

Sacred Heart & St Bernard

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time : Saturday 5th September 2026

Pope Leo XIV Prayer Intention for September: For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

Weekend Mass at St Bernard's

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 5th September 2026 5:00 PM

Mary Casson

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 12th September 2026 5:00 PM

Thanksgiving of the White Family

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

Offertory Collection

Saturday 29th August 2026 £305.75 Loose & Envelopes

Saturday 29th August 2026 £68.88 DONA

Month of August £652.00 Standing Orders

Thank you for your continued support.

There will be a second collection on 12th September for Catholic Education Sunday.

Upcoming Events at St Bernard's

Social & Fundraising Group Meeting: Wednesday 23rd September 7:15pm

Macmillan Coffee Evening: Saturday 26th September after 5pm Mass

Open Parish Meeting: Monday 28th September 7:15pm

Autumn Raffle: Saturday 17th October after 5pm Mass

Orion Chamber Choir: Saturday 14th November 7:30pm

St Bernard's Social & Fundraising Group

The Ladies Group has re-launched as St Bernard's Social & Fundraising Group. New members are always welcome no matter how much time you can give. All help is greatly appreciated and is open to all.

Next meeting: Wednesday 23rd September 7:15pm in the Church Hall

Open Parish Meeting 28th September 7:15pm

The next Parish Meeting will be on Monday 28th September at 7:15 pm in the Church Hall. This is an open meeting to all, and everyone is welcome.

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy, Halifax

Headteacher: Mrs Mary Togher

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World Youth Day 2027

The Diocese of Leeds Youth Service are excited to be offering this once in a lifetime opportunity to go on pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea for World Youth Day 2027 as part of a Northern Diocesan Partnership. For more information and to apply, please email: youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk

St Gemma's Hospice Walk Leeds

Saturday 19th September walk from Roundhay Park along Street Lane to the Hospice for a moment of reflection before heading back to the Park for the finish line. Tickets are £20 for adults/ £12.50 for children which includes a t-shirt, medal, and light up item and every step you take will help us provide specialist care and support for families need it most. More information and tickets at

www.st-gemma.co.uk/events/sunset-walk

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 8th Sep Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary 7:00 PM St Alban's

Wednesday 9th Sep Feria 9:30 AM St Mary's

Thursday 10th Sep Feria 9:30 AM St Alban's

Thursday 10th Sep New Academic Year Mass in the school hall 11:00 AM St Joseph's Academy
All are welcome

Friday 11th Sep Feria 9:30 AM St Mary's

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 place any prizes into the box at the back of Church or in the Church Hall.

Thank you to those who have already donated some prizes!

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/coffee and a KitKat, a cake stall and raffle, with all proceeds going to Macmillan.

Confessions

Saturday 11:00 AM - 12 Noon St Mary's

Sunday 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM St Albans

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.

Diocesan Season of Creation Event

SPARK Social Justice and the J&P Commission Screening of The People's Emergency Briefing.

Saturday 19 September, Hinsley Hall Headingley 2pm – 4pm.

Join us at this crucial climate event with an opportunity to talk about local solutions.

See www.sparksocialjustice.org.uk for more details and to book a place.

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.

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