The Parish of St Joseph & The Parish of St Charles Borromeo SHEFFIELD



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Please remember in your prayers all the sick and housebound, especially: Jonathan Dempsey, Fran Ashworth, Andy Mitchell, Leesa McManus, Eileen Valance, Marie Montgomery, Sheila Clapham, John Carroll, Lol Hodges, Sheila Habershon, Freda Clarke, Rita & Vin Todd, Michael Egan, Jean Reardon, Georgina Shirt, Maria Tarnowski, Elizabeth Barron, Margaret Bradley, Margaret Wainwright, Jimmy Cahill, Martin Humphreys, Eric Howsam, Susan De Couto, Jacqueline Wagland, Sr. Teresa Paschal, Tom Bryant. If you would like anyone included on this list, and the individual concerned or a family member has consented to it, simply write the person's name down and hand it to Fr McManus or to the Office.

Last week's collection was £372.00 (£272.00 in offertory envelopes, £100.00 in loose). Many thanks for your continuing support!

Money Matters: At this difficult time, when some parishioners may well have a drop in income and will need to be more careful about expenditure, no one should feel under any obligation to give what they cannot afford. However, many of the running costs of our churches remain unchanged, therefore if you do feel able to continue making your weekly offering you might want to consider setting up a standing order or sending a one off payment. Please quote your name as a reference and, if you usually donate by envelope, please also include the envelope number. **Thank you** to those who have already posted donations or enquired about bank transfers, your continued generosity towards our churches is greatly appreciated.

The details you need are:

To Diocese of Hallam St Josephs Handsworth, Sort Code 40-41-07, Account Number 61094351 or To Diocese of Hallam St Charles Borromeo Sheffield, Sort Code 40-41-07, Account Number 41095064.

Our annual **Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour** continues this Tuesday evening, 9 June, at 7.00pm – or whenever works for you. This week we consider *Jesus is taken down from the Cross*. Although at home we can still pray together. Pray it when you can.

There is a **National Weekly Mass**, celebrated by a bishop in his cathedral, taking place **each Thursday evening at 7.00pm** for the sick in hospital, their families and the front-line health care workers as a focus of our Catholic community support. Bishop McKinney is to celebrate, **this Thursday**, **11 June**, from Nottingham cathedral. The Mass can be followed on Livestream.

Both the **Schools Pilgrimage** and the **Diocesan Pilgrimage to Padley**, this year on the anniversary of the martyrs' arrest on 12 July, **have had to be cancelled this year**.

Wondering what you might do to help?

One way you might like to consider helping out is with the garden or cemetery at St Joseph's church. It's plenty big enough for social distancing and is home to lots of weeds! (The lovely recent weather helped!) Thankfully, we are managing to keep the grass mown. Obviously the hoped for second phase of work on the cemetery has had to wait. Bring your own tools if you want to have a go. Thank you.

COVID-19 Support: During these challenging times it can feel overwhelming, and you may wonder how you are going to look after yourself in the months ahead. It can be difficult to maintain our mental health and wellbeing when coping with so much uncertainty and turmoil at home and at work. To support your mental health and wellbeing Caritas Hallam are offering free counselling to anyone within the Diocese. For Confidential Counselling please contact Bernie Ware on 07980 406198 or email bware@hallam-diocese.com

Mary's Meals: Resources for Children This great charity are delighted to share an activity pack for children based on excerpts from Magnus' best-selling book *The Shed That Fed A Million Children*. Through these stories, children can travel from the Highlands of Scotland to the heart of Africa, where they will meet some of the people who inspired our work to feed hungry children in schools. This is most suitable for children in upper primary and lower secondary stages.

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Prayer for Healing by St Padre Pio

Heavenly Father I thank you for loving me. I thank you for sending your Son our Lord Jesus Christ to the world to save me and set me free. I trust in your power and grace that sustain and restore me. Loving Father touch me now with your healing hands, for I believe that your will is for me to be well in mind, body, soul and spirit. Cover me with the most precious blood of your Son Our Lord Jesus Christ from the top of my head to the soles of my feet. Cast anything out that should not be in me. Root out any unhealthy and abnormal cells. Open any blocked arteries or veins and rebuild and replenish any damaged areas. Remove all inflammation and cleanse any infections by the power of Jesus's precious blood. Let the fire of your healing love pass through my entire body to heal and make new cells to replace any damaged areas so that my body will perform properly the way you created it to function. Touch also my mind and my emotions even the deepest recesses of my heart. Saturate my entire being with your presence, love, joy and peace and draw me even closer to you every moment of my life. And Father fill me with your Holy Spirit and empower me to do your work so that my life will bring glory and honour to your holy name. I ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

Mass Intentions	
Monday June 8	Baby Anderton & Family
Ordinary Time weekday	
Tuesday June 9	Hughie McManus
Ordinary Time weekday	
Wednesday June 10	Private Intention
Ordinary Time weekday	
Thursday June 11	Dead List
St Barnabas	
Friday June 12	James Tobin
Ordinary Time weekday	
Saturday June 13	Kevin Hegarty
St Antony of Padua	
Sunday June 14	For the People
Corpus Christi	

Masses are celebrated at 7.30am on weekdays and 8.00am on the Sunday.

This week St Joseph's Sanctuary Lamp burns for:
For the Sick & the Dying
This week St Charles' Sanctuary Lamp burns for:
Healthcare Workers & Carers

Please pray for Brian Mellors *RIP*, for all who have died recently & for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

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Dear Guardian Angel go for me to the church, there kneel down at Mass for me. At the Offertory, take me to God, and offer Him my service: What I am, what I have, offer as my gift. At the Consecration, with your seraphic strength, adore my Saviour truly present, praying for those who have loved me, for those who have offended me, and for those now deceased, that the blood of Jesus may purify them all. During Holy Communion, bring to me the Body and Blood of Jesus uniting Him with me in spirit, so that my heart may become His dwelling place. Plead with Him, that through His sacrifice all people throughout the world may be saved. When the Mass ends, bring home to me and to every home, the Lord's blessing. Amen.