

From 32nd Sunday's Gospel

Jesus sat down opposite the Temple treasury and watched the people putting their donations into the box of offerings. He noticed that many rich people were giving a lot of money. Then a poor woman, who was a widow, came up and put in two small coins that were only worth a penny. When Jesus saw this he said to his disciples, "This poor widow has given more to the collection than all the others. The rich people gave money they could easily spare. This poor widow has very little money indeed, and she needs it all just to get through the week. Even so, she has given everything she had."



Pope Francis writes:

"Children are a wonderful gift from God."

Today's word is **Gift**. WE are all unique and valuable to God. Out of his love for us God

has entrusted us with individual gifts to bring to the world—gifts to be shared. The value of our gift is greatly increased when given with love. Sharing our gifts with love bring us closer to God. Can we help each other to name the gifts God has given us, and how can we encourage each other to use share those gifts with love during the coming week?

Ministers

November 11th

Liturgy of the Word

6.00pm K.Stokes
8.30am J.McMahon
10.00am FFF Family

Liturgy of the Eucharist

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

November 18th

6.00pm K.Stokes
8.30am M.Jefferis
10.00am S.Rudd

S.Dyson/T.Spalding
S.Crewdson/M.Booth
M.Farmer/M.Kehoe

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

First: £375.60 Second: £171.55 Shop £226.12 Thank You

Donation £14.00 Thank You

2nd Donation in memory of Jean Collins: £100.00 Thank You

Cheques please to DIOCESE OF LEEDS— SACRED HEART



Sacred Heart & St William

31 High Street

Uppermill OL3 6HS

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Remembrance Sunday November 11th 2018

Times of Masses & Intentions

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sam Reynolds

Sunday 8.30am Michael Howarth

10.00am Jean Collins

Family Faith Formation Meetings

Monday 9.30am Mary Neale

Tuesday 9.30am Mercy Sisters Liverpool 175th Anniversary

11.00am Mass for the Deceased Clergy of the Deanery

St Patrick's Church, Huddersfield

Wednesday 12.00 noon Frank Holmes

Thursday 9.30am Margaret Holmes (Recovery)

Friday 9.30am November Dead List

Saturday 10.00am Fr Michael McCarthy

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Honorah Kenyon

Sunday 8.30am Ivy & Bill Mort

10.00am People of the Parish

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

Exposition: 40 minutes before Mass each weekday

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Family Faith Formation

The next meeting for the FFF groups will take place after the 10.00am Mass THIS Sunday, November 11th. This coincides with Remembrance Sunday. Emily's Group have been asked to represent the parish at the Memorial Service at Pots and Pans at 11.00am. There will be bacon sandwiches and a hot drink available in the Parish Centre AFTER the 8.30am Mass. It would be wonderful if our younger parishioners who were confirmed last July would also represent the parish at the service. Paul's Group will meet after Mass in the presbytery for their final session before being **confirmed on Sunday 25th November**. The other groups, as well as the parents, will meet as normal.

Weekend with Luke's Gospel NOVEMBER 17th/18th. NEXT WEEKEND



Due to the fact that we cannot book a weekend retreat away this autumn we are going to have a weekend retreat 'at home'.

Fr Michael Winstanley will lead this weekend. Proposed Timetable:

Saturday 17th: 10.00am Mass

10.30am Tea/Coffee

11.00am 12.45pm Session 1 **The God of the Infancy Narratives.**

12.45-1.30pm Lunch (Please bring sandwiches etc, drinks provided.)

1.30-3.15pm Session 2 **Prayer**

3.15pm Closing Prayer

Sunday 18th: 11.00am Tea/Coffee

11.30-1.15pm Session 3 **Mercy**

1.15pm Shared Table

2.00pm Closing Prayer and Departures

The 'Retreat' is open to all parishioners. Anyone who exercises a 'ministry' in the parish should regard this weekend as part of their on-going formation. If you cannot manage all the sessions you will be welcome to attend whatever you can.



Thought for the Week

The great thing in this world is not so much where you stand, as in what direction you are moving. (Oliver Wendell Holmes)

Christmas Fair



This year's Christmas Fair will take place on **Sunday December 2nd** beginning after the 10.00am Mass. It is both a wonderful social occasion and an important fund raising event for the whole parish. There will be the usual stalls, raffles, refreshments etc. As always the success of the Fair depends on people being willing to give items for the various stalls, especially gifts, bottles, cakes, raffle prizes and so forth, and also people being willing to staff the stalls on the day. Please sign the lists at the back of the church if you are able to help. Thank You

LAST CHANCE TO ORDER THE ADVENT CALENDARS

Please sign the list at the back of the church TODAY if you would like to order the very popular Calendar.



CAFOD Harvest Family Fast

Thanks to all those who have returned their CAFOD Harvest Family Fast envelopes with their donations. The final total was a magnificent **£719.60p**. Thank You



Pilgrimage to Medjugorje—8th to 15th June 19

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Missio 2019 Calendars

Julia has been sent copies of the **Free** Missio Calendars which are available at the back of the church.



Pre Christmas Toy Collection

This will take place on the WEEKEND of the 8th / 9th DECEMBER at all the Masses. Please only bring TOYS and not Games. Thank You