tue 9 th	Feria	10.00am HR 12.30pm 5.30pm	Anne Doherty RIP (HRSA School attends) Jean Paula Ward RIP Sandra Eleanor Bridges RIP	5.00pm - 5.30pm Evening Prayer <u>Mon – Fri 5</u> .10pm
Wed 10 th	Votive Mass of St Joseph	12.30pm 5.30pm	Iraida Poletayeva John David Leathley RIP	Sung <u>Tues & Weds</u> ANGELUS/ ROSARY
Thur 11 th	Votive Mass of the Holy Eucharist	12.30pm 5.30pm	Ed Cooper Healing Matthias – Healing	<u>Mon – Fri 12noon</u> Sat 11.30am
Fri 12 th	St Aelred of Rievaulx, Abbot	12.30pm 5.30pm	Leon & Krystyna RIP Terry Sheerin Anniversary	CONFESSIONS AT HR Sun 10am-10.15am
Sat 13 th	Saturday Mass of Our Lady Vigil Mass of Sunday	12noon 6.00pm	Ukachi Family Intentions November Dead List	DIVINE MERCY <u>Thurs 1.05pm</u>
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This week the following candles are lit for these intentions: OUR LADY OF UNFAILING HELP LAMPS: Roozbeh Irani Envelopes are available at both churches if you would like to request these candles to be lit for your intentions.			MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL The Hymn numbers will be announced. Please listen out for the announcements. 9.15am: Cantor 11.00am Cantor Credo words 503	
We welcome all visitors to the Parish this weekend and those who have recently moved to the city. Please say hello after Mass!			The Choirs are on holiday. They will return on 10 th January 2024.	

PRAYER INTENTION OF POPE FRANCIS FOR JANUARY 2024: For the gift of diversity in the Church: During the month of January, Pope Francis has asked the faithful to pray for the gift of diversity in the Church. He emphasized recognizing "the gift of different charisms within the Christian community. MASSES RECEIVED: *Deceased (Recently or Anniversary)*: Barbara & Michael Powell, Joe Carr, Leon & Krystyna, Brendan McLaughlin, A K Mughal; *Intentions*: Kirsty, Martin Degnan, Hadgu Debas, Hiriti Hidade, Thanksgiving for mercy, protection & gift of life, Marina Hounto, Dominique Gballou. 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 and the Middle East, for those affected by the recent earthquake in China, for all who are sick, our housebound parishioners, for those in distress and bereaved; and for all who have died recently and for those who anniversaries occur at this time. MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE: Sats 20thApril, 4th May &18th May, 9:30 am to 4:30pm, Wheeler Hall. Once you have spoken to your parish priest, to book a place, contact Rev. Dr. Michael C. Mkpadi by email: mcmkpadi@yahoo.co.uk SUNDAY 7TH JANUARY, 11AM MASS is in Latin. Please pick up a booklet along with your hymn book and Mass sheet. **CRIB OFFERINGS:** supporting the **Friends of the Holy Land CATHEDRAL BUILDING WORK:** Work will commence on the 8th **January** to begin the planned stone repairs to the west steps, the Crucifix above the West doors, the south steps, the boundary wall and some internal stone repairs. The contractors will aim to keep disruption to a minimum and we will update you each week as to what will be happening and of any changes to access to the Cathedral.

HOLY ROSARY COMMUNITY ROOM PROJECT: The refurbishing works will resume on 8th January.

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY COFFEE: Each Sunday after the 11.00am Mass in Wheeler Hall. Contactless payment is available!

LEGION OF MARY: meets next **Sunday** 7th **January** in the Syndicate Room of Wheeler Hall, after the 11am Mass.

YOUNG ADULTS' PRAYER GROUP: next meeting will be 12th Jan at Wheeler Hall from 6.30-8.00pm for bible study, prayer, reflection. Info <u>francescogalassimobile@gmail.com</u> INFANT & ADULT BAPTISM & MARRIAGES: Please speak to one of the Clergy at the end of one of the Sunday Masses. Note: at least six months' notice is required for marriages. PARISH FRIENDSHIP GROUP: will meet again in the new year on Friday 12th January 2024 in Wheeler Hall.

CUPERTINO GROUP MASSES: Next Mass for Christmas: 7th **January** at 3pm. St Joseph's Catholic Church, West Gate, Wetherby, LS22 6LL. Contact number: Fr Frank 07850076926 Rosie 07891951949. These monthly Masses are for children with additional needs and disabilities.

WHERE IS YOUR PARISH GOING? WORKSHOP DAYS: The Youth and Lifelong Faith Formation Office (Vicariate for Education) invite you to explore the future of our parishes and what it means to be part of a thriving parish! Our input is sourced from the recent Catholic Parish Summit Webinar 'Thriving or Closing: Where is your parish going?'https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sfO_wAhMv 0w - **Saturday 27th January**, 10:00am-3:30pm, St Benedict's, Garforth, LS25 1PX. Session will include Mass, discussion groups and workshops, and is free to attend. Participants are asked to bring a packed lunch. For more information and to book contact formation@dioceseofleeds.org.uk **COME AND SEE MONTHLY PRAYER GROUP:** Mission Halifax invite you to a new monthly prayer group. Prayerful reflection, Adoration, praise & worship, and testimony, 7pm, Fri 12th Jan. St Patrick's Church, Elland HX5 0PU.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL (SVP): are looking for volunteers willing to help children put their faith into action. Could this be you? You do not have to have previous experience of working with children as all training will be given. Further information is on the notice board.

SVP: contact 07415003874 <u>svpleedscathedral@svp.org.uk</u> **PRAYER MEETING:** Each Sunday from 5.00pm until 7.00pm at the Holy Rosary Church. All are cordially invited. For more information, contact Jones Bediako on 07983 776337 or www.ccrleeds.org.uk Details of July event see notices.

CATHOLIC SAFEGUARDING STANDARDS AGENCY (CSSA) A new Diocesan safeguarding webpage has been designed and is full of information and resources. Reporting a concern about a child or adult at risk can be done through the new website, for more information please visit https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/safeguarding/

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.

SECOND COLLECTION: Leeds Diocese Poor Missions Fund THANK YOU: "On behalf of Canon Mc Creadie, Fr Hilton, Fr Moores, and myself, I would like to renew our thanks for the many gestures of kindness and affection we have received and for your generosity this Christmas time. May you continue to have a peaceful and holy Christmas and with every blessing for the New Year. With our sincere thanks and the assurance of our prayers, Canon Habron."

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

LES LECTURES DE LA MESSE sont disponsibles en Français. AS LEITURAS DA MISSA estão disponiveís em Português. LAS LECTURAS DE LA MISA están disponibles en Español.

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