Sacred Heart & St Bernard

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29th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Saturday 17th October 2026

Pope Leo XIV Prayer Intention for October: For mental health ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

Weekend Mass at St Bernard's

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Saturday	17th October 2026	5:00 PM	Fr Tom Durkin
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Saturday	24th October 2026	5:00 PM	Collin Hinchliffe

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

Offertory Collection

Saturday 3rd October 2026	£332.70	Loose & Envelopes
Saturday 3rd October 2026	£14.76	DONA

Thank you for your continued support

There will be a second collection on 24th October for World Mission Sunday

Coffee Evening Rota

We have a rota in place for a team of people who serve the coffee and tea after Mass on a Saturday evening.

If anyone is interested in joining the rota or finding out more about what it involves, please add your name and a contact number to the list at the back of Church and someone from the team will make contact with you.

Thank You

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 20th Oct	Feria	7:00 PM	St Alban's
Wednesday 21st Oct	Robert Henry Requiem	10:30 AM	St Alban's
Thursday 22nd Oct	Pope St John Paul II	9:30 AM	St Alban's
Friday 23rd Oct	Feria	9:30 AM	St Mary's

Under One Sky Photography Exhibition

Featuring photographic portraits and personal stories of refugees who have legally settled in North Yorkshire, offering a human perspective beyond the headlines. Learn about their journeys and the lives they are building today.

30 October to 4 November 2026, 10.00am to 3.00pm,
Gracious St. Methodist Church, Knaresborough, HG5 8AN.
Free admission.
Any queries please contact *sue.parsons@catholic-care.org.uk*
To help protect those featured, please do not post exhibition materials on social media.

Classes Currently in the Church Hall

There are various classes currently running in the Church Hall during the week. The following are open to all:

Mondays	Zumba	1:00 PM	Except 19th and 26th October
Tuesdays	Tai Chi	10:45 AM	
Thursdays	Tai Chi	1:15 PM	
Saturdays	Zumba	11:30 AM	Except 17th, 24th & 31st October
Saturdays	Pilates	12:20 PM	Except 17th, 24th & 31st October

St Joseph's Catholic Primary Academy, Halifax

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Autumn Raffle

Please join us in the hall today after Mass for our Autumn Raffle.

All are welcome!

Upcoming Events at St Bernard's

Social & Fundraising Group Meeting:	Wednesday 28th October 7:15pm
Orion Chamber Choir:	Saturday 14th November 7:30pm in Church

November Dead List

If you wish to have your deceased loved ones remembered in this year's November Dead List, please place their names in an envelope, along with your offering and give to one of the Clergy.

Thank You

Car Share: Travelling Together

As the darker nights return, getting to Church can become a little more difficult for some.

One of the ways we can support one another is through car sharing. Whether you are able to offer a lift or would appreciate one, we would love to help connect people within our Church.

A sign-up sheet is available at the back of church to add your details.

Instagram Hangout

Join us at Leeds Cathedral for an exclusive tour created especially for Instagrammers

Learn more about the fascinating history, architecture and design of our Arts and Crafts-style Cathedral, access areas not usually open to the public, and capture its beauty through photography. Saturday 31st October 2pm-4pm. All are welcome. Tickets are free, but registration is essential:
https://bit.ly/4i9aEmV

Confessions

Saturday	11:00 AM - 12 Noon	St Mary's
Sunday	5:30 PM - 6:00 PM	St Alban's

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.

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