

### From Sunday's Gospel

Jesus said to his disciples, "Love your enemies and pray for those who are unkind to you and say bad things about you. If someone takes your coat do not withhold your shirt from them. Give to everyone who asks and don't ask people to return what they have taken from you. Treat others as you would like them to treat you. If you only love those who love you why should you be rewarded?...Instead love your enemies and do good, and lend without expecting to get anything back in return. Then your reward will be great, and you will be children of God. For God is kind even to the ungrateful and the cruel."



The Sunday Gospel through School on Wednesday

Pope Francis writes:

**"Dear young people, let us learn to live with kindness, to love everyone, even when they do not love us."** Today's word

is **Kindness**. In this Sunday's Gospel Jesus teaches us how we should treat others. He calls us to do something exceptional, namely to love all people and to be kind to them, regardless of how they treat us. Jesus' whole life is a lesson in kindness. Kindness is a part of everyday life and we learn to be kind by receiving kindness ourselves. How will we be kind this week?

#### Ministers

#### February 24th

##### Liturgy of the Word

6.00pm K.Stokes  
8.30am J.McMahon  
10.00am S.Rudd

##### Liturgy of the Eucharist

S.Dyson/T.Spalding  
S.Crewdson/M.Booth  
C.Ward/K.McKune

#### March 3rd

6.00pm P.Redshaw  
8.30am C.Ivatts  
10.00am J.Sheard

C.Hall/S.Dyson  
S.Crewdson/M.Booth  
M.Framer/M.Kehoe

***New Rotas at the back of the church. New Readers and changes to Ministers.***

#### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

**First: £411.86 Second: £204.48 Shop: £170.37 Thank You**  
**Pennine Vale FM £25.00 Thank You**

**Cheques please to DIOCESE OF LEEDS— SACRED HEART**



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## ***7th Week in Ordinary Time*** ***February 24th 2019 (Luke's Gospel)***

### **Times of Masses & Intentions**

|                |         |               |
|----------------|---------|---------------|
| Saturday Vigil | 6.00am  | James McKune  |
| Sunday         | 8.30am  | Jack Cockayne |
|                | 10.00am | Ann McCarthy  |

### **Refreshments after Mass**

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|----------------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| Monday         | 9.30am           | People of the Parish             |
| Tuesday        | 9.30am           | Terence McMahon                  |
| Wednesday      | 12.00noon        | Cath Molloy                      |
| Thursday       | 9.30am           | Michael Howarth                  |
| Friday         | <b>12.00noon</b> | Theresa Hart <b>First Friday</b> |
| Saturday       | 10.00am          | Yorkshire Brethren               |
| Saturday Vigil | 6.00pm           | Clifford Jones                   |
| Sunday         | 8.30am           | Paul Hartley                     |
|                | 10.00am          | People of the Parish             |

### **Sacrament of Anointing during Mass in the Parish Centre**

**Confessions: After the 10.00am Mass on Saturday and on request**

**Exposition: 40 minutes before Mass each weekday**

**When there is a Service of the Word & Holy Communion there is no exposition**

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#### DIOCESAN RESPONSE TO THE REFUGEE CRISIS – APPEAL AND SECOND COLLECTION



There will be an Appeal and a retiring collection across the weekend of 23rd/24th February to support the Diocesan response to the continuing refugee crisis and severe hardship being suffered by those fleeing war and poverty. Families arrive in the most tragic of circumstances, frightened, alone and traumatised. Please give as generously as you can.” Bishop Marcus

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“Come – Everything is Ready”  
World Day of Prayer 2019

#### World Day of Prayer

**Friday March 1st**

**7.00pm**

**Sacred Heart & St William Church**

**All Welcome**



#### Cornerstone SPECIAL Collection

On the weekend of the 9th/10th March there will be a SPECIAL Collection of foodstuffs for Cornerstone, a charity this parish has supported for several years. We are asked to bring some food to share with those who are hungry and homeless, It is the first Sunday of Lent, a wonderful reminder of our solidarity with the poor.

#### CAFOD QUIZ NIGHT



**FRIDAY MARCH 8th at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.**

Tickets cost £5.00 per person to include potato pie supper.

Teams of up to 6 people.

Soft drinks, tea and coffee available, please bring your own

#### Whit Friday Committee



The parish needs to provide two new members for the Whit Friday Committee which meets three or four times throughout the year to make the arrangements for Whit Friday. This would be especially appropriate for parents with younger children. Anyone prepared to be on the Committee please see Fr Bernard.

#### Week of Accompanied Prayer

Monday February 25th—Friday 1st March.

The next GROUP meeting for the week of Accompanied Prayer will take place this Sunday 24th February at 4.00pm in the Presbytery. Individual meetings begin on Monday 25th through Friday 1st



#### Sacrament of Anointing



Next Sunday, March 3rd, we will celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing during the 10.00am Mass which will take place in the **Parish Centre** rather than the Church. This is a wonderful Sacrament of healing in body, mind and spirit, and everyone is welcome to attend and to be anointed.

#### Mary's Meals—a simple solution to world hunger



*“Our Father, give us this day our daily bread and forgive us for the times when we take more than our share of the bread that belongs to all. Let us help You fil the starving with good things, not with the scrapes from our table. Teach us how to share what is not ours to keep. Clothe us with your love that we may complete each good work You created us to do. Place in our hearts your compassion for each starving child and use our little acts of love so that they starve no more. Amen.”*

(Mary's Meals UK Headquarters: Craig Lodge, Dalmally, Argyll, Scotland PA33 1AR—any donation before March 1st will be doubled by the UK Government. It costs £13.90 to feed a child for a whole school year!)

#### Keys found!



A large set of keys including a car key and house keys were found at the back of the church on the right hand side aisle looking from the back of the church. They are currently in the presbytery.



Those who dare to teach never cease to learn.  
(Anon)