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THE PARISH OF ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS

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SUNDAY 13th OCTOBER 2024

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Lately Dead: Betty Lockwood, Martin Johnson – **Anniversaries**: Desmond Brady

<u>Prisoners' Sunday 13th October</u>: we will remember prisoners and their families at Mass this weekend. Prisons are in crisis and life for prisoners and their families in our communities is challenging. PACT, the national Catholic prison charity, support prisoners, their families and their children, offering them hope and the chance to turn their lives around. More information here will be a second collection to support PACT's important work.

World Mission Sunday: Next *Sunday 20 October*, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio, his charity for world mission, through a special collection. This day of prayer, solidarity, and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the Good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, use the Missio envelopes, call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit the <u>website donation page</u>. Please Gift Aid your donation if possible.

Parish Safeguarding Representative: Nick Buck is stepping down as our Safeguarding Representative and so we will require a new volunteer to fill this important role. If you would be interested in being appointed as our representative, please contact Fr Keiron. Full training and support will be provided by the Diocesan Safeguarding Team. Details regarding appointment process and role description are available on the <u>Diocesan safeguarding website</u>

The Macmillan coffee morning raised an amazing £1000! This will pay for around 30 hours of the special care that a Macmillan Nurse provides to people with Cancer and their families. Thanks so much to all those people who helped and contributed in any way. The helpers on the day, the bakers, the makers, those who attended, donated and made the event such an enjoyable one. The Just Giving page is still available for donations: https://www.justgiving.com/page/clare-walker-and-friends

Harvest Lunch: Thanks to all those who have contributed! We are particularly grateful to the Uniformed Groups who brought lots of fruit and vegetables and donated £60 for the Friars. The lunch raised another £60 for MacMillan Cancer Nurses. Thank you very much to all of you.

Baby Loss: *October 15th* marks the end of Baby Loss Awareness week. Please pray for the families affected by miscarriage, stillbirth and neonatal death. 1 in 8 known pregnancies in the UK end in miscarriage.

<u>Parish Maintenance Co-ordinator</u>: Peter Smith has resigned from the role which he occupied for over fifty years. We all want to express our appreciation for his long and valiant service. Christopher Jones has kindly accepted to step in.

<u>Spiritually Accompanying People with Dementia</u>: Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Grace-*fully* latest online session, led by Rev. Dr. Joe Cortis, will explore how to spiritually support those living with dementia. <u>Tuesday 22 October</u> 7pm: To attend email growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

Prayer for the Synod of Bishops: (2nd-27th October) The Holy Father has requested the prayers of the whole Church during the Synod. During October, dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary, please consider offering a decade of the Rosary each week to pray for the maternal intercession of the Mother of God, for the Church and for the members of the Synod.

<u>40 Days for Life</u> - prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil outside the MSI abortion facility, Leeds <u>until 3rd November 7:00am-7:00pm</u>. To obtain further information, contact Chris Redding, Tel: 07815 681343, email: 40daysforlife@gmail.com or visit the website: www.40daysforlife.com/leeds.

<u>Autumn Fair at St Aidan's</u>: <u>Saturday 9th November 11am - 3pm</u>. We are fundraising for Bradford Catholic Youth Choir who are going to Lourdes next year to support the music for the Leeds Diocese Pilgrimage. There will be a tombola, a bottle stall, games, a raffle, refreshments and a variety of other stalls.

Asda Cash Pots for Schools: Between now and November 30th, ASDA will donate £1 for each sign up and 0.5% of your total shopping spend to your designated school. Parishioners will need to download (*if they haven't already*), the ASDA rewards app and select their chosen primary school in order to activate their "Cashpots for Schools". Either St Walburga's or St Anthony's can be nominated to receive donations. More information can be found here (ASDA's website)

<u>Catholic Care Vacancy</u>: Registered Manager, £44,4283 – £48,474 (depending on qualification and experience) Pay award pending. This position attracts a 'Golden Hello' of £500 in first salary payment followed by £500 on successful completion of the probation period. Permanent. Full Time. Based at Keighley. <u>Closing Date 20th October</u>. For further details and how to apply please visit http://www.catholic-care.org.uk/recruit/latest-vacancies/

Leeds Cathedral Guided Tours Autumn Programme: Free Guided Tours on the following Saturdays at 2pm: *19 October, 23 November and 14 December*. The tours last about 1 hour and are free to attend. No booking is required. Please gather by the Baptismal Font at the back of the Cathedral.

<u>Diocese of Leeds Music Vacancy</u>: We wish to appoint an all-round, flexible musician with keyboard skills and a vocation for Catholic music education as a Whole-Class Ensemble Director and Instrumental Tutor in our Keyboard Studies Programme. For more information, please request an application pack from recruitment@dioceseofleedsmusic.org.uk or 0113 244 8634. Closing Date: <u>Wednesday 23 October 12 noon.</u>

Sister Act. by **Bradford Catholic Players**: 13th – 16th November at Yeadon Town Hall Theatre, Wed-Fri at 7.30 pm, Saturday 1pm & 5.30. Ticket Prices: Wednesday: Adults £18, Under 18 £5, Thursday to Saturday: Adults £23, Under 18 £10. **Tickets are flying off the shelves**, so don't miss your chance to experience this joyous show. Secure your seats today! To book your tickets: Visit our Ticket Source link here - Email or call our ticket secretaries at bcptickets@live.co.uk or 07305 632 513

Lay Dominicans: are men and women, single and married, who commit themselves to lives of prayer, study, community and sharing the Gospel. If you are interested in exploring this way of life, contact Simon Hewitt at s.hewitt@leeds.ac.uk

Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham: The theme of the coming Year of Jubilee 2025 is 'Pilgrims of Hope'. We are hoping to have a Parish Pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham – from Monday May 19th to Thursday May 22nd. We need a minimum of 20 people. The cost per person will be £450 which will include travel & full board accommodation in ensuite rooms at Elmham House or the Dowry House. The cost includes a non-refundable deposit of £75. We will also learn about Julian of Norwich and visit her shrine on our way home. If you are interested, please contact Joanna ASAP. 01274 594835, joannhighfold@gmail.com.

Refreshments after 9:15 Mass at St Walburga's & after 11:00 Mass at St Aidan's: every Sunday in the parish room and hall. Please come along for a drink, biscuits (sometimes cake!!) and a chat. Everyone welcome.

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To hire St Aidan's Hall email: StAidans.ParishHall@gmail.com

Headteacher of St Walburga's School (01274 531102): Mrs E. Fearnley

Headteacher of St Anthony's School (01274 592738): Mr A. Wilkinson

Sunday 13th October 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:45pm Vigil Mass - St Walburga's 9:15am – St Walburga's 11:00am – St Aidan's	People of the Parish David Adolph R.I.P. Sr. Maire Morris R.I.P.
Monday 14 th St Callistus I, Pope and Martyr	12:00pm- St Walburga's	Martin Johnson (L.D.)
Tuesday 15 th St Teresa of Avila, Virgin and Doctor of the Church	10:00am- St Walburga's 7:00pm - St Aidan's	Betty Lockwood (L.D.) Service of the Word with Holy Communion
<u>Wednesday 16th</u> St Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin	10:00am – St Walburga's 12:45pm – St Aidan's	Holy Souls Requiem for Denis Loughlin
Thursday 17 th St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr	N.B. 8:00am - St Walburga's	David Adolph
Friday 18 th St Luke, Evangelist	10:00am – St Walburga's 12:00pm – St Aidan's	Holy Souls Service of the Word with Holy Communion
<u>Saturday 19th</u> Ss John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs	10:00am – St Walburga's 5:45pm - Vigil Mass - St Walburga's	David Adolph Desmond Brady (A.)
Sunday 20 th October 29 th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9:15am – St Walburga's 11:00am – St Aidan's	Andrew & Pam Mullarkey People of the Parish