



The Parish of Saint Maximilian Kolbe within the Diocese of Leeds, West Yorkshire

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Saturday 1 st August	6.00pm Vigil Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Anne Boyes (RIP)</i> EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Sunday 2 nd August	10.00am Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Sheila Bilton (née Grace)(BA)</i> EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	12.00noon Mass (S Francis's)	<i>People of the Parish</i> EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Monday 3 rd August	10.00am Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Michelle Robinson (LD)</i> S Oswald, Martyr
Tuesday 4 th August	10.00am Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Parish Dead List (RIP)</i> S John Vianney, Priest
Wednesday 5 th August		The Dedication of the Basilica of S Mary Major
Thursday 6 th August	7.00pm Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Pauline Fergusan-Wheeler (LD)</i> THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
Friday 7 th August	7.00pm Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>In Thanksgiving for Rev Fr Timothy Whitwell's Eight Year Ministry as Parish Priest in Beeston (SI)</i> Blessed Nicholas Postgate, Priest & Martyr
Saturday 8 th August		S Dominic, Priest
	6.00pm Vigil Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Michelle Robinson (LD)</i> NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Sunday 9 th August	10.00am Mass (S Anthony's)	<i>Michelle Robinson (LD)</i> NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	12.00noon Mass (S Francis's)	<i>People of the Parish</i> NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Confessions:
*By appointment or
after Mass on a
Saturday morning.*

Holy Rosary:
*Usually 9.30am
on a Saturday at
S Anthony's.*



*For the latest news
about Parish life
please visit the
Parish website.*

*"Wherever the
Catholic sun doth
shine, there's
always laughter
and good red wine.
At least I've always
found it so.
Benedicamus
Domino!"
Hilaire Belloc*

Please pray for:

The Sick

Fr Colum Kelly, Rita Gilmartin, Ellen Mervyn.

Lately Dead + Requiescat in Pace +

Jean Quinn.

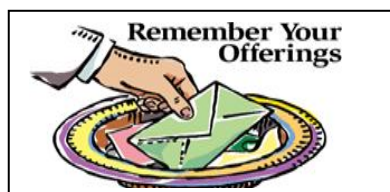
Anniversaries

Edward Rochford, Harry Coates, Ann Conn, Matthew Reid, Katherine Pearson, Séan Flatley, Edith Gaunt, Jack Knowles, Thomas Ahearn, Valerie Duggan, Eve Beard, Francis Fiddis, Catherine Spence, Valenta Krzysyhofofik, Sharon Hainsworth, Brian Hainsworth, Charles Daniels, Elizabeth Furlong, William Ure, Margaret Marley, Patricia Duxbury, Alice Hibbert, Arthur Stones, Patrick Courtney, Mary Deary, Pauline Lazaro, Caroline Cassidy, Marlene Dodd, John Ingham, Robert Peel, Bridget Greenwood, Thomas Carden, Bertha Ashton, James McDonald, Terence Bickerdike, Adrienne Dunne, Elizabeth Kitchen, Mary Mansley, Mary Keighley, Andrew Barron, Bernard Flynn, Jenny Town, Liam Ducker.

Please kindly make your **Sunday offertory** via **Standing Order** (preferably Gifted Aided please) or **BACS** transfer: Sort code: 40-27-15, account number: 210 178 96, account name (exactly as the bank refer to the Parish): **Diocese of Leeds St Maximilian Kolbe** – thank you.

To make an offertory **card donation** please click the link: <https://portal.mydona.com/assets/webPay/index.php?cid=393>

or scan this QR code with your mobile 'phone:



Any cheques for the parish should be kindly made payable to **'Diocese of Leeds St Maximilian Kolbe'** Thank you!

Recently **Fr Whitwell** announced that the Bishop has asked him to move to the Parish of Saint Joseph's, Stokesley in North Yorkshire and that **Fr Benjamin Hilton** will be the new Parish Priest. Please let us pray for Fr Whitwell and Fr Hilton and all parishioners in Beeston, Stokesley and Yeadon, as we together prepare for a summer of change.

As Fr Whitwell prepares to move to Stokesley, there will be a **Mass of Thanksgiving** on Friday, 7th August at 7.00pm at S Anthony's. Fr Whitwell will offer Sunday Mass for the last time on 9th August and following the Mass at 12 noon parishioners will gather for a glass of cheer. Gift envelopes are now available at the back of both churches for any parishioners wishing to contribute to Fr Whitwell's farewell gift which will be presented to him in the Parish Hall after the Mass of Thanksgiving on 7th August, when refreshments will be available. Alternatively, Dona donations can also be made using the PARISH PRIEST tab, thank you very much: <https://donate.mydona.com/st-maximilian-kolbe-leeds>

Parish **coffee morning** each Wednesday at 11:00 until 13:00 in the Parish Hall at S Anthony's, as well as after the 10:00 Sunday Mass. All are very welcome, please come along.

The Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill is back in the House of Commons, seeking to legalise assisted suicide. MPs vote on 11th September, so please consider contacting your MP - <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/>

It was our fervent hope that by now the long-awaited work on the **base of tower project** at S Anthony's would have started but we've experienced further delays with third party organisations regarding the proposed work outside the environs of the parish. We shall hopefully know more in the coming weeks but it is now unlikely that the work will be completed for a few months. Thank you for your kind understanding and cooperation. The Piety Stall will therefore continue to be open in the Parish Hall after Sunday Mass.

Many sincere thanks to those who have made a donation towards the £36,800.00 cost of the church and presbytery **boilers** at S Anthony's and the new £5300.00 boiler at S Francis's (please use the tab BOILER / BUILDING FUND on the Dona portal - kindly click here or copy this link: <https://donate.mydona.com/st-maximilian-kolbe-leeds>

Leeds Cathedral Guided Tours Summer Programme - A free guided tour will take place on 8th August at 1.30pm. The tour lasts one hour. No booking required. On arrival, please gather by the Baptismal Font at the back of the Cathedral.

Marriage Support If you are just in a rut or for more serious issues – Retrouvaille could help www.retrouvaille.org.uk

Leeds Cathedral will be closed on weekdays throughout August to enable essential works on the lighting system. Mass will be held in Cathedral Hall, times will vary to the usual schedule: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/cathedral/>

Please scan the QR code >> to help our wonderful young parishioner Libby become the next **Leeds Children's Mayor**. *"As a child with a disability, I understand the frustration. Every child deserves the chance to play, belong and achieve. I'm standing to help create more sporting opportunities for all children across Leeds. Together, we can make a change! I believe every child should feel included, be proud of who they are and know that anything is possible. More friends, more fun, more opportunities!"*



@LSChildrenMayor

*PLAY,
BELIEVE,
ACHIEVE.*

PLEASE
VOTE
FOR TEAM
LIBBY!

Let us join our Bishop in ardently praying for vocations:

***Our Lady of Unfailing Help!**
Pray that the Lord of the Harvest
will send labourers into His harvest
and that He will grant an abundance of vocations
to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life
within the Diocese of Leeds,
and throughout the world. Amen.*