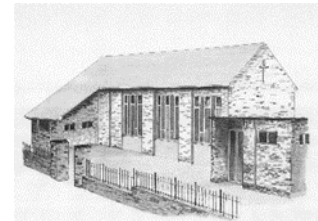


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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

10TH JANUARY 2021

MASSES CELEBRATED LIVE IN ST MARY'S AND STREAMED VIA YOU TUBE (L)

Day	Time	Intention
Sunday 10th January—The Baptism of the Lord	9:30a.m. (L) 11:00a.m.(L) 1:00p.m. 6:00p.m.	For the Parish Marshal Louie Flores Polish Mass Kathleen O'Neill (YB)
Monday 11th—Feria	No Mass	
Tuesday 12th— St Aelred of Rievaulx	7:00p.m. (L)	Margaret Killough
Wednesday 13th—Feria	9:30a.m.(L)	Joan Smith
Thursday 14th—Feria	9:30a.m. (L)	Zinaida Meerovic
Friday 15th—Feria	9:30a.m.(L)	Deceased Relatives of M&C Blackburn
Saturday 16th—Feria	12:15p.m.(L)	Sheila Greenwood

PRAYER LIST

Margaret Thomson,
Margaret Burke,
John Wallis,
Millie Haigh,
David Murphy,
Peter Fekete,
Fawzia Mohamed,
William Long,
Sonya Box,
Julie Simpson,
Charlotte Fitzpatrick,
Kathleen Knapton,
Peter Carolan,
Peter Smith,
David Hopkinson,
Julie Hall,
Moya Andrew,
Tony Lennon,
Suzanne Peaker,
Larry Byrne,
Eddie Casey,
Winnie Whelan,
Kathleen Hannan,
Nancy McGrath,
Eleanor Foran,
Maureen Colleran,
Pat Reynolds and all the
sick and housebound of
the parish, their families
and those who care for
them.

Please pray for all those who have died recently
and for Mgr Canon Peter McGuire, Fr Norman Copley, Fr Matthew Kavanagh and for all
those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

MASSES RECEIVED:

Alex Simpson, Julie Simpson, Rose Rothery (x2), Canon Joseph Finan, Diane Marie
Wilkinson, Keleher Family, Margaret Johnson, Lizzie Lees, Maria Felice Ruggiero, Grieci
Family, Marshal Louie Flores, Private intention (JBG).

MASSES

Please book a place at all Masses using the online booking system
on the Parish website.
Remember 4 people from the same household or social bubble only require 1 ticket.
5 people or more from the same household or social bubble only require 2 tickets.

PRAYER INTENTION OF THE HOLY FATHER POPE FRANCIS FOR JANUARY 2021

Please remember in your prayers the following intention:
Human Fraternity May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our
brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

PRAYER GROUP

Wednesday at 7pm:
The Rosary-Zoom Meeting
882 976 305
Password 7riK44

SVP

Anyone who needs to get in
touch with the SVP in the
Parish can now call
07512 011 440.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

On the Parish website there
is a link on the Home Page to
details of this week's
Children's Liturgy activities.
There are additional
Children's Resources via the
Parish Life tab at the top of
the Home Page.

SILENT NIGHTS IN BETHLEHEM:

Thank you to all those who contributed to the crib collection this year. The money collected will be donated to the Friends of the Holy Land who work to alleviate the suffering of our brothers and sisters in the land of Christ's birth.

Further information about the appeal can be found online at
<https://www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk/>

CHRISTMAS OFFERING

Fr Martin would like to thank all those who contributed so generously to the Christmas Offering this year. It is greatly appreciated.

BULLETIN NOTICES

Please send any notices for inclusion in next week's bulletin directly to Fr Martin.
Email address: martin.kelly@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

PARISH CENSUS

If you have access to the internet and have not yet completed a parish census form, please consider doing so. The form can be accessed on the home page of the parish website (www.stmaryshalifax.com).

Paper copies will be made available later in the year for those who do not have internet access.

GIANNA PROJECT and THE EBENEZER FOOD BANK

Once again the Parish has shown its great generosity by giving to these charities. Both have expressed their thanks and wish us all God's blessings for the New Year

DIOCESAN DIRECTORY

The 2020/2021 Diocesan Directories are available at the back of Church at £4 each.

SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN CHILD

The Department of Health is holding a public consultation on whether to continue the practice of allowing abortion providers to send abortion pills to women so that they can perform their own abortion at home. We need as many pro-life people as possible to complete the Department of Health's questionnaire in order to help stop dangerous DIY abortions becoming permanent. SPUC has prepared a briefing which gives a step by step guide to completing the consultation questionnaire. Please go to <https://www.spuc.org.uk/Get-Involved/Campaigns/England-DIY-Abortion-Consultation> The consultation ends on 26 February 2021.

Mass Offerings, Notices and News Items for the Parish Bulletin should be given to Fr Martin or Deacon John by Wednesday evening at the latest. Notices and News Items but not Mass Intentions can be sent to John Coates (01422 360469 or jcoates@btinternet.com) again by Wednesday evening. The Parish Safeguarding Representative is Clare O'Neill (07792147620 psr.coneill@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)
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