

**CATHOLIC CARE LEEDS:** Community Response Service to support those in our communities who are sick, self-isolating, have been adversely financially impacted or are finding it difficult to cope. The service is available Monday – Friday 8am-6pm. Please phone 07739975001 or 07739975008 or 07739975009 or email [janet.kent@catholic-care.org.uk](mailto:janet.kent@catholic-care.org.uk) or [jessica.price@catholic-care.org.uk](mailto:jessica.price@catholic-care.org.uk) if you would like to access this service or you would like to refer a person in your Parish or school community.

**SUE RYDER & ST GEMMA'S COVID-19 Support Line** – available to anyone in Leeds with family members or friends who are critically ill, or who died from Covid-19. The line is staffed by trained bereavement workers who are able to: listen when you need someone to talk to; provide emotional support and give you advice on other services and resources if needed. Call St Gemma's Hospice on 2185544 or Wheatfields Hospice on 2033369. Open 9am – 4pm Mon- Fri.

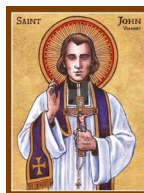
**PREGNANT? NEED TO TALK? LIFE** visit [www.lifecharity.org.uk](http://www.lifecharity.org.uk) or call 0808 802 5433 - or if you prefer to text, use 0786 007 7339. Local Care Team @ The Newman Centre, Crossgates: phone/text 0754 8554 501

**FACE-COVERINGS/MASKS:** The wearing of face-coverings/ masks in church is now obligatory and enforceable by law. If you intend to attend Mass, please ensure that you have a facecovering/mask with you and to put it on before you enter either of the Parish Churches.

**LEEDS NORTH AND WEST FOODBANK** is open, to ensure that no one in our local community has to go hungry. Your gift of financial support, time, business partnership and food can make a real difference. Visit the website to see how you may be able to help during this pandemic [www.leedsnorthandwest.foodbank.org.uk](http://www.leedsnorthandwest.foodbank.org.uk) Food items can be taken to at our Moortown Distribution Centre, 53-55 Cranmer Bank LS17 5JD.

## PARISH INFORMATION

<b>Parish Priest:</b>	Rev Fr Dennis Cassidy
<b>Assistant Priest:</b>	Rev Fr Henry Longbottom
<b>Retired Priest in the Parish:</b>	Rev Fr John Carter
<b>Parish Deacon:</b>	Rev Michael Leahy
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<b>Bulletin Notices:</b>	<b>Deadline Thursday 12noon</b> by phone, e-mail or post
<b>Hospital Chaplain Details:</b>	St Gemma's Hospice: Priest Chaplain 2681373
<b>LGI and Chapel Allerton:</b>	Phone 392 2914 or 2065935
<b>Wharfedale, St James' &amp; Seacroft:</b>	Fr Ben Griffiths email: <a href="mailto:benjamin.griffiths@nhs.net">benjamin.griffiths@nhs.net</a> or phone 206 4664
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# Parish of Saint John Mary Vianney

The Churches of The Immaculate Heart of Mary & St Paul, Leeds  
Diocese of Leeds Charity No 249 404

## 2nd Sunday After The Nativity 3rd January 2021

*“The first thing about the angels that we ought to imitate,  
is their consciousness of the Presence of God.”*

-St John Vianney-

**THE CHRISTMAS CRIB:** The origin of the Christmas Crib (or Manger) is attributed to Saint Francis of Assisi, who in 1223 celebrated the Feast of the Nativity in a new way that led to a new devotional practice. Saint Francis sent for his friend, Giovanni Vellita, a landowner in Greccio where Francis had a favourite hermitage. *“I desire to represent the birth of that Child in Bethlehem in such a way that with our bodily eyes we may see what He Suffered for lack of the necessities of a newborn babe and how He lay in a manger between the ox and ass”.* Please visit the Cribs in both our churches to pray before the Holy Family. **There will be a collection plate by each crib for your donations to assist the work of the SVP in our parish.**

**How to Book for a place for Sunday Mass** - please contact **07903 731 213** please book your place by Friday lunchtime. Booking your place alleviates any congestion at the door of Church and helps social distancing; also by booking your place you are helping the steward's. Unfortunately, if you turn up without registering, it may not be possible to accommodate you. Please only book for Masses one week in advance. Thank you.

*Thanks to our volunteer stewards, without who Church could not open!*

**NHS TEST & TRACE:** QR Scan Codes are situated at the church entrances for those using the NHS COVID-19 Mobile Phone App.

**HEATING:** Although the heating is on in both churches to comply with current COVID regulations it is set lower than usual please bring a big coat to keep you comfortable during Mass.

**EMAIL** If you wish to receive the parish bulletin via email, please email your permission to [office.stjohnvianney@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:office.stjohnvianney@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) Do share the parish bulletin with your family and friends.

**KEEPING IN TOUCH** If the contact details you original registered with the parish have changed, please phone, ring or email your new details to us, in order to keep parish records up to date. Thank you.

**WEBSITE:** work is currently going on behind the scenes to create a new Parish website, so do please bear with us. The bulletin, for now can be accessed via the link (in red) which is now below parish details on the home page of the website.



**THE QR CODE** enables you to access our parish website by simply clicking on this icon with the QR code app which you can download for free to your mobile phone. This icon is displayed outside both Immaculate Heart of Mary & St Paul's churches.

## HOLY MASSES

<b>Saturday Vigil:</b>	6.30pm	St Paul's	People of the Parish	
<b>Sunday 3rd:</b>	8.00am	IHOM	Luke Roache	(RIP)
<b>2nd Sunday After</b>	9.30am	IHOM	Bridie & Jimmy Moran	(A)
<b>The Nativity</b>	10.00am	St Paul's	Harold & Edna Gallagher	(A)
	11.00am	IHOM	Janice McDermott	(A)
	6.30pm	IHOM	Pat Stuart	(RIP)
<b>Monday 4th:</b>	<b>Monday of Christmas Time</b>			
	12.00noon	IHOM	Laurence Kilkenny	(A)
			Laurie Boyle	(RIP)
<b>Tuesday 5th:</b>	<b>Tuesday of Christmas Time</b>			
	9.30am	St Paul's	Joe Preston	(RIP)
			Margaret McKenna	(A)
<b>Wednesday 6th:</b>	<b>The Epiphany Of The Lord</b>			
	12.noon	IHOM	Special Intention	(CBC)
			Anne Cogan	(Sp Int)
<b>Thursday 7th:</b>	<b>Thursday after the Epiphany</b>			
	12.00 noon	St Paul's	Brian Barnett	(RIP)
			David Cahill	(RIP)
<b>Friday 8th:</b>	<b>Friday after the Epiphany</b>			
	9.30am	IHOM	Rita Durkin	(RIP)
			Bernadette Donegan	(RIP)
<b>Saturday 9th:</b>	<b>Saturday after the Epiphany</b>			
			Peader O'Beirn, Nioclas O'Beirn & Fionnuala Mc Carthy	
			Bridget Kilgallon	(A)
<b>Saturday Vigil:</b>	6.30pm	St Paul's	Mary Teresa Nelson	(A)
<b>Sunday 10th:</b>	8.00am	IHOM	Armando Maurantonio	(RIP)
<b>The Baptism Of The Lord</b>	9.30am	IHOM	Paddy Mackin	(RIP)
	10.00am	St Paul's	People of the Parish	
	11.00am	IHOM	Phil Mone	(A)
	6.30pm	IHOM	Kevin, Mary & Paddy McArdle	(RIP)

**PLEASE NOTE:** Wherever there is a Mass and time printed above, these are the Masses you can attend. Where there is no time shown, Masses will be said privately by Fr Dennis & Fr Henry. Times for funerals and other services are not shown, as numbers who can attend are restricted.



### ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION (for those unable to get to Mass)

*My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen*

**CONFESSIONS:** IHOM: Sun 6.00pm; St Paul's: Sat 6.00pm. Also available 30 minutes before any weekday Mass.

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY:** Many thanks to all our parishioners who have supported the parish financially, particularly during these most challenging times. We are especially grateful to those who have changed their method of giving to standing order as this makes parish administration so much easier. Offertory envelopes can be posted through IHOM Presbytery letterbox, or you may wish to consider setting up a Standing Order (forms available from [www.stjohnvianneyleeds.org.uk](http://www.stjohnvianneyleeds.org.uk) or by contacting the parish office). Standing Order is still the best and most cost-effective way to ensure the Parish benefits from whatever regular giving you can afford. If you pay tax and have not already taken out gift aid on your donation and wish to do so, please speak to one of our priests. **Doing so increases your donation by 25%** at no expense to you, as we claim that amount from the Inland Revenue.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS** All who are sick: Kathleen Quinn, John Miller, James Hagerty, Christine Feetenby, Mary Gill, Joan Corcoran, Kathleen Fleming, Peter Muddiman, John Stuart, Renée Smart, Rita Driscoll, Judith Frances Green; those affected by the Corona virus & those who are vulnerable; those who have died recently, and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially Cyril Clough.

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK:** LD: John Rush ; RIP: Iris & John Burns, Holy Souls, Joe Preston, James Donegan; SP INT'S: Patrick Clancy, Gret Canny; B/DAY INT'S: Shirley Judge.

**MASS CARDS** can still be obtained from the parish office. Either visit the office or please post your request for Masses/Mass cards with stipend through the office door. It will be entered into the Mass book and your Mass card will be posted out to you. Please include a stamped addressed envelope. Mass requests can also e-mailed and stipends can be posted through the letter box. Thank you for your understanding.

**VACANCY:** Headteacher - Barkston Ash Catholic Primary School. Salary: L8 – L14. Required from 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021. Closing Date EXTENDED: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January. For further information please email [admin@barkstonash.n-yorks.sch.uk](mailto:admin@barkstonash.n-yorks.sch.uk).

### EVENTS THIS WEEK ...

**SYCAMORE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE:** The Youth Service are delighted to invite people aged 13-17 to Sycamore, an online series of short films and discussions for young exploring the Catholic faith and what it means for us today. The sessions take place on **Wednesday from 4:30pm-6pm** on **Zoom**. For more information/to register, please email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**JOIN OUR CAFOD VOLUNTEER TEAM:** Just a few hours a month could help us to share updates and enable our parish community to take action for global justice. Help us to keep the conversations about human rights, social justice and climate action going and stay connected with those who are impacted by poverty and injustice. You will be supported by Bronagh Daly our local CAFOD worker for the Diocese, contact her for more details [bdaly@cafod.org.uk](mailto:bdaly@cafod.org.uk) or sign up at [www.cafod.org.uk/Volunteer/Sign-up](http://www.cafod.org.uk/Volunteer/Sign-up)

### STAY AT HOME RESOURCES ...

**THE MARK 10 MISSION** produced by The Franciscan Friars in Bradford can be used by parents in the current absence of Children's Liturgy. Each episode of unpacks the Sunday Scripture and contains a time of guided prayer with a song of worship. Go to [www.themark10mission.co.uk](http://www.themark10mission.co.uk)

**THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET** is prayed by the Parish Prayer Group at this time. If you would like to pray the Chaplet and have access to the internet please visit [www.thedivinemercy.org](http://www.thedivinemercy.org) Join the group each Thursday at 7pm from home. Prayer requests/intentions can be sent to [amcooke11@gmail.com](mailto:amcooke11@gmail.com) The group will pray for them.