

SACRED HEART CHURCH, HILLSBOROUGH

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Sunday 25th June 2017 – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time (year A)

Today at 10.30am Mass we will be “sending forth” 16 candidates for the sacrament of Confirmation conferred by Bishop Ralph next Saturday 1st July at 6.30pm Vigil Mass.

Baptism today at 1pm: Alice Petit-Jean. Congratulations to her family.

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 24th June, Vigil, 12th Sunday in Ord.Time	6.30pm	For the People of the Parish	
Sunday 25th June, 12th Sunday in Ord.Time	10.30am	Margarita and Dale Aguilar's thanksgiving	
	1.45pm	African Mass	
Monday	<i>in the Shalom Room in school</i>	9.00am	Special Intention (JSR)
Tuesday	<i>in the presbytery</i>	9.00am	
Wednesday	in the church	7.30pm	Vigil Mass, Solemnity: Saints Peter and Paul
Thursday	in the church with school	9.15am	Solemnity: Saints Peter and Paul
Friday	<i>in the presbytery</i>	11.30am	
Saturday	<i>in the church</i>	9.00am	Funeral Mass: Eileen Beres
Saturday 1st July, Vigil, 13th Sunday Ordinary Time	6.30pm	The Sacrament of Confirmation	
Sunday 2nd July, 13th Sunday Ordinary Time	10.30am	For the People of the Parish	

Mass at Kirk Edge Monastery each day at 8am. Rosary and Novena on Wednesdays at 7pm.

On Saturday, 8.45am morning prayer, 9am Mass, confessions and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10am to 11am.

EILEEN BERES died on 19th June. Her Funeral Mass will be here on Saturday 1st July at 9am, followed by cremation at Grenoside. May she rest in peace. We offer her family our deepest sympathy.

We pray for Joan Ashford who has also died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Ellen Haywood, Ellen Cummings, Alan Steel, Mary Maloney, Eileen Bradshaw, Walter Garwood, David McGovern, Una Kilbane, Denis Fleming and Maria Kutty Chacko. May they rest in peace.

Please pray for Elena and all those who are unwell at home or in hospital.

Many thanks for last week's collection of £ 473.79, plus your regular standing orders of £ 419.00 per week.

Also for last week's donations to the Food Pantry of £ 85.00 to help meet local people's needs - and all other donations.

The “Day for Life” collection in aid of agencies supported by the Church raised £ 146.06. Many thanks.

Mass information for 1st & 2nd July, 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Announcers:	John McConnon (Saturday). Jayne Kirwan (Sunday)
Readers:	Malcolm Fleet, Peter Roche, David Barrett (Saturday). Brian Marsden, Peter Metcalfe, Claire Farrington (Sunday)
Sunday Readers:	The new rota is on the notice board and there are copies in the sacristy. Thank you.
Eucharistic Ministers:	Jayne Kirwan*, Walter Mswaka, <u>Tina Varley</u> (Saturday) <u>Angela Day</u> , Gerard Strain*, Lisa Unwin, Jane Higgins, David Wilkinson (Sunday)
Youth Friendship:	Years 6,7 & 8. Next one 30th July. 6.30-8pm, presbytery. Fran Shiel
Children's Liturgy:	Debbie, Eileen and Petra.
Journey in Faith:	Sundays, 7pm in the Presbytery. Fr Shaun 2343580
Church Cleaning:	<u>Saturday 1st July, 11am:</u> June Corrigan, Ann & Malcolm Fleet, Stella House. <u>Thurs 13th July, 9.30am:</u> Pip Crane, Pat Deakin, Monique Fournier, Anita Gibson, Janina Klapas, Winefride Piasecki
St Vincent de Paul:	Mondays at 7.30pm in the presbytery. Chris Ashton
Toddler & Baby Group:	Tuesdays at 10am in the presbytery - term time only - Debbie James
Choir Rehearsals:	Next rehearsal Tuesday 4th July 7.30pm: Barbara Hartley
Art Class:	Wednesdays 10am in the presbytery: Barbara Beatson
Sewing Group:	2 nd Sunday, 1pm to 3.30pm. In the Presbytery. Please note: next one: 16th July. Sylvia Grayson

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Patron of the Diocese of Hallam. Tuesday 27th June. Bishop Ralph invites everyone to the Patronal Mass at St Marie's Cathedral on the Solemnity of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 12.45pm. There are

copies of a Novena Prayer to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at the back of church. Please take one and offer this prayer for the needs of the Diocese.

**** Grateful thanks to all supporters of the Family Fun Day, Hillsborough Park ****

Bishop Ralph thanks us for our parish consultation report on the way forward for Sheffield parishes. He is encouraged by our recognition of the need for change, our embrace of the process, and our recognition of the skills that are going to be needed. He has a meeting with the Sheffield clergy next Tuesday 27th June. A North Sheffield Clergy meeting with the Vicar General is on the 11th July.

Pastoral Renewal Exchange, published monthly at St Joseph's Dinnington, is a resource for any parish and contains lots of information and thoughtful reflection on current topics. We have been asked to supply content for the November issue. Can you recommend articles that have inspired you (books, magazines, articles, internet etc) and email them before 31st July to sacredheart479@btinternet.com? An article that fits on to one or two sides of A4 paper would be ideal. Thank you.

Shirley House Interfaith Centre: Forthcoming Events: "What is Zen Buddhism"? **Wednesday 28th June at 7.30 pm** & Interfaith Barbecue lunch with separate grills for vegetarian, Kosher, Halal, beef and pork. **Sunday 2nd July, 12.00 noon to 3.00 pm.** St Andrews, Psalter Lane S11 8YL. There are posters at the back of church.

Healing Rooms Hillsborough: a drop-in event on Saturday 1st July, 1:00 to 3:30pm to raise the profile and offer the opportunity for people to come along and find out more. Drop-in any time at Hillsborough Arena S6 4HA, to learn more about Healing Rooms, hear testimonies of healing, chat to members of our team over a coffee, receive prayer if you wish to. There's a poster at the back of church.

El Shaddai South Yorkshire Prayer Group: Everyone is invited to the Prayer Group, held every **1st Saturday in the month, 1pm to 4pm** in Sacred Heart hall (**next one Saturday 1st July**). More details: Ray Veneracion.

Hallam Ascent meet on Wednesday 5th July at 1.45 at St Francis of Assisi, Sandygate Road, Sheffield, S10 5SD, when Fr Colum Kelly will update us on the Apostleship Of The Sea. Please bring clothing, toiletries, sweets (not chocolate) for the seafarers. They can be brought or left in the Narthex at St Francis, by 2 July.

St Justin Third World Society: We are delighted to announce that Lawrence Whyte has kindly agreed to present an illustrated talk on "**Walking The Camino**" on **Friday 7th July at 7.15 pm** at St Vincent's Church Hall, Pickmere Road, Crookes, Sheffield, S10 1GY. The talk will be followed by light Spanish refreshments provided by a local restaurant. All profits go to helping Third World projects. Tickets are £10. Please contact 07711326212 or 01142305 254. There is a poster at the back of church.

Catholic National Shrine of Our Lady, Walsingham NR22 6AL. There will be a **Grandparents Pilgrimage** at Walsingham Shrine on **Sunday July 23rd**. Please see the poster at the back of church for more details.

Padley Chapel Event – Sunday 9th July: The annual Inter-Diocesan Padley Pilgrimage will take place in honour of the Martyrs Bl Nicholas Garlick and Bl Robert Ludlam. Assemble Grindleford Station at 3pm for the Rosary Procession to the Chapel. The Chapel will be open from 12 noon. WC & ample parking. Please see the poster at the back of church for more details.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham, Saturday 15th July: Coach leaves Pond Hill at 8a.m., returns 9p.m. approx. Cost £17 adults, £11 students & children. Contact Francesca Flynn 0114 2686247 francesca@fmflynn.plus.com

"Rooted" - Catholic Youth Event, Saturday 22nd July, 7pm to 9pm – St William of York, Ecclesall Road, S11 8LT. Music, prayer, praise, pizza ! Please contact Rebecca Le Count for more details. There is a poster at the back of church.

Cursillo Weekend: to explore our faith in a Christian environment with others in a relaxed friendly atmosphere, why not consider attending a three nights away Cursillo Weekend, taking place at the Briars, Catholic Youth Retreat Centre, Matlock DE4 5BW on Friday evening 20th October to Monday 23rd October 2017. Contact Eileen Owens 07938 578942. email austincorcoran@blueyonder.co.uk

One of Hallam Caring Services projects is a counselling service for women. This takes place at Mother of God Parish Centre, Abbeydale Road. We are able to offer this free of charge. Contact Bernie Ware 0114 2566 408/07980406198 bware@hallam-diocese.com to arrange an appointment.

Found in used stamp box in church porch: photo of a toddler girl & 2 medals of Our Lady. Please see Barbara Beatson if you are missing these items.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Fiona O'Farrell and Andrew Hartley. For non-urgent matters, please contact Fiona in church after Mass on Sunday. For urgent matters go to the Hallam Safeguarding Team on 0114 2566453 or the police.

Bereavement Support: If you would like support at either Sacred Heart or St Marie's, please call the presbytery on 2343580 and your request will be passed to Sr Marie or Janina Klapas.

Hospital Chaplaincy: for the Hallamshire and Northern General, please ring 2714999.

Job Vacancies are on the screen notice board at the back of church and also on the Diocesan website.

You are welcome to join us for refreshments in the hall after Mass.

Please give us your contact details, by phone or email, if you are new or new-ish to the parish

Use this as a tear off slip and put it in the collection basket for it to be passed on to Fr Shaun

Your name and phone number

Your address and email

Further Announcements

Carmel Care: How would you like to be a 'musical volunteer'? Carmel Care Centre is looking for people with musical or singing talent, to join us on Wednesday mornings between 10.30-12.30 to make music! If you have more time you can even stay and have lunch. We especially need someone to play the piano. You would also be very welcome if you have 'green fingers' to help weeding, planting and watering the garden at Carmel on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Contact 0114 2335727172 Dykes Hall Road S6 4GS

Gift Aid: the tax the parish can reclaim from HMRC is an important source of income and we would like to encourage any taxpayers who do not currently make their offering under Gift Aid to consider doing so. It is the best way of increasing your offering without it costing you more, since currently, the government will increase each £1 of your personal offering by a further 25p. For the parish to reclaim the tax on your offering, you, the taxpayer, need to make a Gift Aid declaration and we, the parish, need to have a record of the date and amount of your offerings. Offerings can be by standing order, cheque or cash in a numbered offertory envelope. Your Gift Aid Declaration will cover all donations recorded by the parish, including for the Food Pantry. You will find Gift Aid declaration forms at the back of church near the hymn books. When you have completed the form, please hand it either to our the presbytery or drop it through the letterbox. Please be assured that the administration of Gift Aid is completely confidential. If you have any questions about about Gift Aid, please call Janina Klapas on 2312300. If you are considering making a gift to the Church in your will, information can be obtained by contacting the presbytery. Thank you for your continuing support. It is very much appreciated. **Offertory envelopes are at the back of church.** If you want to start using envelopes please let us know.

Parish Emergency Food Pantry: The people who rely on the food pantry are very grateful for your support. The number of requests for help made at the door is currently running at about 40 per week. If you wish to contribute to the food pantry, there are three ways to do this: 1. Purchase food and bring it to the presbytery. Canned and packaged goods are best and items requiring little or no preparation are most popular. 2. Make regular donations by standing order with a reference of "food pantry". The parish bank account details are: **HSBC, sort code 404107, account number 21094319.** 3. Donate by cash / cheque in an envelope marked "food pantry" and put it in the offertory basket. **Please note:** all cheques should be made payable to "**Diocese of Hallam – Sacred Heart**". There are some marked envelopes at the back of church for this purpose. Many thanks for all your help, including new standing orders received. It really is much appreciated by local people in need.
