



St Theresa's and Our Lady of Lourdes with St Anthony's

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November Devotion: The Holy Souls

Masses and Intentions

Saturday, 5th November, 32nd Sunday in OT, Yr. C

6.00pm, Our Lady of Lourdes – Sabu Mathew RIP

Sunday, 6th November, 32nd Sunday in OT, Yr. C

8.30am, St Anthony's – John Stainrod RIP

9.45am, Our Lady of Lourdes – People of the Parishes

11.00am, St Theresa's – Total healing and good health for Alice Aimua and for a prosperous New Retail Outlet.

Monday, 7th November, 10.00am, Our Lady of Lourdes

Weekday – November Memorial List

Tuesday, 8th November, 10.00am, Our Lady of Lourdes

Weekday – Vera and Fred Dalton RIP

Wednesday, 9th November, 10.00am, Our Lady of Lourdes

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica – The Sick and Housebound of Our Parishes

Thursday, 10th November, 11.00am, St. Theresa's,

St. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor – Continuing good health for Mrs Alice Aimua

Friday, 11th November, 10.00am, Our Lady of Lourdes

St. Martin of Tours, Bishop – Persecuted Christians

Saturday, 12th November, 33rd Sunday in OT, Yr. C

6.00pm, Our Lady of Lourdes – People of the Parishes

Sunday, 13th November, 33rd Sunday in OT, Yr. C

8.30am, St Anthony's – Edward Kryslak RIP

9.45am, Our Lady of Lourdes – Juditta Nagaratnam RIP (1st Anniversary)

11.00am, St Theresa's – Madeleine Knight (75th Birthday Intentions)

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

Our Lady of Lourdes: The Holy Souls in Purgatory

Sponsor: The Parish

St. Anthony's: Thanksgiving for Prayers Answered

Sponsor: Anon

St. Theresa's: The Holy Souls in Purgatory

Sponsor: The Parish

Devotions and Confessions

Rosary

Please pray daily.

Divine Mercy & other devotions

Please pray daily.

Confessions

Available after every weekday and Saturday Vigil Mass or by advanced booking.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

30 minutes before Weekday Mass

Anointing of the sick

In cases of emergency only.

Sunday Readings:

1st 2 Maccabees 7:1-2,9-14, 2nd 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5.
Gospel Luke 20:27-38.

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps. 16:1,5-6,8,15)

I shall be filled when I awake, with the sight of your glory, O Lord.

Please pray for all the elderly, the sick and the housebound of our three churches including those named below

Rita O'Hara, Clare Roberts, Jennie Heenan, Caitlin Rose Goss, Beryl Stafford, Jean Grove, Liliana Poole, Jean White, Shirley Foster, Ellen Taylor, Sean Kilcoyne, Gerry O'Rourke, Avis Hurst, Christine Kelly, Gloria Andrews, Sally Barnes, Chena Drakesmith, Marj Hall, Melvin Hanlon, John Carroll, Joan Hill, Claire Lawson, Patricia Foster, Christopher Browne, Mr. Shannon, Eileen Jeffrey, Margaret Betson, Paul Manning, Philomena Walker, Lesley Osborne, Gail Hook, Josie Logan

Please pray for the repose of the recently deceased souls & those whose anniversaries occur about this time

Please let the Parish Office know if anyone else needs to be added to this list or removed. Thank you.

N.B. In order to comply with GDPR legislation, please ensure that named individuals and/or family members have given their consent for their names to be published in the bulletin which includes publishing on our website. Many thanks.

“OURS IS THE BETTER CHOICE”

Our brother Paul asks this important question, can anything cut us off from the love of Christ? Put in other words, can anything make me lose my faith? And he goes on to ask, “can hardships or distress, or persecution, or lack of food and clothing, or threats or violence?” (Rom 8:35) We, as Christians, are faced always with things that can make us lose our faith and thereby deny us resurrection. Like the Sadducees in the Gospel of today who do not believe in resurrection after death, so it is with many people in the world today who do not believe in life after death. Unfortunately, they not only believe in resurrection, but they try to confuse and convince gullible ones to believe that there is no resurrection. Thus, they say, do whatever you like when you die, you die and nothing more. Little wonder Jesus says that “The children of this world take wives and husbands” that means they are only interested in material things but, those who are judged worthy of a place in the other world and in the resurrection go beyond marriage because “they can no longer die, for they are the same as the angels, and being children of the resurrection they are sons of God” (Lk 20:35). As Christians, we have a strong belief in life after death and that was why this family in the first reading didn’t compromise with their faith even to the point of giving their lives because they believe that “OURS IS THE BETTER CHOICE, to meet death at men’s hands, yet relying on God’s promise that we shall be raised up by him; whereas for you there can be no resurrection, no life” (2 Maccabees 7:14). They were truly convinced in life after and that was why they never gave up their faith. In line with this, Paul gave this encouraging response to his earlier question and he says that “For I am certain of this: neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nothing already in existence and nothing still come, nor any power, nor the heights nor the depths, nor any created thing whatever, will be able to come between us and the love of God” (Rm. 8:38) We pray that “we may be preserved from the interference of bigoted and evil people, for faith is not given to everyone” (2 Thess 3:2) **KEEP TO YOUR FAITH!!! I wish you a blessed Sunday!!!**
FR BEDE

Wayne Chadburn a Maths teacher and a Sheffield United fanatic has challenged students at All Saints Catholic High school to raise £2000 for the HOME FROM HOME charity supporting the Syrian family. He has promised to wear a Sheffield Wednesday shirt for the day if the target is met. Can you help us towards this day when we get to see Wayne as an Owl.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/wayne-chadburn?utm_term=ZXRkQ3GX9&fbclid=IwAR0ac3PLJwqjQSf4sEuYxQaiQKzW88DtW99VctJKrJ6_shz3-z8ZEqrBCuU

St Theresa’s 200 Club Winners – October Draw
£100: No. 57 | £50: No. 189 | £25: No. 124
£15 = No. 25 | £10: No. 69.
Congratulations to all Winners!

Weekend Cash Collections 29th/30th October.

Our Lady of Lourdes.....£TBC
St Anthony’s.....£TBC
St Theresa’s£297.71

Thank You

The Christmas Carol Concert at OLOL is on Friday 9th December at 7.00pm. There will be a collection to raise funds for the Parish. Refreshments will be available afterwards in the Church Hall.
Please do come along and enjoy some festive music.
All Welcome.

St. Wilfred’s Centre

St. Wilfred’s do wonderful work all year round. Please see the poster at the back of Church for their Christmas Evening on Wednesday 23rd November from 5pm to 7pm.

They are also looking for volunteers to help out in the Centre. Please take time to have a look at the poster at the back of Church and see if you could spare a couple of hours a week to support the homeless and vulnerable.

They are once again running their reverse Advent Calendar. The 2022 Reverse Advent Calendar continues to focus on the value of giving something to those in need at Christmas, rather than, as with traditional Advent Calendars the focus on receiving. Last year broke all records with the number of completed calendars and gifts/donations St. Wilfred’s received. With demand and need already increasing this winter and the food parcels and meals they provide being in higher demand, they are asking for your ongoing support and help. The Reverse Advent Calendar enables them to collect specific items that will make a real difference to their clients and those they help. There is a collection box and a copy of the calendar at the back of Church. Please help if you can.

Thank you.

St. Anthony’s Christmas Fayre

Put the date in your diary – St. Anthony’s Christmas Fayre will be held on Saturday 19th November 2022 at 1.30pm. Any donations are most welcome.

Our Lady of Lourdes Christmas Fayre

Our biggest annual fundraiser is back on 26 November 2022. We are looking for donations and volunteers to help on the day as stall holders. Please see the lists at the back of church and put the date in your diary now

Thank you to all those who support the Book Sale at St. Anthony’s. A further £21.60 has been raised.

Foodbank

Thanks to the continued donations for the foodbank, supplies are improving to help the most vulnerable in our society. Please continue to support if you can. The current request is for tinned fruit and packets of noodles in particular, but all donations gratefully received.

Support for St Wilfrid’s Centre

Tinned ham and sugar, also chocolate biscuits, crisps and fresh fruit for light lunches and snacks.
Thank you for your support.

Parish Halls

For bookings at Our Lady of Lourdes please contact Mark on 07852164838 or via email olol.churchhallbookings@gmail.com
For bookings at St Theresa’s Hall please email Elaine: elainehorsfield1@yahoo.co.uk