

**Mass Intentions Received Recently:**

Jack Miller (LD); Mark Griffin (RIP) x2; Christine Mageean (Sp Int).

**The Sacrament of Confirmation - 2025:**

Bishop Marcus will confer the sacrament on those prepared in our parishes on Thursday 6th February 2025. Year 6 pupils attending St Paulinus school will receive preparation via school, anyone else, including those pupils in Year 6 at St Joseph's, should attend the preparation sessions at St Joseph's Church, the dates of which are: Saturday 12th, 19th and 26th January 2025. Application forms are now available. If there are any adults interested in Confirmation, please email me directly at [stephen.webb@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:stephen.webb@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**St Joseph's 50 Club October Draw:**

Winner £50 - No.122 - Maureen Oldroyd.

**OL & St P - 200 Club:**

Sunday 3rd Nov - Winner no. 105 - Brendan Lynn.

**St Joseph's Coffee after Mass:**

Please come into the hall for a drink and biscuits (often there is also cake!) after 10.00am Mass on Wednesday and 9.30am Mass on Sunday. All welcome.

**Faith & Light - Soup Lunch - This Weekend:**

Sunday 10th Nov at 12.00noon in St Paulinus' Hall after Sunday Mass. Tickets £2 on the door - come & enjoy Soup / Sandwich followed by Apple Pie & Cream!

**St Joseph's Christmas Fair:**

On the weekend of 23rd and 24th November after the Vigil and 9.30am Masses. Donations of gift items, chocolates, cakes, unopened bottles, Christmas novelties and Tombola prizes will be gratefully received. Please put in the box in the porch or Church Hall. Cakes also needed on the day for the Cake Stall.

**OL & St P - Christmas Fair:**

Saturday 7th December. Thrift tickets are available! Box for donations for all stalls at the back of Church. List for donations for Raffle prizes on the Notice Board - thank you for your support!

**Music for Rest and Remembrance:**

Leeds Cathedral Choir sings Duruflé's beautiful Requiem and music by Haydn, Sheppard and Tallis. Free admission, with a retiring collection. Remembrance Sunday, 10th November 2024, 4.00pm, Leeds Cathedral

**Eucharistic Holy Hour for Life:**

The Bishops of England and Wales, during their upcoming Plenary Assembly, will be praying an additional Eucharistic Holy Hour to pray and intercede that the dignity of the human person and the culture of life be upheld in the face of the assisted suicide legislation being brought before Parliament. Cardinal Nichols invites every diocese and parish to be united with the bishops in this powerful prayer of intercession. There will be an Holy Hour in our parish on the same date of Wednesday 13th November at 9.00am in St Joseph's, leading into the Wednesday morning Mass. Please make every effort to attend.

**Saturday Flea Market:**

Thank you to those who have already volunteered to help. If we are going to continue to open on a Saturday morning 10am - 12noon then we need at least 2

more people to join a rota. Please consider if you can contribute to this valuable community service. You will be supported by more experienced staff! Thank you to Ann and Tessa for all their hard work over the years.

**Clothes and Shoes Give Away:**

Surplus Flea Market Stock of women's, men's and small amounts of children's clothes and shoes Wednesday 20th November in St Joseph's church hall, Naylor St, Batley Carr 1-3pm. £2 entry fee, bring your own bags and take as much as you like. Open to all, invite your friends! If you can help at this event, please speak to Margaret or Sarah.

**Growing Old Grace-Fully Online Sessions:**

Leeds Diocese older people's charity next online session is Finding Hope in Community and Parish Life, Tuesday 19th November, 2:30-3:30pm To join, email [growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**Beverley Male Voice Choir:**

"Let all men sing!" 23rd November in Dewsbury Minister at 7.00pm. Tickets £10, available from the Minster Reception, daily 10.00am - 2.00pm or on the door. *Thank you - Sam Wilson.*

**Assisted Suicide Bill Resources:**

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales (CBCEW) website has been updated with a raft of resources to help to be informed regarding the assisted suicide legislation that is currently working its way through Parliament. Resources and information available at <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/catholics-oppose-assisted-suicide/>

**Leeds Cathedral Guided Tours:**

Free Guided Tours on the following Saturdays at 2.00pm: 23 November and 14 December. The tours last about 1 hour and are free to attend. No booking is required.

**The Annual Lourdes Dinner Dance:**

Will take place on Friday 28th February 2025 at the Met Hotel in Leeds, Tickets are £40 each or £375 for a table of 10, Ticket price includes a reception drink, a 3 course dinner and entertainment throughout the night. Please contact Phil Marshall for tickets or more info on 07766 148375 or at [philmarshall49@hotmail.com](mailto:philmarshall49@hotmail.com)

**Catholic Care Christmas Appeal:**

Last year over 700 families were supported by Catholic Care's Christmas Pantries, and this year we need your help too. During November we will be collecting: dried and tinned food, e.g. pasta, rice, tea, coffee and cereals and toiletries such as toothpaste and toilet rolls. We're also collecting toys (unwrapped) for all ages. Thank you for your continued support and for helping us to help others.

**Last Weekend's Offertories:**

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| St Joseph's             | Env   | £150.00        |
|                         | Plate | £105.50        |
| Our Lady & St Paulinus' | Env   | £206.00        |
|                         | Plate | £147.50        |
| <b>Total:</b>           |       | <b>£609.00</b> |

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| Other Income   |         |
| Flea Market    | £291.00 |
| Votive Candles | £112.00 |

*Thank you for your continued generosity!*

 Please remember to turn-off mobile phones before Mass begins... Thank you!



# Welcome to the Parishes of Our Lady & St Paulinus, Dewsbury and St Joseph, Batley Carr



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## SERVICES & MASS INTENTIONS

### Sunday 10th November 2024 Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time - Remembrance Sunday

|                           |   |             |
|---------------------------|---|-------------|
| 5.00pm - 5.30pm (Sat Eve) | Confessions                                     | St Joseph   |
| 6.00pm (Sat Evening)      | Mass (Safe Travels - Robert & Adrena)           | St Joseph   |
| 9.30am                    | Mass (Richard O'Brien [A])                      | St Joseph   |
| 11.00am                   | Mass (Those who have died in times of conflict) | St Paulinus |

### Tuesday 12th November St Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

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| 7.00pm | Mass (Donor's Intention [Peace] & H S) | St Joseph |
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### Wednesday 13th November Weekday of Ordinary Time

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| 9.00am  | Eucharistic Holy Hour for Life        | St Joseph |
| 10.00am | Mass (Winnie Walsh [LD] & Holy Souls) | St Joseph |

### Thursday 14th November Weekday of Ordinary Time

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| 10.00am | Mass (Donor's Intention & Holy Souls) | St Paulinus |
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### Friday 15th November Weekday of Ordinary Time

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| 10.00am   | Mass (Maureen Lyons [RIP] & Holy Souls) | St Paulinus |
| 12.00noon | Requiem Mass for Winnie Walsh           | St Joseph   |

### Sunday 17th November 2024 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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| 5.00pm - 5.30pm (Sat Eve) | Confessions                                | St Joseph   |
| 6.00pm (Sat Evening)      | Mass (Pro Pop & Holy Souls)                | St Joseph   |
| 9.30am                    | Mass (Kelly Family [Sp Int] & Holy Souls)  | St Joseph   |
| 11.00am                   | Mass (John McGrath & Deceased Family & HS) | St Paulinus |

**Let us Pray:**

We turn to our heavenly Father in prayer, asking for his blessings on all those in need:

For our Holy Father, Pope Francis, and all who are called to leadership in the Church, that their work may be blessed and bear abundant fruit.

For leaders of nations, that they will strive bring peace and reconciliation where there is warfare and violence.

For all who serve in the Armed Forces, may they bring peace and stability in our troubled world.

For all Veterans, and those whose lives have been affected by conflict – may they be given the help and support they deserve to rebuild lives.

For all who are sick or housebound that they may know the comforting presence of Jesus. We pray, too, for the deceased members of our families, our parish, and the wider community, and for all who have died during times of conflict, that they may have eternal life with God in heaven.

Gracious God, hear our prayers and grant them for the good of your children who now call upon you. We ask this in his name, Christ our Lord.

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**We pray for those whom we know to be sick at home or in hospital, among them...**

*Mary Robinson; Hugo Pineda; Edward Jennings; Aiden Murray; Lynda Walker; Mgr Michael Kujacz.*

**We pray for those who have died recently, or whose anniversary falls at this time, among them...**

*Sam Connors (A); Ronan Harrington (A); Roger Agagon (LD); Jessie Borgonia (LD); Richard O'Brien (A); Jack Miller (LD); Karen Louise Teale (LD); Kathleen Galligan (LD); Theresa O'Reilly (LD); Dorothy O'Hara (LD).*