

## CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST ANNECHURCH OF THE HOLY ROSARYCookridge Street, Leeds LS2 8BEChapeltown Road, Leeds LS7 4BZTHIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 5™ NOVEMBER 2023



"This Sunday's Gospel passage (*Mt* 25:1-13) invites us to prolong the reflection on eternal life that we began on the occasion of the Feast of All Saints and the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed. Jesus recounts the parable of the ten virgins invited to a wedding feast, symbol of the Kingdom of Heaven. In Jesus' time it was customary for weddings to be celebrated at night; so the procession of guests took place with lit lamps. It is clear that with this parable, Jesus wants to tell us that we must be prepared for the encounter with him. Not only for the final encounter, but also for the everyday great and small encounters, with a view to that encounter for which the *lamp of faith* is not enough; we also need the *oil of charity* and good works. Being wise and prudent means not waiting until the last moment to correspond to God's grace, but to do so actively and immediately, starting right now. "I... yes, I will convert soon...". "Convert today! Change your life today!". "Yes, yes, tomorrow". And the same thing is said tomorrow, and so it never arrives. Today! If we want to be ready for the final encounter with the Lord, we must cooperate with him now and perform good deeds inspired by his love. Let us invoke the intercession of Mary Most Holy, that she may help us to live an active faith, as she did: [faith] is the shining lamp with which we can pass through the night beyond death and reach the great feast of life." (Extract from Pope Francis' Angelus Address, 2020)

DAY	LITURGICAL CELEBRATION	TIMES OF MASS	INTENTIONS	EXPOSITION
		HR = HOLY ROSARY		- <u>Monday - Friday</u>
Sat $4^{th}$	Vigil Mass of Sunday	6.00pm	November Dead List	3.00pm – 5.00pm
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup>	Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary	9.15am	Sheila Ryan RIP	CONFESSIONS
	Time	10.30am HR	November Dead List	<u>Monday- Friday</u>
	Mass in Latin	11.00am	People of the Parish	11.15am - 12.15pm
	Mass in the Ge'ez Eritrean Rite	1.00pm HR	Private Intention	4.30pm - 5.00pm
		6.00pm	November Dead List	<u>Saturday</u>
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	Votive Mass of the Holy Spirit	12.30pm	Maureen Jones	11.00am – 11.45am
		5.30pm	November Dead List	5.00pm - 5.30pm
Tue 7 <sup>th</sup>	St Willibrord, Bishop	10.00am HR	Sarah – Sick	EVENING PRAYER
		12.30pm	November Dead List	<u>Mon – Fri </u> 5.10pm
		5.30pm	J Walters RIP & L & S Ridge Ints	Sung <u>Tues &amp; Weds</u>
Wed 8th	Mass for the Dead	12.30pm	Daniel Doherty Ill	ANGELUS/ ROSARY
		5.30pm	Yorkshire Brethren	<u>Mon - Fri 12noon</u>
Thur 9th	The Dedication of the Lateran	12.30pm	November Dead List	Sat 11.30am
	Basilica	5.30pm	Harriet Mendy RIP	CONFESSIONS AT HR
Fri 10th	St Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor	12.30pm	Kathy & Ruth Bradley Anniv	<u>Sun 10am-10.15am</u>
		5.30pm	November Dead List	DIVINE MERCY
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	St Martin of Tours, Bishop	12 noon	John Sweeney Birthday Anniversary	<u>Thurs 1.05pm</u>
	Vigil Mass of Sunday	6.00pm	Canon Seamus Hester 60th Jubilee	PSALTER WEEK 3
This week the following candles are lit for these intentions:			MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL	
CATHEDRAL SANCTUARY LAMP: Michael & Caitling			9.15am: Cantor Hymns: Entrance: 959; Communion: 662 11.00am Senior Boys & Girls Introit sung by Cantor,	

Michael & Caitling Our Lady of Unfailing Help Lamps: Anonymous

Welcome to all those visiting today for the first time! Welcome to those newly arrived. Please say hello! **11.00am Senior Boys & Girls** Introit sung by Cantor,

Mass for four voices, Byrd; O quam gloriosum, Victoria; Tantum ergo, De Séverac; Communion Hymn: **662 Organ:** Fugue in C, Schubert

Credo III (for words & music see Hymn 503)

**PRAYER INTENTION OF POPE FRANCIS FOR NOVEMBER 2023:** For the Pope: We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit. **MASSES RECEIVED:** *Deceased (Recently or Anniversary):* Kevin Timmons, Mairead Curran, Maria Belamina Rodrigues, Geoffrey Kelly, Christopher George, John Sweeney, Ints of Librada Wall, Ints of Martin Fairbairn, Justin, Teresa Donohue, Bridget & Dudley Kane, Mr & Mrs Ambrose Agulanna, Martha Enright; Intentions: Rafaela Goncalves Vieria, Basilio Pereira Goncalves, God's Guidance and Successful Visa Application, Daniel Doherty, Drugha Family, Veronica Schofield. 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, all who are sick, our housebound parishioners, for those in distress and bereaved; and for all who have died recently, Somchit Davies (Funeral, Weds 15<sup>th</sup> Nov, 1.30pm, Cathedral), and for those who anniversaries occur at this time. **EXHIBITION OF THE HOLY SHROUD OF TURIN REPLICA:** A full-size copy of the world-famous Shroud of Turin is coming to Leeds Cathedral. It will be on display from **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November** and will be available to view outside of service times. Free talks about the Shroud on **18<sup>th</sup> November (12.40pm) and 27<sup>th</sup> November (2pm)**.

THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER is associated with prayer for the Holy Souls. Masses will be offered throughout the year for those whose names are on the November Dead List. Envelopes are available for this purpose at the back of the Cathedral. Place a list with the names of your deceased relatives & friends, and for all those whom you wish to pray for, in an envelope together with your offering, writing **your own name on the front as indicated**. This can be handed to one of the Parish Clergy or Sisters, or one of the Cathedral stewards.

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

**RELIGIOUS THEMED CHRISTMAS CARDS:** now on sale after all Masses, and at both the Cathedral and Holy Rosary Coffee mornings. Cost is £5 for a box of 18 cards. Proceeds to the fundraising projects for the Holy Rosary Community Room and the Caring for our Cathedral.

**LEGION OF MARY:** meets this **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November** in the Syndicate Room of Wheeler Hall, after the 11am Mass.

SVP: contact 07415003874 <u>svpleedscathedral@svp.org.uk</u> YOUNG ADULTS' PRAYER GROUP: will next meet on Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Nov, at Wheeler Hall from 6.30-8.00pm for bible study, prayer, reflection. Info <u>francescogalassimobile@gmail.com</u> REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY CONCERT: Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Nov, 4pm, the Cathedral Choir sings Fauré's beautiful Requiem and music for rest and remembrance by Byrd, Sheppard and Tallis. Free admission, with a retiring collection to support chorister singing lessons and development.

ANNUAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE Tues 14<sup>th</sup> Nov at 7pm, will be celebrated at the Leeds Irish Centre. In memory of all deceased members and friends. Everyone welcome.

**PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH: Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 1.30pm** in Wheeler Hall. Cost of £22 for three courses includes glass of wine, tea and coffee and Christmas gift! Tickets go on sale next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

**100 CLUB WINNERS OCTOBER 2023 DRAW**: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize Mr T. Kelley (56), 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Mr R. Hellawell (93) & 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Mrs P. Callaghan (58). Congratulations!

**SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> NOV:** 11am Mass in Latin. Please collect a booklet along with the hymn book and Mass sheet.

**CITY CENTRE PLANS:** people that live, work in, or visit Leeds are encouraged to feedback on plans to improve key routes for alternative travel options like walking, wheeling and cycling. The survey can be completed online at <u>https://leedscitylinks.commonplace.is/</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.

**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. **SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:** Meeting for parents and children in Yrs 3-6 to prepare for their First Confession on **Tues 14<sup>th</sup> Nov** at 6pm at HRSA Primary School.

CHANGE OF DATE - CONFIRMATION CLASS: Tues 7th Nov, 6pm, Holy Rosary.

**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:** World Mission raised: £518.14. Thank you for your continued support.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY: Fri 17<sup>th</sup> Nov, Mass for Deceased Clergy, 12.30pm; Sun 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> Brews For Catholic Care as they mark their 160<sup>th</sup> anniversary; Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Nov, Mass of Ordination of Permanent Deacons, 11am; Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec, Vespers & Benediction on 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent, 4.45pm, Cathedral.

Please silence your mobile phone on entering 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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