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The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary

16 August 2026

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Please remember in your prayers all the sick and housebound, especially: Joan Conway, Anne Craven, David Briggs, Judith Jackson, Martin Tasker, Terry George, Mary Broomhead, Sonia Prince, Jade Goodinson, Alan Charlesworth, Harley Bond, Pauline Sheppard, Jackie Whelan, Ann Parkinson, Heidi Howson, Audrey Rodgers, Sylvia Hayden, Janette Taylor, Reece Wilson, Liz Moran, Elizabeth Dodson, Eunice Mannion, Sue & Frank Rodgers, Marie Montgomery. *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 in. Thank you. **Catholic Chaplain urgent call:** NGH: 0114 2434343, Hallamshire Hospital: 0114 2711900. Ask for the Catholic priest on duty (day or night).*

THE SACRED LITURGY	
Sunday 16 August <i>The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	8.45am For the people 10.00am Steven Marklew
Monday 17 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	9.00am George Rushby
Tuesday 18 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	<u>9.00am</u> Intentions of Madelaine Jones
Wednesday 19 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	November Memorial Dead List
Thursday 20 August <i>St Bernard</i>	9.00am Frank & Margaret Brennan
Friday 21 August <i>St Pius X</i>	8.50–9.50am Exposition 10.00am In Thanksgiving for a Safe Delivery
Saturday 22 August <i>Our Lady, Queen & Mother</i> <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i>	4.00 – 4.30pm Confessions 5.00pm Margaret Breslin

Please pray for Noreen Pearson & Emma Wesson *RIP*, for all who have died recently & for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Last week's collection was £736.95 (£390.90 in offertory envelopes and £346.05 in loose). Thank you.

Join **March for Life UK** in London on Saturday, 5 September, for the annual march, the Pro-Life Family Summit and Youth Summit.. Find out more at marchforlife.co.uk To book a place on the coach, please email 40dforsheffield@gmail.com

A Celebration Mass for Married Life: Saturday, 19 September, at St Marie's at 12:30pm for couples and their families celebrating their 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th and 70th wedding anniversary jubilees this calendar year. Newly married couples are also most welcome. If you would like to take part in this celebration, please telephone 0114 256 6410 or email: formation-mission@hallam-diocese.com

THE SACRED LITURGY	
Sunday 23 August <i>Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8.45am For the people 10.00am Rose Stevenson
Monday 24 August <i>St Barthlomew</i>	9.00am V M Cyriac
Tuesday 25 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	10.00am Rita Todd
Wednesday 26 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	November Memorial Dead List
Thursday 27 August <i>St Monica</i>	9.00am Intentions of Pauline de Rouffignac
Friday 28 August <i>St Augustine</i>	8.50–9.50am Exposition 10.00am For a Fruitful & Holy Marriage
Saturday 29 August <i>The Beheading of St John the Baptist</i> <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i>	4.00 – 4.30pm Confessions 5.00pm Mary & Pat Landers

Oppose Assisted Suicide: The Terminally Ill Adults (*End of Life*) Bill will have its Second Reading and vote on Friday, 11 September. Archbishop Richard Moth, President of the Bishops' Conference, explains our strong opposition to this legislation: *"This bill is wrong in principle. It is also deeply flawed and, if passed, could lead to vulnerable people feeling pressured into ending their lives. The Bill has a serious lack of protection for health and social care staff and risks putting many wonderful hospices and care homes in the position of no longer being able to operate. I urge you to write to your Members of Parliament to petition them to vote against the Bill at Second Reading."* You can support the Archbishop's call and contact your MP now as a matter of urgency. Even if you have already done so in the past, please speak up and voice your opposition. The charity Right to Life UK has a simple online mechanism to do this. It takes little more than a few minutes to enter your postcode.

THE SACRED LITURGY	
Sunday 30 August <i>Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8.45am For the people 10.00am Intentions of the Marklew Family
Monday 31 August <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	9.00am Sheila & Ernest Hebblethwaite
Tuesday 1 September <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	10.00am Betty Morris
Wednesday 2 September <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	November Memorial Dead List
Thursday 3 September <i>St Gregory the Great</i>	9.00am Intentions of Eileen McManus
Friday 4 September <i>Ordinary Time feria</i>	8.50–9.50am Exposition 10.00am Andy Mitchell
Saturday 5 September <i>Ordinary Time feria</i> <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i>	9.30–10.30am Exposition & Benediction 4.00 – 4.30pm Confessions 5.00pm Intentions of The Hegarty Family
Sunday 6 September <i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8.45am Roy Dyson 10.00am For the people

St Peter-in-Chains, Doncaster is hosting a Day of Prayer on the 24 October, promoting the Shrine of Our Lady of Doncaster. The day begins with Adoration and Benediction at 10.00am, with Confessions will be available and is followed by the celebration of Holy Mass. Reflections will be given during the afternoon and the day ends with the rosary led by the Irish singer Dana, departures by 3.00pm. For further information please contact hailfulofgrace2026@gmail.com