

**'Out & About' 60+ Group:** Tuesday 21st February 7.30pm a short meeting for all members---the Programme of events from March to July will be given out. 8.00pm Quiz Night. 9.00 pm The Choice is yours! 9.15pm A light supper will be served! **£10 coach fare for Boundary Mill will be collected between 6.45pm-7.15pm**


**Chapel Allerton/Meanwood Churches Together:** invites parishioners to 'The Scandal of Inequality' a presentation by Andrew Grinnell from East End Park, looking at diversity in Leeds. This takes place at Stainbeck United Reformed Church, Stainbeck Road, LS7 2PP on **Thursday 23rd Feb**. The evening begins with soup at 7.30pm. All welcome. Please let Dennis Loughran know if you are going. (tel: 2941845).

**Churches Together Roundhay:** There will be five sessions this Lent on the theme "Following Christ on the Way—Praying Together in Lent". The first meeting will be at St Edmund's on **Thursday 1st March** at 7.30pm. See the poster at the back of Church for more details on the various venues.

**Irish History Month 2012:** Did you know that throughout the month of March every year, Irish History Month takes place? First celebrated in Leeds in 2007, it is now in its sixth year. Particular highlights this year include concerts from The Dubliners, Christy Moore and The Waterboys. Visit [www.irishhistorymonth.com](http://www.irishhistorymonth.com) view the full range of events.


**CAFOD Lent Envelopes.** Please take home a 'Give it up! - for water' envelope, which gives details of this year's Government match-funded appeal. Envelopes may be placed weekly with the Offertory collections throughout Lent. Thank you.

**Parish Directory:** We are compiling a list of Parish Organisations. All Groups and Societies will be in this so that we know what is going on, what is being done. And more importantly who can be contacted. Please complete a green form and return to the Presbytery by the end of February—remember we are not mind readers!

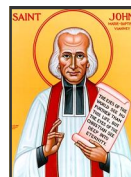
 **Come for a cuppa:** coffee and tea is served each Sunday after the 9.30am Mass in the Queen's Hall and after the 10.00am Mass in St Paul's Hall. All welcome!

**Pregnant? Worried?: LIFE will help call 0800 915 4600.**

**Altar Linen:** 19/02 Dorothy Lightfoot; 26/02 Jan Pulham.

 **Mass Intentions received this week:** June O'Callagahn (Sp Int), Margaret Rogers (Sp Int), Antonio Staiano (A), Jean turner (LD), Frankie Wood (Sick), John pennington (A), Enzo Sicilia (A), Stan Roberts (A), John Thomas (RIP), Anna Halloran (Sick) In Thanksgiving (CBC).

**From the Compendium to the Catechism to the Catholic Church No. 594. Why do we say "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us"?** By asking God the Father to pardon us, we acknowledge before him that we are sinners. At the same time we proclaim his mercy because in his Son and through the sacraments "we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins" (*Colossians* 1:14). Still our petition will be answered only if we for our part have forgiven first. **595. How is forgiveness possible?** Mercy can penetrate our hearts only if we ourselves learn how to forgive – even our enemies. Now even if it seems impossible for us to satisfy this requirement, the heart that offers itself to the Holy Spirit can, like Christ, love even to love's extreme; it can turn injury into compassion and transform hurt into intercession. Forgiveness participates in the divine mercy and is a high-point of Christian prayer.



# Parish of Saint John Mary Vianney

The Churches of The Immaculate Heart of Mary & St Paul, Leeds

Diocese of Leeds Charity No 249 404

## Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time 19th February 2012

**PARISH MASS BOOK: Year B Volume 1**

**This Sunday see pages 139-141 and Preface page 54-56. Order of Mass page 7 onwards.**

**Remember in your Prayers: Remember in your Prayers:** Please pray for all who are sick, Agnes Bickers, Rene Barr, John O'Connell, Anne Goward, Joan Platts, Anna Halloran, Patricia Connolly, and for those who have died recently, Eric Pearson, Bridie Brennan and Antonio Magagnin and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**The Season of Lent:** This joyful season of preparation to celebrate the passion, death and resurrection of Christ at Easter is characterised by an increase in prayer, fasting and almsgiving, to draw us closer to the Gospel and to repent of our sins. It begins on **Ash Wednesday** 22nd February. The times of Masses are as follows: **9.15am IHOM, 9.30am St Paul's, 12noon IHOM and 7.30pm IHOM.** It is a day of **fast and abstinence**. For the Christian fasting and abstaining have a special value: we can unite ourselves more closely with the sacrifice of Christ on the Cross, and so in a small way our own self-denial has a share in the work of salvation. We are all bound to fast (if between the ages of 14 and 60) and abstain from meat (from the age of 14 upwards) every Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

**Sacrament of Confirmation:** the date of the celebration of Confirmation is **Tuesday 8th May** (time and venue to be confirmed). Many thanks to our young people who have requested to begin their preparation to be Confirmed. The programme begins on **Tuesday 21st February with the Mass of Enrolment at 7pm** in the IHOM Church, followed by a meeting for both the parents and candidates. The classes then take place each Tuesday evening during Lent beginning at 7.30pm (except for 6th March at 7.15pm), and then after Easter.


**Gospel Acclamation:** during the season of Lent we do not pray the *Alleluia*. In its place for the Gospel Acclamation will sing the following at all Masses:



### PARISH INFORMATION

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**Parish Office:** Monday to Thursday 10.00am until 12.30pm. **Closed on Fridays.**  
**Bulletin Notices:** Deadline Thursday lunchtime either by phone, e-mail or post.  
**Queen's Hall bookings:** Email to: [bookings@queens-hall.org.uk](mailto:bookings@queens-hall.org.uk)  
**St Paul's Hall bookings:** Ring Pauline 07786 985907

## Times of Holy Mass

<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	6.30pm	St Paul's	Bridie Hamill	(A)
<b>Sunday 19th:</b>	8.00am	IHOM	Marjorie Sara Walsh	(A)
<b>Seventh Sunday</b>	9.30am	IHOM	Jimmy Browne	(RIP)
<b>In Ordinary</b>	10.00am	St Paul's	Catherine & Martin Foley	(A)
<b>Time</b>	11.00am	IHOM	People of the Parish	
	6.30pm	IHOM	Mazaylin Copeland	(LD)
<b>Monday 20th:</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>			
	9.15am	IHOM	Michael Lightfoot	(Sp Int)
<b>Tuesday 21st:</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>			
	9.15am	IHOM	James Curran	(A)
	7.00pm	IHOM	Mollie Nesbitt	(RIP)
			<i>Mass of Enrolment for the Sacrament of Confirmation</i>	
<b>Wednesday 22nd:</b>	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b>			
	9.15am	IHOM	Peter Carolan	(LD)
	9.30am	St Paul's	Vincent Holmes	
	12noon	IHOM	Yorkshire Brethen	
	7.30pm	IHOM	John Nicholson	
<b>Thursday 23rd:</b>	<b>Thursday after Ash Wednesday</b>			
	9.15am	IHOM	Vincent McManus	(A)
	12.00pm	IHOM	November Dead	
	1.15pm	<i>CHCHS Mass for pupils and staff</i>		
<b>Friday 24th:</b>	<b>Friday after Ash Wednesday</b>			
	9.15am	IHOM	Winifred Shawcross	(Sp Int)
	11.00am	St Paul's	<i>Requiem Mass-Bridie Brennan-RIP</i>	
	12.30pm	St Paul's	No Mass	
<b>Saturday 25th:</b>	<b>Saturday after Ash Wednesday</b>			
	10.00am	IHOM	Mary Bannon	(RIP)
	10.00am	St Paul's	Margaret Garrett	(RIP)
<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	6.30pm	St Paul's	Clara Cunningham	(RIP)
<b>Sunday 26th:</b>	8.00am	IHOM	People of The Parish	
<b>First Sunday</b>	9.30am	IHOM	Peter Loughran	(A)
<b>Of Lent</b>	10.00am	St Paul's	Margaret Cahill	(LD)
	11.00am	IHOM	Margaret & Patrick Raftery	(A)
	6.30pm	IHOM	Johnny & Clare McBride	(A)

**Exposition:** Mon - Fri 8.30-9.10am at **IHOM** & Sat 10.30-11.00am at **IHOM** & **St Paul's**  
**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help IHOM:** Monday 9.00am  
**Morning Prayer of the Church IHOM:** Tuesday to Friday 8.55am  
**Rosary for Vocations IHOM:** Sat 9.40am **Rosary and Angelus: St Paul's** Fri 12 noon  
**Confessions:**  
 Saturday at IHOM & St Paul's 10.30 - 11.00am and at St Paul's 5.30 - 6.00pm

*The Wednesday Word* provides an excellent way for all parishioners to prepare themselves prayerfully for the proclamation of the following Sunday Gospel. Please consider taking a copy home with you.



**FINANCE: Offertory Collection £3779.72. Many thanks.** 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.

**New Mass Text:** we have been praying the new translation of the Roman Missal for some time now. Please remember to use the Parish Mass Books and Mass cards to help us pray the words of the Mass, especially before the Gospel when the reply is now, "**Glory to you, O Lord**" and also before the Prayer over the Offerings: "**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**" For those who ordered a Daily Missal once they arrive we will let you know. For more information you can also visit [www.missal.org.uk](http://www.missal.org.uk)



**Stations of the Cross in Lent:** Friday 9.50am IHOM and 12noon St Paul's (replacing the Rosary). Tuesday 7.30pm IHOM Church.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** Friday 10.15am-4pm IHOM Church. Please sign up to come and pray before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. From 3-3.30pm Chaplet and Litany of Divine Mercy. 3.45-4pm Benediction.

**Lent Booklets:** Available at the back of Church for adults, juniors and infants please take one to use throughout Lent.

**New Cardinals:** On the Solemnity of the Epiphany, Pope Benedict XVI announced that a Consistory would be held on **18<sup>th</sup> February**. This took place yesterday in St Peter's at which the Pope appointed 22 new members of the College of Cardinals. The Pope said: "*As is well known, the task of Cardinals is to help the Successor of Peter to carry out his ministry of strengthening the brethren in the faith and of being a principle and source of the unity and communion of the Church.*" Please pray for the new Cardinals.

**Rite of Election 2012:** next Sunday, the First Sunday of Lent, at Cathedrals in all parts of the world, those who are to be baptised and received into the Catholic Church at Easter meet the local Bishop during the Rite of Election. Please pray for Danielle and Peter, two of our parishioners who are preparing to be baptised at Easter.

**Journey In Faith:** classes continue **Thursday 23rd February 2012** at 7.30-8.30pm in the meeting room of the Queen's Hall.



**Sacrament of Marriage:** Please pray for the many couples preparing to celebrate over the coming months the Sacrament of Marriage.



**"Come To The Well And Drink":** A series of 5 sessions to explore and experience different ways of contemplative & creative prayer. The first session will be on the **Monday 27th February** 7.30pm-9.00pm in the IHOM School hall. Session will then continue each Monday throughout Lent.

**"The Ark":** is a 4 week event during Lent for young people in Years 9 -13 held on Wednesday evenings during March at Wheeler Hall from 7 - 9pm. "**The Ark**" is an opportunity to get together to pray, explore the Catholic faith and meet with other young Christians. If you are aged 16-30 and would like to help with this event then we would love to hear from you. We need small group leaders, musicians, people to help with registration, setting up & pack down and refreshments! For more information or to block book places please contact Anna at the Youth Office [abcleedsdiocese@hotmail.com](mailto:abcleedsdiocese@hotmail.com) / 01132618058.