

# ST. THERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year A

4th July 2026 Vigil Mass

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*A warm welcome to St Theresa's whether you are a regular parishioner, visiting or new to the parish.*

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4th July</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>St Theresa's</b>	
Sunday	5th July	10.00am	St Bernard's	People of the parish
<b>Monday</b>	<b>6th July</b>	<b>1.00pm</b>	<b>St Theresa's</b>	<b>Fatima Mass</b>
Tuesday	7th July	10.00am	St Bernard's	Rob Bell L.D.
Wednesday	No Mass			
Thursday	9th July	10.00am	St Bernard's	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>10th July</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>St Theresa's</b>	
Saturday	11th July	10.00am	St Bernard's	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>11th July</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>St Theresa's</b>	
Sunday	12th July	10.00am	St Bernard's	

DATE:	WELCOMERS:	READERS:
4th July	G. Coyne & H. Macintyre	H. Macintyre
11th July	G. Jarvis & A. McGahey	G. Coyne

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** *I will bless your name for ever, my God and king.*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** *Alleluia, alleluia.*

*I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, you have revealed the secrets of the kingdom to little children. Alleluia*

<b>Confession:</b> 6.15pm prior to the vigil Mass.	<b>Offertory Collection:</b> £139 Peter's Pence £38.24	<i>Thank you</i>
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*Please keep in mind all those who need our prayers:*

*St Theresa's: Emily Hewerdine, Ruth Richardson, The Hales Family, Lilian & family, Sam Rose, Inge Parkinson, Fausto D'Italia, Julie Simpson, Val Handforth, Sharon Chapman, Madison Fox, Eunice Brown, Pat Rimmington, Mark Collier, Rev. Stephen Gott, Catherine Hartley, Jean & Barry Parker and many special intentions.*

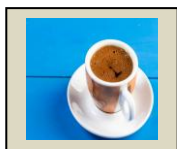
*St. Bernard's: Jean Barraclough*

*Those who have died recently: Rob Bell R.I.P.*

*Those whose anniversaries occur about this time:*

## PARISH EVENTS:

There will be tea and coffee in the Church Hall after Mass. All are welcome.



*Pope Leo's prayer for July: for respect for human life.*

### FATIMA MASS –

Rosary at 12.45pm followed by Mass at 1pm. Refreshments after Mass. All are welcome.



*Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.*

**We welcomed Fr. Joshua Hilton, the Parochial Administrator, last Monday. He introduced himself and explained his role regarding St Theresa's from the 1st August. He patiently answered questions as far as he was able. Fr Hilton joined us for refreshments afterwards, chatting with parishioners over a cup of tea.**

### SECOND COLLECTIONS:

12th July - Stella Maris

#### SAINT JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Address: Portland Road, Halifax HX3 6LA

TEL: 01422 360646

Website:

[www.stjosephs.calderdale.sch.uk](http://www.stjosephs.calderdale.sch.uk)

Email: [admin@st-](mailto:admin@st-josephs.calderdale.sch.uk)

[josephs.calderdale.sch.uk](http://josephs.calderdale.sch.uk) Headteacher:

Mrs M. Togher

**Yoga in the hall – Friday – 7.00pm - 8.30pm. £7 per class. Contact Tony on 07884376314 or [tonymbyrne116@gmail.com](mailto:tonymbyrne116@gmail.com)**

**Well Being café 1.30 – 3.30pm on the 4th Friday of the month. Next meeting 24th July 2026. Contact Jo Greenwood 07787431176 or turn up on the day.**

### ST. THERESA'S STAY & PLAY:



**St Theresa's Stay and Play** in the Church Hall every **Thursday** morning in term time from 9.15am to 11.15am.

0-6 months – Free, 6+ months £2 +£1 for extra children Drink & Snack supplied

**Craft Group** will be in Goodwin House from September. Same day, same time. Cath will be in touch.

Thank you to Naz for offering the room.

### ST BERNARD'S

Email [pp.stbernard@dioceseofleeds.org](mailto:pp.stbernard@dioceseofleeds.org)

**18th July – 2.30pm - David Glover** talk 'Across North Bridge and around Halifax.' Tickets £5.

**25th July – Parish gardening day** after 10am Mass. All help greatly appreciated.

**Concert at St Bernard's Church**, Saturday 11th July at 7.30pm. The Orion Choir – My spirit sang all day. Music chosen by the choir, followed by refreshments in the church hall. Entrance is by donation to choir and church funds. All welcome

**Retirement afternoon tea** after Mass on Sunday 26th July open invitation to all parishioners.

**Mass at 5pm beginning Saturday 1st August. No Sunday Masses.**

**SUMMER FAIR** -A huge thank you to everyone who helped to make our Summer Fair such a success. The parishioners who donated, helped to set up on Saturday, served behind the counters and cleared up afterwards and all the lovely people from the village and afar who came and bought. It was a very happy afternoon. We made £817.35 which includes donations of £130. The raffle was 419, which was claimed on the day.

I will be sending a cheque to the Queensbury Support Centre when the Smartie appeal is finished.

Fel Kennedy

**Saturday 25th July at 6.30pm – this will be the last Mass celebrated in our Church of St Theresa of the Child Jesus.**

**It was agreed at the Parish meeting to advise those using the hall that it will close before Christmas and that they should look for further premises.**

Archbishop Richard Moth was officially installed as the twelfth Archbishop of Westminster on Saturday 14th February 2026. On 29th June 2026 Archbishop Richard Moth received the Pallium from Pope Leo XIV during Mass in St Peter's Basilica. The pallium, a narrow band of white wool marked with six black crosses and worn around the shoulders.



## DIOCESAN EVENTS:

[www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk](http://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator** 0113 2618069 or

[safeguarding@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

Safe spaces 03003031056

**Hinsley Hall** is available for meetings, functions, receptions .... Tel: 0113 2618000

**Catholic Care Garden Party, Headingley –**

Sunday 19th July 12.30pm Enjoy live music, a BBQ, games, raffles, cakes and more. Free Entry and all proceeds support Catholic Care's vital work in the local community.

## DEANERY EVENTS :

[www.halifax-deanery.org.uk](http://www.halifax-deanery.org.uk)

**SVP** has a group at St Mary's - contact 07512 011440

**Brew and Chat**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at St Columba's Church 10.30am – 12.30pm

There is also a craft group led by Agnes Quinn All welcome

**Walk off the Pounds** – every Thursday at 10.30am – 11.30am in St Columba's Church hall.

**Masses in the Deanery from 1st August:**

St Mary's 9.30am 11am

St Alban's 6pm (Sunday)

St Columba's 11am

St Malachy's 9.30am

St Bernard's 5pm vigil

Sacred Heart 5.30pm vigil 11am

Good Shepherd 9.30am

St Patrick's, Elland 4pm vigil 10.30am

St Joseph's Brighouse 6pm vigil 8.30am

**Neighbouring parishes in Bradford:**

\*St John's Cooper Lane BD6 3NS 11.15am

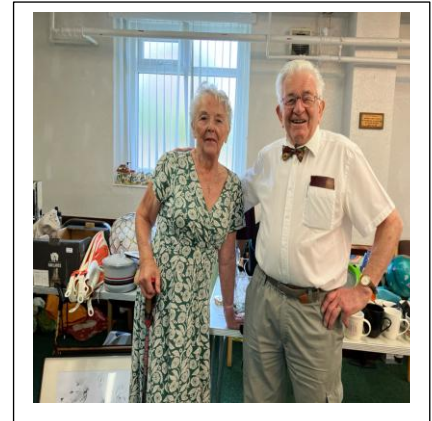
\*St Winefride's, St Paul's Ave BD6 1ST

5.15pm vigil, 8.15am & 9.45am

\*St Anthony's, Clayton BD14 6HW

6.30pm vigil, 10am

Photos from our last Summer fair which was a huge success.



Notices for the Bulletin to be in by 1pm on Thursday to:  
[christinerothwell@btinternet.com](mailto:christinerothwell@btinternet.com) or 07713 635431/ 01422 206219