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PARISH BULLETIN OF SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH, HILLSBOROUGH

Mass Information w/c 8th June 2025 **Pentecost**

Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday 7th June - Vigil Mass: 6.30pm (Rosary at 6pm)
The Souls in Purgatory - especially those for whom there is no one to pray for them
and Frederick Byrne
Sunday 8th June - 11am First Holy Communion Mass: Chris Grant (1st Anniversary)
Monday 9th June - No Mass - Mary, Mother of the Church
Tuesday 10th June - No Mass
Wednesday 11th June - 11:00am Funeral Mass: Patricia Ward
St Barnabas
Thursday 12th June - No Mass - Our Lord Jesus Christ the Eternal High Priest
Friday 13th June - 10am Mass: Maria Farrington & Kitty Kent
St Anthony of Padua
Saturday 14th June - No AM Mass - Blessed Virgin Mary

Children's Liturgy

Children's liturgy will take place during Sunday Mass. Whether you're new to children's liturgy or have been many times before, please check our webpage for details.

Interested in getting involved? Speak with Fr Michael after Mass. For more information and to sign-up to the family mailing list, visit: **[children's liturgy webpage](#)**

Confessions:

Please make an appointment with Fr Michael by phone or email.

Baptism:

Parents and guardians are now invited to book the baptism of the child/children. The available time slots are: **Saturdays 12 noon & Sundays 1 pm**

Prayer Intentions w/c 8th June 2025

For the Sick:

We pray for all those who are sick, that God may grant them health and strength. We remember:

*Wesley, Sonia Holland, Robert Ainsworth, Ann Saunders, Leah, Emma, Paige,
Loretta Carr, Catherine Bartlett & Babs Parker*

May God bring them healing mercies.

For the Dead:

**Please pray for Patricia Ward, all who have died recently, and all those whose
anniversaries occur at this time:**

*Monica Quirin, Helen Todd, Chris Grant, Patsy McGivern, Margaret Bowler, Tony Armitage, Maria
Milagros Farrington OCD & Mrs Burt*

May they rest in peace.

Funeral

Patricia Ward died recently in the parish. We send our condolences to all her family and friends.

*Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.
Amen.*

Her funeral will be held on **Wednesday 11th June at 11:00am.**

Collections

31st May & 1st June

Baskets:

Offertory - £635.15

Tap to Donate:

Offertory - £15.00

Sick & Retired Clergy Fund

£400.00

The total retiring collection for the World Communications Day raised £107.01

The average monthly value of standing orders 1 Jan - 30 Apr 2025 was £2,168

"A branch of the Diocese of Hallam - A Registered Charity"

If you would prefer to donate by standing order, the Parish bank details are:

Diocese of Hallam Sacred Heart Sheffield
Sort Code: 40-41-07
Account Number: 21094319

Donations and Gift Aid

**If you are a taxpayer, you can increase your donations to Sacred Heart by 25%, simply
by completing a Gift Aid Declaration (GAD). You only need to do this once**

**In whatever way you support and donate, thank you very much for
your generosity.**



Congratulations to the First Cohort of First Holy Communion!

On Sunday, June 8, 2025, we gather to celebrate and express our gratitude for all the catechumens who are receiving their first Holy Communion.

May God bless you and strengthen your faith as you embark on this meaningful journey through this sacrament.

Key Rings and Booklet for Sale

There are some keyrings with images of the Sacred Heart Chapel mosaics which are for sale at the back of church. Donations of £1 gratefully received. Also, some booklets entitled 'A Pilgrim's Tale' which is one man's experience of visiting Lourdes. Again, donations gratefully received to raise some funds towards the Sick and Retired Clergy levy. Please either leave cash in the basket or donate online using the 'Sick and Retired Clergy' button. Thank you!



St. Wilfrids's Centre TOUR DE HALLAM 2-6 June 2025

The **Tour de Hallam started on Monday**. If you haven't had a chance yet to sponsor/donate or want to know more about the routes, please see www.stwilfridscentre.org. Any amount will be much appreciated and will make a difference to the support we can give our 100 clients (as well as give Ruth the incentive to get up all the steep hills!). While Ruth is cycling, back at the Centre clients and staff will be matching the miles and following the routes on an exercise bike.

There is a poster and sponsor sheet on the church noticeboard at the back of church, or you can scan the QR code on the poster.

Please show your support by sponsoring Ruth and the clients/staff and/or giving a donation.

Please have a look at all the pictures and blog on [TOUR DE HALLAM 2025 — St Wilfrid's Centre Sheffield](#)

For more information on St Wilfrid's Centre, please visit their website www.stwilfridscentre.org

Thank you, as always, for all your support. **From Everyone at St Wilfrid's Centre**



A Celebration for Mike, Mary and Janina!

Three of our long standing parishioners, Mike and Mary Nadin and Janina Klapas, have devoted countless years of service and dedication to ensure that Sacred Heart Parish has always been a successful faith community. Whilst Mary retired from active duties a couple of years ago, both Mike and Janina finished their committee work last year (though Mike still sits on the F+P Committee). To mark their retirement, there will be a celebration of tea and cake, after a Sunday Mass in June (date to be fully confirmed!) So, please look out for that and make sure that you come along so that we can show our appreciation and gratitude for all that they have done over the years. May God continue to bless them all!



Sacred Heart Feast Day Pilgrimage 2025 Parish Pilgrimage through Rivelin to St Michael's Chapel Saturday, 28th June 2025

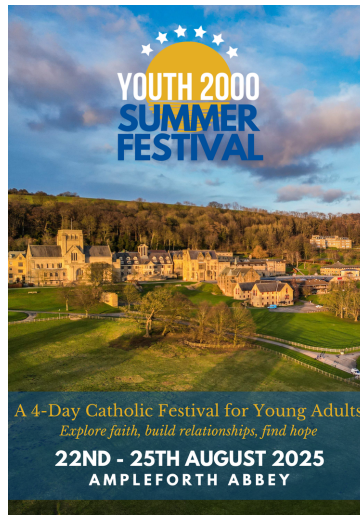
Following on from the successful pilgrimage to Kirk Edge last year, we will be venturing forth again on Saturday, 28th June. As Kirk Edge is now sold, we are planning to do a walk through Rivelin Valley with Mass at St Michael's Cemetery Chapel, followed by a picnic lunch.

Please join us for this event to celebrate the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Outlined below is the Timetable and you can opt in or out as you wish. We will be starting out from Church at 9.30 a.m

- Meet at Church 9.30 a.m
- Walk down through Rivelin Valley
- Arrive at St Michael's Chapel in the Cemetery at approximately 11.30 a.m.
- Mass at 11.45 a.m.
- Picnic lunch (weather permitting in Rivelin Park) approximately 12.45 p.m.

THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET AT THE BACK OF CHURCH. PLEASE ADD YOUR NAME IF YOU ARE INTENDING TO JOIN IN TO GIVE US SOME IDEA OF NUMBERS. Thanks a lot!



Youth 2000 Summer Festival

Friday 22nd - Monday 25th August 2025

Taking place in this great Year of Jubilee, the Summer Festival will be a chance for young adults to encounter Jesus as our hope, the One who brings light to even the darkest places; illuminating every aspect of our lives.

Come and join us as we explore faith, build relationships and find hope - all in the beautiful surroundings of Ampleforth Abbey! Information and tickets are now available.

Further Notices

No to Abortion Up to Birth - action needed!

Labour MP, Tonia Antoniazzi, has tabled a new extreme abortion up to birth amendment ahead of Report Stage of the Crime and Policing Bill. This change would likely lead to a tragic rise in the number of babies' lives being ended through late-term abortions carried out at home. Please help us stop this! Please take action now and visit www.righttolife.org.uk/uptobirth to email your MP - it takes just 30 seconds!

Pro-Life Mass and Event

Abortion: Impact and Tragedy. Let's talk about it!. Please join us for the Pro-Life Mass at 10am and the 'Abortion: Impact and Tragedy. Let's talk about it!' on Saturday 7th June at the Mother of God Church, Abbeydale Road. Celebrant will be Bishop Ralph Heskett. We will be addressed by distinguished pro life speakers, Isabel Vaughan Spruce, (Director of the March for Life UK), Rachel McKenzie, with her personal testimony and involvement in Rachel's Vineyard, and John Edwards from St Colette's Pregnancy Centre. Light lunch and refreshments provided.

CAFOD

We are joining with Missio, Aid to the Church in Need and Stella Maris in this Jubilee Year to pray the "**Rosary of Hope**" online on **Tuesday 10 June at 7pm**. You can [register here to get the Zoom link](#). All are welcome as we pray the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary together.

Pope Leo XIV said, "Our blessed mother Mary always wants to walk with us, be close to us, she always wants to help us with her intercession and her love." He invited us to pray together, "for all of the Church, and for peace in the world."

Pilgrimage to Roche Abbey - Saturday 14 June 2025 – 4.00 pm

This Mass is open to all parishes within the diocese. Parking is very limited at the Abbey, but it is hoped that there will be a shuttle bus from the top road down into the Abbey. If you intend to be there on the day, would you kindly email stmmaltby@gmail.com to confirm your attendance.

Franciscan Online Summer School

This two-week online summer school in Franciscan Studies is an exciting opportunity to encounter the riches of Franciscan theology, history and spirituality and explore their relevance for today. 9th –

20th June. For more information and to register, visit www.ccsfranciscanstudies.co.uk

WeBelieve Festival of Catholic Life

Celebrate the Jubilee at WeBelieve, a festival of Catholic Life gathering the Church to share the hope that we have in Christ. From 25-28 July, there will be four days of music, keynotes, conversation & worship at St Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham. Featuring Dr Gianna Emanuela Molla (daughter of St Gianna Molla), Fr Paul Murray, Msgr Michael Nazir-Ali, AnMari, Fr Toby Lees & many more. Tickets available now at <https://www.webelievefestival.com>

Diocesan Walsingham Pilgrimage Saturday 26th July 2025. Led by Bishop Ralph Heskett. Coach: 7.35 am from The Bridge Inn on Corporation Street Rotherham, 8 am Penny Black Pond Hill. Adults £26, Under 16s £15 - Contact J. Durham, 07939 152558 joseph.durham52@gmail.com

Safeguarding: For matters relating to the safeguarding of vulnerable persons in our parish, or for information relating to DBS recruitment procedures, please email safeguarding.sdhth@hallam-diocese.com or text / phone 0780 117 7483. Our Safeguarding Representative is Dominic Maloney. In emergency situations where vulnerable persons are at imminent risk of harm, please phone 999.

SVP

If you are sick, elderly, lonely and you would like to be visited by a member of the SVP, please contact Fr Michael via the Presbytery Number: 0114 2343580 or text SVP on 07342362226.

Teas & Coffees after Mass

Each Sunday after the 11 am Mass there is an opportunity to get together with other parishioners over a cup of coffee or tea. This is an important way of building and strengthening the parish community, so please join us, whether you are a regular member of the congregation or a visitor. Refreshments are served in the Parish Hall, and we look forward to getting to know you better - all welcome! **A few more helpers would be very much appreciated.**



The Prayer Group will be meeting for prayer & reflection Occurs every Thursday

The proposed schedule for the coming year is:

- Week 1: Lectio
- Week 2: Evening Prayer
- Week 3: Rosary
- Week 4: The Letter to the Romans (Bible Society) -

Please join us for the parish prayer meeting on: Thursday 5th June & next week for
The Letter to the Romans on Thursday the 12th of June.
Online 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM (GMT)

MS Teams Link: [Parish Prayer Meeting](#) | [Microsoft Teams](#) | [Meet-up-Join](#)

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Pray the Holy Rosary

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

This Novena begins on 18th June 2025 in the run up to the Feast Day:
<https://www.padrepio.org/pray/efficacious-novena/>

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