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PRAY FOR UKRAINE & THE HOLY LAND

THE PARISH OF ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS

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SUNDAY 13th JULY 2025

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

Psalm Response: Seek God, you who are poor, and your hearts will revive. - **Gospel** <u>Acclamation</u>: Alleluia, alleluia. Your words, O Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. - <u>Readings</u>: Deuteronomy 30:10-14, Psalm 69(68), Colossians 1:15-20 - <u>Gospel</u>: Luke 10:25-37.

<u>Readers</u>: St Walburga's <u>Vigil</u> B. Kelly, M. Moriarty - <u>9:15</u> S. Tolson, N. Buck -St Aidan's: G. Dobbs, C. Walker

Lately Dead: Sean Brown, Maureen Fisher *Anniversaries*: Georgina Elizabeth Monaghan

<u>Second Collection this weekend</u> for Stella Maris (*Apostleship of the Sea*)- Helping to sustain and nourish the faith of Christian seafarers, dialogue with other religions, and promote justice for those who are being exploited.

<u>An Invitation</u>: Colin and Anne Huntley are celebrating their Diamond wedding anniversary later this month and you are invited to help them mark the occasion by joining them for mass on <u>Saturday July 19th at 10am</u>, followed by informal refreshments in the parish room at St Walburga's.

Fire Risk Assessment: Following a recent report highlighting potential fire risks at St. Walburga's, several of the recommendations centre on the requirements for better housekeeping within the church hall and surrounding areas. To this end, each area will be worked through to determine what needs to be retained, stored, recycled or thrown. If you have anything currently stored within the premises that needs to be kept *(or can be disposed of)* please let me know as soon as possible, as work commences w/c 14th July onwards. Jo Bell 07951 717062.

Volunteers needed for garden maintenance at St. Aidan's. If you think you might be able to help, or for more information, please contact Chris Jones at <u>chrisjones163@sky.com</u>

Keep praying for Ukraine, the Holy land, and the populations of all war-torn countries.

Foodbank: Thank you once again for your generous donations for the Foodbank collection- the staff were very grateful- and are always surprised at the size of the collection. Thank you also to St Walburga's School who continue to collect donations from parents. Thank you it really is a great cause the parish supports! The next collection will be on <u>Wednesday 6th August</u>

Tax-Payers: any donation you give to the Church or any registered charity, can be enhanced by signing up for Gift Aid. For every £1 donated under the Gift Aid scheme will be enhanced by an extra 25p from the Government at no extra charge to you. If you donate to the Church, please consider making a Gift Aid declaration. Enquiries to Nick Connor via the Parish Office. Gift Aid envelopes for next week's Sea Sunday collection are available at the back of church this week.

Holding Hope - Online Reflection: *Thursday 17th July 7-8pm*. Leeds Diocese older people's charity Growing Old Grace-fully is hosting an hour-long Zoom reflection exploring how to hold on to Christian hope as we journey through life. Led by Paula Shanks and Mgr. Donal Lucey. All welcome. To book a place, please email growing.old.gracefully@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

One & Three Peaks Challenge in Support of St Patrick's Mission: On *Saturday, August 9th*, St Patrick's Mission will be hiking the Yorkshire Three Peaks to support the ongoing ministry in Bradford city centre. We are grateful for anyone who would like to hike with us, or who would like to volunteer to help on the day, or simply donate to the cause! To sign up, <u>here</u> or to donate <u>here</u>.

Leeds Cathedral Guided Tours Summer Programme: A free Guided Tour will take place *Sat. 23 August* starting at 1.30pm: The tour lasts about 1 hour. No booking required. On arrival, please gather by the Baptismal Font at the back of the Cathedral.

Family & Social Group Stays at Castlerigg: Castlerigg Manor is a Catholic residential youth centre in the Lake District and it's opening its doors to family groups and social groups *this August*. There are single rooms, twin rooms, and large family rooms at very cheap rates. Guests have access to the grounds, chapel, games room, and lounges, with Keswick and the Lake only a short walk away. For more info <u>director@castleriggmanor.co.uk</u> or <u>www.castleriggmanor.com/open</u>

Collections for the weekend of 5th/6th July			
Offerterr	St Walburga's	St Aidan's	
Offertory	£ 340.93	£ 297.72	

Notice from St Bede's and St Joseph's Catholic College and The Holy Family Catholic School: Are you a qualified teacher or experienced educator seeking flexible work in a values-led environment? Do you want to make a meaningful contribution to Catholic education—on your terms? We're building something different. The CATALYST Network *(Catholic Teaching and Learning Support Team)* is a dynamic new initiative providing high-quality, flexible cover teaching across our two Trust secondary schools. This innovative model puts community, consistency, and Catholic values at its heart— while offering excellent rates of pay and a better experience for students and staff alike. To find out more or request an Expression of Interest form, please contact Jane Nnogo, Head of Human Resources <u>innogo@sbsj.co.uk</u>

<u>Catholic Care are Recruiting</u>: Support Worker, £24,892 - £26,096 pro rata (*based on qualifications and experience*), shifts patterns to include weekends and bank holidays) Location: Skipton, please contact <u>recruitment@catholic-care.org.uk</u> for an application form.

Apprentice Assistant to Lay Chaplain Vacancy: Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College, Leeds. Start: September 2025 or as soon after Closing date: <u>Monday 25</u> <u>August.</u> Further info: please visit <u>https://www.notredamecoll.ac.uk/vacancies</u>. To discuss or arrange a visit, contact Louise Jackson <u>l.jackson@notredamecoll.ac.uk</u>

<u>Vacancies</u>: Cardinal Heenan Catholic High School have a number of vacancies in school. If you would like to work with us as a Premises Manager, Cover Supervisor, Assistant SENDCo or Science Technician. For more details and information email <u>recruitment@cardinalheenan.com</u> or visit <u>www.cardinalheenan.com</u>

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.

<u>Online Donations</u>: <u>https://donate.mydona.com/st-teresa-benedicta-shipley</u> <u>Catherine Levavasseur</u>: <u>office.stteresabenedicta@dioceseofleeds.org.uk</u> <u>Website</u>: <u>http://www.stteresabenedicta.org/</u> <u>Facebook</u>: <u>https://www.facebook.com/STBotC</u> <u>Maintenance Co-ordinator</u>: Chris Jones - <u>chrisjones163@sky.com</u> <u>Parish Safeguarding</u>: Clare Hickey - <u>psr.chickey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk</u> <u>To hire St Aidan's Hall email: StAidans.ParishHall@gmail.com</u> <u>Headteacher of St Walburga's School</u> (01274 531102): Mrs E. Fearnley <u>Headteacher of St Anthony's School</u> (01274 592738): Mr A. Wilkinson <u>School Newsletters</u>: <u>SBSJ</u> - <u>St Walburga's School</u> - <u>St Anthony's School</u>

<u>Sunday 13th July 2025</u> 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C	5:45pm Vigil Mass – St. Walburga's 9:15am – St Walburga's 11:00am – St Aidan's	People of the Parish Tim Doody <i>(L.D.)</i> John Cook <i>(L.D.)</i>
<u>Monday 14th</u>	12:00pm - St Walburga's	Margaret Kenny (95 th Birthday)
Tuesday 15 th	N.B. 9:00am - St. Walburga's 7:00pm – St Aidan's	<i>Service of the Word with Holy Communion</i> <i>Service of the Word with Holy Communion</i>
Wednesday 16 th	10:00am - St Walburga's	Service of the Word with Holy Communion
<u>Thursday 17th</u>	10:00am - St Walburga's	Service of the Word with Holy Communion
<u>Friday 18th</u>	10:00am - St Walburga's 12:00pm – St Aidan's	<i>Service of the Word with Holy Communion</i> <i>Service of the Word with Holy Communion</i>
Saturday 19 th	10:00am - St Walburga's 5:45pm Vigil Mass – St. Walburga's	Austin Pickering People of the Parish
<u>Sunday 20th July 2025</u> <u>16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C</u>	9:15am – St Walburga's 11:00am – St Aidan's	Paula Fearon Georgina Elizabeth Monaghan