

The Parishes of  
St. Joseph's, BATLEY CARR  
&  
Our Lady & St. Paulinus, DEWSBURY  
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## Sunday 28th March 2021 Palm Sunday

"Hosanna in the Highest!"

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the king of Israel."

<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>COMMEMORATION</u>
27th March Saturday Vigil	6.30pm St. Joseph's	Ellen Jelly (A) Harold Jelly (RIP)
28th Palm Sunday	10.30 am OLASP	People of the Parish
29th Monday	10.00 am OLASP	Ellen Harrington (L.D)
30th Tuesday	10.00 am St. Joseph's	Pat & Bernard Gaughan
31st Wednesday	10.00 am OLASP	Emma Hillary (Y.B)
1st April Maundy Thursday	7.00 pm OLASP	People of Peru
2nd Good Friday Stations of the Cross	3.00 pm OLASP 6.30 pm St. Joseph's	A Day of Fasting And Contemplation
3rd Holy Saturday Vigil	6.30 pm St. Joseph's 8.30 pm OLASP	Mary Firth Desmond Tham Koun Hao (Singapore)
4th Easter Sunday	10.30 am OLASP	People of the Parish

**HOLY WEEK - booking required & open from Monday:** [olaspandstjosephs.org.uk](http://olaspandstjosephs.org.uk)

**The bias is to St. Paulinus this year as it is the bigger church to allow more people to come.**

**Maundy Thursday:** We remember the last meal Jesus shared and his witness of service.

**Good Friday:** Holy Communion will be distributed at both Good Friday Services.

**For Confession (Reconciliation),** speak with Fr. Jonathan or another priest who will arrange a time to meet safely with you. This is a wonderful time to ditch past mistakes and start afresh.

**Extra Mass:** From the second Sunday of Easter until the end of June there may be another Mass on Sundays at St. Paulinus. This is to ensure all who want to can get to Mass at the weekend.

*Having Mass celebrated puts faith into practice & unites us all in prayer. We can celebrate the joy of new birth, success in education, sport or work. Mass for the ill focuses our prayer on their recovery or acceptance of their condition. We commend the deceased to the embrace of God's Love and comfort the bereaved. Whilst there is no charge, ten pounds is the suggested donation in the Diocese. At every Mass we pray for all the people of the parish.*

**Mass Intentions:** Mark Griffin, Robert & David Macrae, Desmond Tham Koun Hao (Singapore).

**Prayer List:**, Mgr Michael Kujacz, Rev. Patrick Kelly, Rev. Ashworth, Tracey Smith, Rose Rodgers, Deborah DeCesare, Maureen Oldroyd, Jensen Burrows, Dominic Ramm, Eileen Thomson, Anton Burrows, Janice McNab, Ann Steffen, Rhona Naughton, Sheena Dunbar, Maurice Conboy, Bella Varey, Jean Halligan, Nora Naughton, Ann Wharton, H.W, Elizabeth Evans, Gordon Lodge, Sheila Sutton, Andrea Cuesta, Susan O'Donnell, Ray & Margaret, Sam Greenwood, Bernard Gaughan, Dot Cordy, Michael Brooke, Roger Meehan, Mary Ledgard. Aidan (NDL).

**Safeguarding vulnerable children & adults: Andrea Jackson 078 09 29 85 15**

**Offertory Envelopes and Planned Giving:** [Thank you so much for your continued financial support.](#) Thanks to the many of you have gone to the website and started paying by Direct Debit or Standing Order. Thanks to the tax payers who are signing up to the Gift Aid Scheme. The **offertory envelopes** have arrived and will be distributed in the coming days.

**Last week's Church Basket offertory:** [OL&SP: £550.00 St. Joseph's: £428.00](#) Some envelopes are collected as I contact the housebound. Even if you have not been able to come to Mass, the church community is there for you when you are ready and always with a welcome.

**Baptisms, Weddings:** Please get in touch so we can plan for brighter days ahead.

**Keeping Faith Alive in Our Homes:** You might try [themark10mission.co.uk](http://themark10mission.co.uk)

**The Flea Market: @ St. Joseph's. New stock is always required. Open soon.**

**FOODBANKS:** Both Parishes are collecting food for families in need. Just drop off your donation of dry or long life food and sanitary products.

**FUSION FOODBANK:** Donations of Easter eggs will be gratefully received.

**If you would like to donate please take them to church next weekend.**



**MISSIO BOXES:** Please bring your Missio boxes in. Thanks hugely for your generosity.

**SPARK SOCIAL JUSTICE:** People under 30 who are passionate about social justice are invited to send in a 2 minute video about issues which concern them. £25 will be paid for every video used on social media. More information: [jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:jandp@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

**St. Paulinus 1:1 Teaching Assistant Vacancy:** The Governors of St. Paulinus Catholic Primary School, Dewsbury are seeking to appoint a 1:1 ETA.

For more information please contact Mrs. Massey: [office@stpaulinus.org](mailto:office@stpaulinus.org) or 01924 488 282.

Thank you to all of you who serve our whole church family.

To our stewards, cleaners, linen washers & ironers, flower arrangers, musicians and organists, envelope sorters, counters & accountants, flea marketeers, catechists & teachers, safe-guarders, servers, readers & servers-over-a-hatch, secretaries & Mass Intention planners, office helpers & sacristans, gardeners and visitors of the sick, vulnerable and infirm. To those who support us with prayer, advice from experience, a kind, supportive word and a smile.

Indeed to everyone who serves to bring life to our parish communities.

As some feel that they have done their whack, we always need new volunteers.

Please help keep us vibrant and offer what you can to your parish.

*Please get in touch for anything I can help you with.  
The Churches are open throughout the week for Mass.  
This is Holy Week. Let us make it special. Fr. Jonathan*