

The Parishes of
St. Joseph's,
BATLEY CARR
 &
Our Lady & St. Paulinus, DEWSBURY
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8th January 2023 Baptism of the Lord
Baptisms and Weddings: Please be in touch to plan your day.

	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CHURCH</u>	<u>COMMEMORATION</u>
7	Saturday	6.00 pm	St. Joseph's	People of the Parish
8	Baptism of the Lord	9.15 am 10.45 am	St. Joseph's St. Paulinus	Margaret Ratcliffe (A) Kelly & Green Family Intentions
9	Monday			No Mass
10	Tuesday	10.00 am 12.15 pm	St. Joseph's St. Joseph's	Mass and Coffee <u>Requiem: Vincent Regan</u>
11	Wednesday	10.00 am	St. Paulinus	Rosemary Herley
12	Thursday	10.00 am	<u>St. Joseph's</u> <u>Primary School</u>	Kathleen & Peter Madocks (YB)
13	Friday	10.00	St. Paulinus	Desmond Perera (LD)
14	Saturday	6.00 pm	St. Joseph's	Arthur Francis Roche (A)
15	Sunday	9.15 am 10.45 am	St. Joseph's St. Paulinus	People of the Parish Philip Waite
				Advance notice of funerals. Other Masses and services as announced.
16	Monday	10.00 am 12.30 pm	St. Paulinus Crematorium	<u>Weekday Mass</u> <u>Funeral: David Patrick Loney</u>
25	Wednesday	10.00 am 5.00 pm	St. Paulinus St. Joseph's	<i>(Intention To Be Confirmed)</i> <u>Reception: Patricia Enright (LD)</u>
26	Thursday	1.30 pm 7.00 pm	St. Joseph's St. Mary's, Batley	<u>Requiem: Patricia Enright</u> <u>Confirmation Ceremony</u>

Mass Intentions: In Thanksgiving, Kelly, Dickinson & Green families, Eileen Golby (An. 18th Feb), Mary Golby (An. 22nd Feb), Mary Talbot (LD), Mark Griffen (2nd An. 16th Feb), Special Intention, Jean & Sean Thornton, Arthur Francis Roche (A), Arthur Francis Roche (B'day An.), Anthony Feather (A), Bill Waite (A), Nora Waters (A), Maureen McGuire (LD). **Recently Deceased:** Vincent Regan, David Patrick Loney, Patricia Enright, Maureen McGuire. *May they resting peace. Amen*

PRAYER LIST: Mgr. Michael Kujacz, Rev. Patrick & Cathleen Kelly, Rev. Russel Ashworth, Rev. Simon Cash, Rector of Dewsbury Minster, Brian Gaskin (Dewsbury Minster), Deborah DeCesare, Jensen & Anton Burrows, Tracey Smith, Dominic Ramm, Eileen Thomson, Janice McNab, Ann Steffen, Rhona Naughton, Sheena Dunbar, Maurice Conboy, Bella Varey, Jean Halligan, Nora Naughton, Ann Wharton, H.W, Elizabeth Evans, Gordon Lodge, Eric Sutton, Sheila Sutton, Andrea Cuesta, Susan O'Donnell, Ray & Margaret, Malcolm Wilson, Michael McPherson, Michael. Peace in our world and especially in Ukraine. For our parishioners in sheltered housing and residential care.

ST. JOSEPH'S FLEA MARKET: This emporium of interesting and surprising items is a great asset to the parish. It brings new people to the parish and helps people furnish their rooms as well as bringing in a tidy sum. Please remember it especially if you or any of your friends has any objects they have previously loved and have decided to replace. **COULD YOU VOLUNTEER?**

Dewsbury Fusion Food Bank provides around 1938 meals weekly. If you can afford it, one tin or one packet per week in the box at Church would really help. Thanks so much.

St. Paulinus 200 Club Sunday 1st January - winner 85 - Michael Collins

Thoughts for Lent Although we have just celebrated Christmas, Easter eggs will soon be in the shops so it might be worth turning our minds to Lent. Perhaps on some weekdays I could visit your house and pray with you and your family. Mass could be celebrated if you would invite a fellow parishioner to come to your home too. Should you wish to read or study the Gospel of Matthew or the Acts of the Apostles, please let me know and we could organise a group.

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund Appeal 7-8 January 2023

An appeal and a second collection taken, after all Masses this weekend of 7-8 January to support the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes July 2023: Call for Nurses and Carers

The annual Diocese of Leeds Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place 7-13 July 2023.

This is a call for nurses and carers to be part of the amazing Hospitality Team.

This team help to take care of the assisted and sick pilgrims on the pilgrimage.

Helping our sick pilgrims to visit the shrine of Our Lady is a wonderfully fulfilling role.

Preparation and training are provided.

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We have just celebrated the Feast of the Epiphany and this weekend we concentrate on the adult ministry of Jesus, which we make our own. It might be a good time to reflect and think of how we will approach this year in prospect. These words by Howard Thurman might help.

When the song of the angels is stilled,

When the star in the sky is gone,

When the kings and the princes are home,

When the shepherds are back with their flocks,

The work of Christmas begins:

To find the lost,

To heal the broken,

To feed the hungry,

To release the prisoner,

To rebuild the nations,

To bring peace among people,

To make music in the heart.

Have a good and Blessed Start to the Year

Fr. Jonathan