

Sacred Heart & St Bernard

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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Saturday 8th August 2026

Pope Leo XIV Prayer Intention for August: For evangelization in the city

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

Weekend Mass at St Bernard's

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Saturday	8th August 2026	5:00 PM	Priest's Intention
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Saturday	15th August 2026	5:00 PM	

Tea and Coffee in the Church Hall after Mass. All are welcome.

Offertory Collection Saturday 1st August 2026 £324.60 Loose & Envelopes Saturday 1st August 2026 £53.76 DONA Thank you for your continued support.	Weekday Masses Tuesday 11th Aug St Clare 7:00 PM St Alban's Wednesday 12th Aug Feria 9:30 AM St Mary's Thursday 13th Aug Feria 9:30 AM St Alban's Friday 14th Aug St Maximilian Mary Kolbe 9:00 AM St Mary's
Fr Owens Retirement Collection There are envelopes at the back of Church for donations for Fr Owens collection. If donating by cash please hand in by 15th August. Donations can also be made on the DONA machine by choosing the Fr Owens option by 15th August. Donations can also be given by Bank Transfer by 19th August. Please see details below: Name on Account: Diocese of Leeds The Sacred Heart & St Bernard Halifax Sort Code: 40 - 27 - 15 Account Number: 01017403 Reference: Fr Owens	Funeral Service: Kathleen Walker The Funeral Service of Kathleen Walker will take place in St Bernard's Church on Friday 14th August at 10:30am.
	Upcoming Events at St Bernard's Open Parish Meeting: Monday 17th August 7:15pm St Bernard's Day Celebration: Saturday 22nd August after 5pm Mass Macmillan Coffee Evening: Saturday 26th September after 5pm Mass Orion Chamber Choir: Saturday 14th November 7:30pm
	Open Parish Meeting 17th August 7:15pm The next Parish Meeting will be on Monday 17th August at 7:15 pm in the Church Hall. This is an open meeting to all, and everyone is welcome.
Macmillan Coffee Evening 26th September Our annual Macmillan coffee morning will now become a coffee evening and will take place after the 5pm Mass on Saturday 26th September. There will be tea and coffee, a cake stall and raffle, with all proceeds going to Macmillan.	St Bernard's Day Celebration 22nd August Celebrate St Bernard's Day with us after the 5pm Mass in the Church Hall. There will be food, a raffle and cake stall. All are welcome.
St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy, Halifax Headteacher: Mrs Mary Togher Portland Road, Halifax, HX3 6LA Website: https://www.st-josephs.calderdale.sch.uk/ Telephone: 01422 360 646 Email: admin@st-josephs.calderdale.sch.uk	Appeal for Raffle Prizes Raffle prizes are always welcome to support upcoming parish events and fundraising. Donations of unwanted gifts, chocolates, unused gift sets, new toys etc are greatly appreciated. Please hand in any prizes to a member of the Ladies Group. Thank you!
Weekend Masses in the Halifax Deanery Saturday St Patrick's Elland 4:00 PM St Bernard's Halifax 5:00 PM Sacred Heart Sowerby Bridge 5:30 PM St Joseph's Brighouse 6:00 PM Sunday St Joseph's Brighouse 8:30 AM St Malachy's Halifax 9:00 AM Good Shepherd Mytholmroyd 9:30 AM St Mary's Halifax 9:30 AM St Patrick's Elland 10:30 AM St Mary's Halifax 11:00 AM St Columba's Halifax 11:00 AM Sacred Heart Sowerby Bridge 11:00 AM St Alban's Halifax 6:00 PM	Continued Parish Support Now we have moved to a Saturday evening Mass, please continue to support our Parish by coming to the 5pm Mass and also give your support to the tea and coffee sessions and future Parish events, details of which will be included in future bulletins and website when they are arranged.
	Notice from Fr Hilton: Sick and Housebound Parishioners Please let me know of the names and address of any parishioners who would appreciate a visit from a priest with the Sacraments. I would like to draw up a visiting list to ensure that our housebound parishioners receive regular visits.
	Church Hall Hire The Parish Hall, is available for evening and/or daytime hire and is suitable for a variety of uses on a regular or 'one-off' basis. Please use the contact form on the website.

Notices for the bulletin to be emailed to bulletin.stbernard@dioceseofleeds.org.uk by 5:30pm on Wednesday