



## 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 THE 5<sup>th</sup> WEEK OF EASTER – YEAR A

Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Mass Book p265)</b>	5.30pm	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Hilde Brown
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Mass Book p265)</b>	9.15am	SH, Ilkley	Gabriele Silvio Galasso (Anniversary) Mary Dunne (Anniversary) Eddie Zywicki (Anniversary)
		11.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>THE ENGLISH MARTYRS</b>	9.30am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	<i>Exposition</i>
		10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	David and Sheila Walker
Tue 5 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Weekday of Easter</b>	No Mass		
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Weekday of Easter</b>	10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Thanksgiving (Gabriel)
Thu 7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>St John of Beverley, Bishop</b>	10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	Sadie Stott (LD)
		11.30am	SH, Ilkley	<i>Rosary</i>
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Weekday of Easter</b>	9.30am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	<i>Rosary</i>
		10.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	November Dead List
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Weekday of Easter</b>	5.30pm	Ss JF&TM, Burley	November Dead List
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>	9.15am	SH, Ilkley	May Ridley (Birthday Anniversary) Gillian Atkins (Anniversary)
		11.00am	Ss JF&TM, Burley	People of the Parish

Confession: Saturday 5.00 – 5.15pm at Ss John Fisher and Thomas More

	<b>SACRED HEART, ILKLEY</b>	<b>Ss JOHN FISHER AND THOMAS MORE, BURLEY</b>
<b><u>PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK</u></b>	Please remember the Ilkley parishioners for whom prayers have been requested.	Please remember the Burley parishioners for whom prayers have been requested.
<b><u>FAITHFUL DEPARTED</u></b>	Please remember those who have died recently or whose anniversaries occur at this time including Donald White, David Hall, Christopher Farrell, Margaret Wenger, Veronica Winn, Sylvester Gilmore, Pasquale Merino, Richard White, Donald East, Pat Lawrence, Angelo Galasso, Rita Forrest, Catherine Molloy, Violet Aylward, Evelyn Redding, Pauline Taylor, Philomena Howard, Elizabeth Maybank, Harriet Macknay, Tony Sloboduch, and Mike Oddy.	Please remember those who have died recently or whose anniversaries occur at this time including Nora Kilbane, Philomena Dollan, Michael Gill, James Brooks, Elizabeth Lane, Kieron McGrath and Hilda Brown.

#### **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.

#### **PARISHES MEETING**

Please note that the next Parishes meeting will be at 7.30pm on Tuesday 12th May at English Martyrs, Addingham. ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND. If you would like to attend and would like a lift, please contact Amanda 07551 939516 (Ilkley) or Sue 07939 063120 (Burley).

#### **CONSULTATION ON THE FUTURE OF THE DIOCESES OF LEEDS, MIDDLESBROUGH AND HALLAM**

As part of the consultation currently taking place across our three Dioceses, there is an opportunity for all clergy, religious and members of the lay faithful to contribute by completing an online questionnaire, either individually or as a parish group. Prayerful reflection should be given to the questions so that the Holy Spirit may guide this process of discernment. Prayer resources and a presentation are available on the diocesan website to support this process. Responses should be submitted no later than Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026.

For more information and to complete the questionnaire, visit: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/leeds-middlesbrough-consultation-2026/>.

**BULLETIN MESSAGES:** Messages for inclusion on the bulletin can be emailed to the Parish Office [office.ssfishermore@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:office.ssfishermore@dioceseofleeds.org.uk). Please send messages by 9.00am Thursday morning for inclusion on the bulletin.

## NOTICES

### SACRED HEART, ILKLEY

**SUNDAY MASS:** Mass will be at **10.30am** on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of every month: 17<sup>th</sup> May, 21<sup>st</sup> June, 19<sup>th</sup> July etc.

**SVP:** Sacred Heart garage will next be open for donations of good quality household items, laundered clothes and bedding (not duvets or pillows) etc on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May 11.30-12.00 noon. Please note that unfortunately St Vincent's no longer accepts beds, mattresses, sofas and armchairs.

### Ss JOHN FISHER AND THOMAS MORE, BURLEY

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** There will be a children's liturgy at the 11.00am Mass on the following Sundays: This Sunday (3<sup>rd</sup> May), 7<sup>th</sup> June and 5<sup>th</sup> July. ALL ARE WELCOME.

**FAIRTRADE STALL:** The Fairtrade Stall returns this weekend (2<sup>nd</sup> /3<sup>rd</sup> May). The stall will be set up in the Church Hall well before the Vigil Mass. There will be a notepad for requests, an honesty box and the facility to pay on the DONA machine in the Church foyer.

**PARISH BRIEFING:** The next Parish briefing will be after Mass next Sunday (10<sup>th</sup> May). All Welcome.

**WATOTO CHILDREN'S CHOIR:** The Watoto Children's Choir from Uganda, East Africa, is coming to St Mary's Church, Burley on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 6.30pm**. This is a one-of-a-kind musical experience and will inspire and encourage you, your friends, and family. The concert is FREE and features music from their new album, "Better Days - There Is Hope. You can book on Eventbrite at <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/watoto-childrens-choir-in-better-days-2026-tickets-1986212243287>.

**PARISH FEAST DAY:** Is there is a group of people willing to help with the Parish Feast Day Garden Party which we missed last year. We would like to provide for the children as well as the adults so would appreciate some representation from younger parents who can help us get that right. We will make the plan at the next Parish Briefing. Please do come or let me know before then what you could help with. Thank you. Sue.

**DAY BY DAY BOOKLETS:** If you have not already received your May, June and July copies of these booklets, please find yours in the letter rack in the church foyer.

**PAFRAS:** The next collection will be this weekend (2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> May) for food items and toiletries for the Refugees and Asylum seekers.

**BURLEY TERELI:** Please remember in your prayers the people of Mali, and especially those living in and around Tereli who we have known and supported for many years through the Burley Tereli Friendship Trust. There is a security crisis there at the moment, with government forces fighting jihadist rebels throughout the country and the capital city Bamako under curfew.

### DIOCESAN EVENTS, INVITATIONS AND OTHER ORGANISATIONS

**A DAY WITH MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS:** Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 10.00am-4.00pm at The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley. Join us for a day entitled 'Do whatever he tells you', to explore how Mary guides us towards a greater understanding and relationship with Jesus. Requested offering £35pp inclusive of a home-cooked two-course lunch and refreshments. For more information and to book, contact Beth on 01943 607287 or [admin@briery.org.uk](mailto:admin@briery.org.uk).

**A DOMINICAN DAY OF RECOLLECTION:** On the 'Parables in Luke's Gospel' to be given by Fr John Farrell OP at Thicket Carmelite Priory, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May, 10.00am for 10.30am – 3.00pm. Fr John is a former Provincial and is a member of Leicester Dominican Community. Coffee and tea provided but please bring a packed lunch. There is no fee, but a collection will be taken. Contact Patrick Doyle if you intend coming by emailing [janandpatdoyle@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:janandpatdoyle@yahoo.co.uk).

**"GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES" DAY OF REFLECTION:** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May 10.00am-3.00pm at Hinsley Hall. A day of reflection with the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph on our mission to share the faith. Explore the implications of the Great Commission and our call from God to make disciples of all nations, as well as some practical ways to pass on the faith. An uplifting day for all! Lunch included. Register your free place by emailing [formation@dioceseofleeds.org](mailto:formation@dioceseofleeds.org).

**CELEBRATION OF MARRIED LIFE:** There will be a special Celebration Mass for Married Life in Leeds Cathedral on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 12noon for couples and their families celebrating 25<sup>th</sup> (Silver), 40<sup>th</sup> (Ruby), 50<sup>th</sup> (Golden), 60<sup>th</sup> (Diamond) and 70<sup>th</sup> (Platinum) wedding anniversaries this year. There will be an opportunity for couples to renew their marriage vows. If you would like to take part in this celebration, please complete the application form, available from the parish office (return details on form).

**LEEDS CATHEDRAL GUIDED TOURS SUMMER PROGRAMME:** A Free Guided Tour will take place on the following Saturdays during the spring and summer months: 16<sup>th</sup> May (starting at 2.00pm) and 20<sup>th</sup> June, 18<sup>th</sup> July and 8<sup>th</sup> August, when the tours start at 1.30pm. The tour lasts about 1 hour. No booking is required. On arrival, please gather by the Baptismal Font at the back of the Cathedral.

**BEREAVEMENT ACCOMPANIMENT TRAINING:** Elizabeth Prout Bereavement Care are offering a two-day training course in bereavement accompaniment on Mondays 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> June at The Briery Retreat Centre in Ilkley. The cost is £70 and includes a cooked 2 course lunch and refreshments on both days. For more information, email [ebereavementcare@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:ebereavementcare@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) or contact The Briery on 01943 607287.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Would you like to help us provide a hot evening meal for those in need, living locally in temporary accommodation, on a Thursday afternoon between 4.00 and 6.00pm at Cathedral Hall? We need support with cooking and packaging food and delivery. For more information, contact Romy ([romybearder@hotmail.com](mailto:romybearder@hotmail.com)) or Natalie ([njcashviksna@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:njcashviksna@hotmail.co.uk)).

**CATHOLIC FAMILY HOLIDAYS IN THE LAKE DISTRICT:** Castlerigg Manor, Keswick is offering budget-friendly holidays for Catholic families during May, August, and early September. Breakfast and evening meal are included and there will be Mass on site. Guests have full use of the site including the grounds, games room, chapel, and lounges. Castlerigg is just a short walk from Keswick and Lake Derwentwater. Ideal for individuals, couples, families, or groups of friends. Visit <https://castleriggmanor.com/stay-with-us/> or contact [director@castleriggmanor.co.uk/01768772711](mailto:director@castleriggmanor.co.uk/01768772711).

**POSITION VACANT:** Our Lady And All Saints, Otley are looking to recruit a Children and Young People's Ministry Co-Ordinator starting early September 2026. If you are passionate and enthusiastic about sharing and living your faith with a rising generation, they would like to hear from you. Hours: 22.5 hours per week, term time only, two-year fixed contract. To register your interest and/or apply for an application pack please contact Fr Nicholas Hird on 01943 462146 or via email: [office.ourladyallsaints@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:office.ourladyallsaints@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

**WESTMINSTER ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL HAS FALLEN:** The assisted suicide Bill has failed to pass all stages in the House of Lords. This means that Kim Leadbeater's assisted suicide Bill has fallen and will not become law! This is a major milestone, but the battle is not over. Assisted suicide campaigners have said they are going to try to bring the Bill back in the next parliamentary session and use the Parliament Acts to bypass the Lords. To find out more about this significant milestone and what comes next, visit: <https://righttolife.org.uk/LeadbeaterBillFalls>.