# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY OF VICTORIES & ST. ANNE, KEIGHLEY

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## HOLY MASS AT SAINT ANNE'S PARISH CHURCH

Date: June		Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sunday	21 <sup>st</sup>	11.00am	Pro Populo	<b>Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
Monday	22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am	Robert & Elen Moreton (A)	Ss John Fisher & Thomas More
Tuesday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30am	Elsie Hannon (2nd A)	Feria
Wednesday	24 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Linda Clegg	The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Thursday	25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	November Dead List	Feria
Friday	26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	John Rothwell (LD)	Feria
Saturday	27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Maria Fischer (Birthday)	Our Lady of Unfailing Help
Sunday	28 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Pro Populo	Ss Peter & Paul, Apostles

#### MASS CELEBRATED EACH DAY WITHOUT A CONGREGATION

SAINT ANNE'S CHURCH IS OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER MONDAY - SATURDAY 10.00am - 12 Noon & SUNDAY 12 Noon - 2.00pm There will be Stewards on duty to guide & help

Mass Intentions Received: Robert & Elen Moreton (A); Linda Clegg; Elsie Hannon (2nd A); Peter Hannon (A)

#### Live Streaming for Holy Mass

Leeds Cathedral: www.leedscathedrallive.org.uk

### St. Mary's Halifax: www.stmaryshalifax.com

**Fr. Michael** offers Holy Mass each day when all the people of the parish are remembered at the altar of the Lord.

**The Good Shepherd Centre:** It is currently closed but referrals can be made by phone. If you or someone you know is in urgent need of help please phone us and we will do what we can to help. We can offer clothes, household goods, bedding and sometimes food. For support or information about EU Settled Status Procedure, please make contact by telephone on 07491778715 preferably between 9.30am & 11.30am on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesday & Fridays.

**R.I.P.** Christina Pace whose Funeral Service is Monday 22nd June at Morton Cemetery; we offer our sympathy & prayers to her family & friends particularly in the Italian community at this time.

**The re-opening of the Church:** Thank you to everyone who volunteered to be a Steward so that the church was able to open last Tuesday for the first time in three months. It was a wonderful feeling to open wide the doors of St. Anne's Church: *I rejoiced when I heard them say: 'Let us go to God's house.' (Psalm 121:1)* 

**Rev Christopher Butler** who came to St. Anne's on a parish placement in July 2018 from the Beda College was ordained as a Deacon last week in Rome. We remember him especially in our prayers at this time as he prepares now for his ordination to the priesthood in Leeds next year.

**Sacramental Preparation for our children:** all the parishes of the Diocese have received a letter from the Episcopal Vicar for Education. In this letter he says: "As our churches will only be beginning to open for private prayer and the long summer break for our schools will soon be upon us, I would suggest that we do not think about recommencing sacramental preparation until September at the earliest.

The Catholic Bishops of England & Wales have now given permission for Funeral Services (not a Requiem) to take place in church from this Monday 22nd June. The details can be discussed with the undertaker & priest. A message from this Sunday's Gospel: The Lord says to each of us today: "Do not be afraid". The words are especially powerful because the one who speaks them is our friend, the one we can trust. It is he who brings us new heart in our world of Covid-19, as, over and over again, he urges us not to be afraid. That doesn't mean that all our fears suddenly vanish but rather that they don't paralyse us, they no longer dominate our lives, because, like Jeremiah in today's first reading, we can say, "the Lord is at my side, a mighty hero".