THE PARISHES OF

HOLY ROOD, BARNSLEY

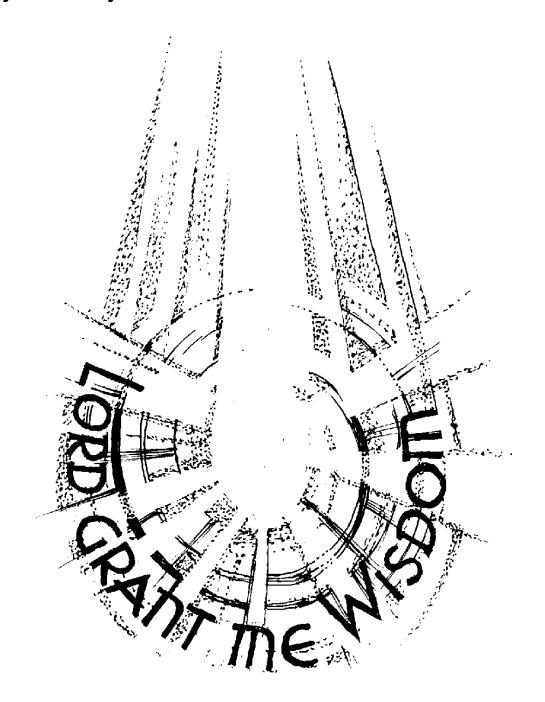
OUR LADY & ST JAMES, WORSBROUGH

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13 October 2024



Welcome to Mass either at Holy Rood or Our Lady and St James! Welcome especially if you are a visitor or are worshipping with us for the first time. Please introduce yourself to Fr Damian or Deacon Paul and other members of our parish community. Please take this newsletter away with you after Mass and accept our warm invitation to join in any of the activities listed on it.

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ycle of Prayer - Ordinary Time: Autumn

During this time of year we are asked to pray for the following intentions: The Spread of the Gospel; Students and Teachers; The Harvest, The Fruits of Human Work, The Reverent Use of Creation; Prisoners and Their Families; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War & Young People.

lease pray for our sick and housebound parishioners, family and friends. Also pray for those who have died especially Elizabeth Ainsworth, Margaret Dunstone, Thomas Shaw, Marie Blackburn, Mary Todd & Paul Howley. *May they* rest in peace! Amen.

Mass Attendance last Sunday: Holy Rood - 313

Our Lady's - 46

Sunday Offering: Holy Rood - £838.80

Our Lady's - £221.95

Monthly Standing Orders (Sept): Holy Rood - £2493.00

Our Lady's - £720.00

Your continued generosity to our parishes is greatly appreciated!

Confessions

r Damian will be available to anyone wishing to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation after weekday Mass, on Saturday mornings, 11-11.30am at Holy Rood and 5.15-5.45pm on Saturday evenings at Our Lady's. During these times the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed. Please use this opportunity to pray for vocations to the Diaconate, Priesthood and Religious Life.

Mass Changes

lease note Mass on Wednesday this week, 16th October, will be at the earlier time of 9.30am. In the coming weeks there will also be some disruption to the usual Mass times to accommodate funerals. So please do keep an eye on the parish bulletin and website.

Christmas Piety

tems of Christmas Piety will be available from the back of both churches from this weekend onwards. Please do have a look at what is on offer.

Holy Rood Volunteer Appeal!

ast call this weekend for parishioners at Holy Rood wishing to volunteer. Please do sign up if you would like to volunteer your services for any of the little jobs on offer. Any help is most appreciated in our parishes and goes a long way to fostering and building up community. Thank you once again to all our volunteers!

Journey in Faith

The next Journey in Faith programme will begin on Wednesday 16th October, 6.30-7.30pm in Holy Rood Presbytery. There will be 21 weekly sessions using materials provided by the Diocese of Salford. The programme is intended for adults wishing to explore the option of joining the Catholic Church, but is also open to existing members who want to reach a deeper understanding of their faith. Please contact Deacon Paul for further information a t paul.green05@btinternet.com

Second Collection

here will be a second collection at all Masses next weekend to support World Mission Sunday. This is when the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for Missio, his charity for world mission.

Coffee Morning

↑ hile work continues at pace to V deep clean the church hall and kitchen, there will be a fundraising coffee morning for Macmillan after Mass on Sunday, 27th October. There will also be a tombola for which prizes are required. If you can donate any prizes please see Sharon Clarke.

New Lectionary

here will be two training sessions organised by the Diocese to help readers prepare for the new Lectionary: Monday, 21st October, 7:00 -8:30pm at the Pastoral Centre and Saturday, 16th November, 10:00-11:30am at Blessed Trinity, Wickersley. To book a place visit https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/ hallam-formation-andmission-46212155433.

Last Call for a New Missal!

A II current missals will become obsolete when the new Lectionary is introduced on 1st December. If you would like to purchase a People's Sunday/Daily Missal for personal use, please see either Veronica Andrews at Holv Rood or Sue K-D at Our Lady's to place an order. Orders for our parishes will be placed with the C.T.S. in the near future!

November - Month of the Holy Souls

Novena of nine Masses will be said across our two parishes for the Holy Souls, commencing on All Soul's Day, Saturday 2nd November. Mass on that day will be celebrated at 10.30am in Holy Rood. If you would like to contribute towards these Novena Masses please use a 'Month of the Holy Souls' envelope available from the back of church.

Counselling

aritas Counselling Service are offering Family, Couples and Relationship Counselling free of charge. For info contact Bernie Ware (07980406198 or bware@hallamdiocese.com) or Janet Kent (07927657462 or jkent@hallamdiocese.com).

You can Help Your Marriage

re you frustrated or angry with your A spouse? Do you argue... or have stopped talking all together? Retrouvaille helps married couples through difficult times. Register now for the next programme starting 8th-10th November, Call 07887296983 or retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com



MASS & SERVICE TIMES

Sat 10.30am 11-11.30am 5.15-5.45pm 6pm	The Blessed Virgin Mary, mem Holy Rood (John Exley) Holy Rood - Exposition & Sacrament of Reconciliation OL & SJ - Exposition & Sacrament of Reconciliation OL & SJ, Vigil of Sunday 28 (Rose & John Altree)	12 Oct
Sun 9.30am 11am 4pm	SUNDAY 28 IN ORDINARY TIME, sol Holy Rood (Teresa & Brendan Keating) Holy Rood (The Parish) Holy Rood - Syro Malabar Mass	13 Oct
Mon 10am	feria OL & SJ (Billy Fairham)	14 Oct
Tues	St Teresa of Jesus, mem	15 Oct
Wed 9.30am	feria Holy Rood (James & Mary Brannan)	16 Oct
Thur 10am	St Ignatius of Antioch, mem OL & SJ (Annie & Henry Frost)	17 Oct
Fri 10am	ST LUKE, <i>feast</i> Holy Rood (Anthony Wood)	18 Oct
Sat 10.30am 11-11.30am 5.15-5.45pm 6pm	The Blessed Virgin Mary, mem Holy Rood (Bill Garvey) Holy Rood - Exposition & Sacrament of Reconciliation OL & SJ - Exposition & Sacrament of Reconciliation OL & SJ, Vigil of Sunday 29 (Kathleen Kitching)	19 Oct
Sun 9.30am 11am 3pm	SUNDAY 29 IN ORDINARY TIME, sol Holy Rood (John & Pauline McConnon Int) Holy Rood (The Parish) Holy Rood - Polish Mass	20 Oct