

Parishes of Sacred Heart, Ilkley; Ss John Fisher and Thomas More, Burley; & Our Lady and English Martyrs, Addingham.

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	TIMES OF MASSES AND	SERVICES FOR T	THE 2 ND WEEK OF EASTER -	- YEAR C
Sat 26 th	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	5.30pm	Ss JF&TM, Burley	People of the Parish
April	(Mass Book p256)			
Sun 27 th	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	9.15am	SH, Ilkley	Fr Tony Pearson (Anniversary)
April	(Mass Book p256)			Gabriele Silvio Galasso (Anniversary)
		11.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	John & Yara (Wedding Anniversary)
Mon 28 th	ST GEORGE, MARTYR AND PATRON OF	9.30am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Exposition
April	ENGLAND	10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Donor's Intention
Tue 29 th	ST CATHERINE OF SIENA, VIRGIN AND	10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	James Flanagan (Anniversary)
April	DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH.			
Wed 30 th	Weekday of Easter	10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Lorna Knight (Anniversary)
April				
Thu 1st	Weekday of Easter	11.30am	SH, Ilkley	Rosary
May		No Mass		
Fri 2 nd	St Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the	9.30am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Rosary
May	Church	7.00pm	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Mass for the Dead to pray for the
				repose of the soul of Pope Francis
Sat 3 rd	SS PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES	12 noon	SH, Ilkley	Mass for the Dead to pray for the
May				repose of the soul of Pope Francis
				Eddie Zywicki (Anniversary)
				Mike Oddy (Anniversary)
		5.30pm	Ss JF&TM, Burley	
Sun 4 th	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	9.15am	SH, Ilkley	People of the Parish
May		11.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Madeleine Inglehearn (RIP)

	SACRED HEART, ILKLEY	SS JOHN FISHER AND THOMAS MORE, BURLEY
PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK	Please remember the Ilkley parishioners for whom prayers have been requested.	Please remember the Burley parishioners for whom prayers have been requested.
FAITHFUL DEPARTED	Please remember those who have died recently or whose anniversaries occur at this time including Anne Mulvaney, Arthur Walker, Evelyn Joyce, Auxilienne Marascaux, Eddie McCartney, Hazel Thompson, John Dowds, Frederick Tinkler, Mary Wardhaugh, Vera Schmitt, Stan Yates, Ron Gill, Francois Inglehearn, Antonio Marano, Fr Jeremiah O'Mahony and Mike Oddy	Please remember those who have died recently or whose anniversaries occur at this time including David Middleton, Peter Laurie, Trevor Ward, Joan Newman, Adrian Fitzpatrick, Philomena Dollan, David Heighway, Michael Gill, James Brooks. Angela Corcoran, Eddie Zywicki, Hilda Brown, James Flanagan, Elizabeth Lane and Patrick Hopkins.

PRAYER FOR THE REPOSE OF POPE FRANCIS

O God, immortal shepherd of souls, look on your people's prayers and grant that your servant Pope Francis, who presided over your Church in charity, may, with the flock entrusted to his care, receive from your mercy the reward of a faithful steward.

Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS FOR POPE FRANCIS

The Funeral Mass of Pope Francis will conclude with the Ultima commendatio and the Valedictio, marking the beginning of the Novendiales, or nine days of mourning and Masses for the repose of the soul of Pope Francis. During the Novendiales, the Bishop will celebrate a Solemn Requiem Mass at Leeds Cathedral on Tuesday 29th April at 5:30pm. All are welcome to attend this Solemn Requiem Mass.

REFLECTIONS FOR EASTERTIDE

Fr Mark has prepared some reflections on the Sunday Gospels of this joyful season. Copies are available at the back of church and attached to the emailed bulletin.

NOTICES

SECOND COLLECTION

HOLY PLACES: A second collection took place on Good Friday to be sent to the Commissariat of the Holy Land for the upkeeping of the various sacred places in the Holy Land. This collection remains open if you would like to take the opportunity to support this collection.

GENERAL

DEMENTIA FRIENDS ONLINE TRAINING: Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Grace-*fully* and Age Friendly Leeds are offering free online training for people in the Diocese to learn how to become Dementia Friends. Tuesday 29th April, 7.00 – 8.00pm. To book please email growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk.

FIRST FRIDAY FRIENDS: Everyone, young and young at heart, is welcome to come for a catch-up, a chat, a cuppa and cake in a friendly environment between 2 and 4pm on Friday 2nd May in the Fisher More Hall in Burley. Hope to see you there! For more details or if you need a lift, please contact Margaret on 01943 874352.

LIVE SIMPLY - CARE DEEPLY: All are welcome to this event to inspire renewal of your parish through living more simply, sustainably, and in solidarity with those experiencing poverty in this Jubilee year. Saturday May 3rd at Wheeler Hall, Leeds 10.30am - 3.30pm.

JUBILEE YEAR: A Jubilee Mass will be celebrated at St Stephen's Skipton at 10.00am on Friday 9th May.

DOORWAYS OF HOPE - ONLINE EVENTS: Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Grace-*fully* is hosting a programme of 3 hour-long online events on the theme of hope, to be led by Paula Shanks and Mgr. Donal Lucey on Wednesday May 14th (evening) and Thursday July 10th (evening). For more information/booking please email growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

FUNDRAISING CONCERT: Friday 16th May at Sacred Heart, Ilkley 7.00pm - 8.00pm. This concert will be held in aid of the Bradford and Huddersfield Catholic Youth Choirs Choral Pilgrimage, 3-11 July 2025, where they will sing at sacred liturgies, deepen their faith, and represent their communities. Funds will help to ensure every youth singer can make their pilgrimage. Light refreshments will be provided.

CELEBRATION OF MARRIED LIFE: There will be a Celebration Mass for Married Life on Saturday 17th May 12 Noon at Leeds Cathedral for couples and their families celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 70th wedding anniversaries this year. There will be an opportunity for couples to renew their marriage vows during the liturgy. If you are celebrating the anniversary of your wedding and you would like to take part, please fill out the application form which is available at the back of church.

AFRICAN MASS: 18th May 1:00pm at St Columba's, Tong Street, BD4 9PY followed by Agape lunch in the school hall. All welcome.

IF ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL OR A CARE SETTING: A helpful sheet, including prayers, can be found at the back of church. Alternatively, copies can be requested electronically from the Parish Office: office.ssfishermore@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

SACRED HEART, ILKLEY

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Children's Liturgy will take place on Sunday 4th May.

SS JOHN FISHER AND THOMAS MORE, BURLEY

MESSAGE FROM JASON THE CHAIRMAN OF CHURCHES TOGETHER: "Please know you are in our prayers as you mourn Pope Francis. His holiness was a truly inspiring leader and lived a life that shone as an example of Christian discipleship. He will be deeply missed by many, but we rejoice that he now rests in peace. Our prayers will continue as the Conclave begins"

CHILDRENS LITURGY: Children's Liturgy will take place on Sunday 4th May.

LIVESIMPLY: Our parish has been invited to share our LiveSimply story with other parishes at a workshop to be held at Wheeler Hall, Leeds on Saturday 3rd May, 10:30am - 3:30pm. Christine Allen, CAFOD director, will be starting off the day which will include sessions for everyone to participate and leave with clear actions to take back to their parishes. Please let Mary, Chris or Keith know if you would like to join them at the event. More details can be found on the poster in the foyer.

PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL, INDIA: After 11am Mass on Sunday 4th May we will be serving the usual tea and coffee together with cake and sandwiches (a light lunch) to raise funds for the Philadelphia Hospital, Ambala, India. This hospital was founded by an American missionary/woman doctor in 1887 in an isolated and impoverished part of India. It is a Christian foundation and provides free treatment to all. I visited this hospital in November 2024 and heard many heart rendering and heartwarming stories. Monies raised at this event will go to their nurse training programme. Donations of small items/cakes etc for a stall would be welcomed. All donations gratefully accepted. Please phone 07443 411477 if you need me to collect anything. Thank you. Mavis Regan.

PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL, INDIA: A raffle will be held at the above event with tickets available before Masses on this weekend (26th/27th April). Any raffle prizes would be welcomed.

PARISH FUND RAISER FOR TREE FOR LIFE PROJECT SUNDAY 11TH MAY AFTER 11 AM MASS: As you are aware we have been raising funds for the restructure of the garden area behind the church and presbytery to create an outdoor space that can be used by all parishioners for spiritual and social events and for children's liturgy events. Please pick up a flyer at the back of church for more details of the Fund-Raising event to be held on the 11th of May and how you can help.

RED BOXES (MISSIO): The final date for emptying the boxes is MONDAY APRIL 28th. Please leave boxes in the foyer. Thank you.

ONLINE DONATIONS: Ss John Fisher and Thomas More has a weblink which parishioners can use to make online donations:

https://donate.mydona.com/ssfishermore. The QR code displayed near the DONA machine also points to that same weblink, which those with Smart Phones can use to make donations. Online payments made using this link and/or QR code will be processed in the same way as donations made using the DONA Digital Collection Plate.

PAFRAS: The next collection will be this weekend (26th/27th April) for food items and toiletries for the Refugees and Asylum seekers.

DAVID MIDDLETON: It is with great sadness that we advise of the passing of David Middleton on Tuesday night 22nd April at the BRI. A great friend, parishioner, choir member and Knight of St Columba. We ask for prayers for the repose of his soul and for consolation for his wife Sheila and family. SS John Fisher & Thomas More Music Group.