



**The Parish of
Cleckheaton & Heckmondwike**

**Serving the Churches of
Our Lady of Unfailing Help &
St. Paul of the Cross, Cleckheaton &
The Holy Spirit, Heckmondwike.**



	The Church of Our Lady of Unfailing Help & St. Paul of the Cross	The Church of The Holy Spirit
Saturday 06/10	6.00 pm Holy Rosary 6.30 pm Pauline McNally (A)	4.30 pm Patricia Hutton (A)
Sunday 07/10 <i>27th Sunday (B)</i>	11.30 am People of the Parish	9.30 am Alan Nuttall (A)
Monday 08/10	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday 09/10 <i>St. Denis & Companions</i>	No Mass	9.45 am Margaret Lynn (B'day A)
Wednesday 10/10 <i>St. Paulinus of York</i>	9.45 am Holy Rosary 10.15 am Mary McVeigh (A)	No Mass
Thursday 11/10 <i>St. Pope John XXIII</i>	10.15 am Sick Person (RMC)	2.30 pm Special Intention (A & T NB) <i>(Year 4 Class Mass in Church)</i>
Friday 12/10 <i>St. Wilfrid</i>	No Mass	9.45 am For Better Health (AC)
Saturday 13/10 <i>St. Edward the Confessor</i>	12 noon People of the Parish 6.00 pm Holy Rosary 6.30 pm Mark & Michael Ormondroyd (B'day A)	4.30 pm Peter (A) & Margaret Henry
Sunday 14/10 <i>28th Sunday (B)</i>	11.30 am Marcella Hurley (B'day A)	9.30 am Dorothy Hird (B'day A)

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on request & on Saturday (Cleckheaton) 11.30 am & Saturday (Heckmondwike) 4.00 pm. *N.B. Times may vary due to pastoral commitments.*

We pray for those whom God has called back to Himself recently:

Monsignor Philip Holroyd (Recently retired PP of Ripon)

And those whose anniversaries occur at this time including: Patricia Hutton, Allan Nuttall, Brian Riley, Mary McVeigh & Booth Briggs.

The sick and those caring for them; we recall especially: Steve Firth, Susan Smith, Agnes Clark, Margaret Crowther, Hilda Logush, Billy Forde, Carole Morris, Helen Oldroyd, David Oldroyd, Joan O'Connor, Katie Gallagher-Peel & Sr. Philomena Dunning

Please give any names of those with anniversaries occurring to Fr. Nicholas for inclusion on the Newsletter &

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Offer-

Envelopes	£390.00	£323.00
Loose Plate	£399.00	£224.60
Total	£789.00	£547.60

Many thanks for your continued generosity & to those who contribute through the use of Standing Orders.

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions: *In Memory of Elsie (A) (St. Paul's) & For a Special Intention (Adrian & Kathleen) (Holy Spirit):* There is an opportunity in both churches for the weeks' Sanctuary Lamp to be lit for the intentions of Parishioners. (Sanctuary Lamps are available from the back of our churches; please write the intention on the candle; payment (£3) may be put into the Piety Box.)

Cycle of Prayer: Divine Office Psalter Week 2 **Mass Intentions Received:** Mary McVeigh (A), For better Health (AC), Special Intention (A & T NB), Marian Barrett (A), Catherine Taylor (B'day A), Birthday Thanksgiving X2, James (B'day A) & Bridget

Silver Jubilee Celebration Invitation. The first of two Parish-hosted celebrations acknowledging the 25th anniversary of the Ordination of Fr. Nicholas will be held at Holy Spirit Church on Monday 22nd October beginning with Holy Mass at 7.00pm followed by refreshments served in the School Hall afterwards. All parishioners are welcome to come along.

Christmas Fayre 2018. (a) Raffle Tickets are available from this weekend to sell amongst family members, working colleagues & friends. (b) A list of Raffle Prizes sought for the Christmas Fayre Draw is to be found at the back of both churches. If you are able to contribute a prize please sign-up. Thank you !

St. Paul's Sewing Bees. The group will be meeting THIS Wednesday 10th October in St. Paul's Hall after Mass.

Plant Pots! Geoff Camponi has kindly offered to put his green fingers to use on behalf of the Parish Room Fund at Holy Spirit. He is currently propagating winter plants for sale at the Christmas Fayre but is seeking plant pots, old hanging baskets etc. to assist in this. If you can help please bring the required items to church & Geoff will collect them. Thanks !

Soup Lunch. Many thanks to all who supported & assisted at the Soup Lunch held at St. Paul's last Wednesday. This raised £280.00 for the Roof Fund. The next Soup Lunch will be held at Holy Spirit on Friday 19th October for which a list for Soup-makers, providers of bread & cakes to sign is available at the back of the church.

Confirmation Congratulations. Many congratulations to Brodie, Emily, India, Lola, Billy-Joe, Gilby, Jacob, Leon, Mason & Max who received the Sacrament of Confirmation recently.

Mass for Senior & Sick Parishioners. A sincere word of thanks to all who assisted with the organising & execution of the various elements that came together in the recent Mass for Sick & Senior parishioners. The event was both spiritual & also social. Thank you to all who contributed to the delicious lunch that was served afterwards.

Bookcases! A number of (used) bookcases in varying sizes are available for a small contribution. These would be ideal for students or in a workshop. Please speak with Fr. Nicholas if interested !

New Dean. The Bishop has invited Fr. Nicholas to take up the appointment of Dean of the Heavy Woollen Deanery.

Church Cleaners. Many thanks to all who take the time & trouble to ensure our Churches & Halls look so cared for.

Music Practice. Musicians & singers are invited to practises held at St. Paul's on Tuesdays at 7.00 pm. This is an great opportunity for singers & musicians to come & enjoy some time together preparing hymns for the following weekend/ Liturgical Seasons/Special occasions. If curious/interested/kept putting it off—come & see, & sing/play with parishioners !

St. Paul's 100 Club. Subscriptions for the 100 Club will be collected over the next TWO weekends after Masses.

Holy Spirit 150 Club. The winner of the weekly £25 prize last Sunday was (No. 130) Neil Hollington—congratulations !

CAFOD. Envelopes for CAFOD's Autumn Family Fast Day are to be returned towards the end of October. Thank you !

World War II Pilgrimage. If anyone is interested in a pilgrimage to some of the World War II sites, around the Normandy area of France, a list for signatures is to be found at the back of both churches.

Diary Dates ! Please note the following dates in your Diary so that you do not miss the following Parish Events:

Saturday 3rd November 11.00 am Cemetery Mass (Liversedge Cemetery, Clough Lane); Tuesday 13th November (Holy Spirit Church) Bereavement Mass; Sunday 25th November (St. Paul's Parish Hall) Christmas Coffee Morning; Saturday

1st December (Holy Spirit School) Christmas Fayre; Saturday 8th December (Holy Spirit Parish Room) Christmas Concert by Gillich; Wednesday 19th December (St. Paul's Church) Silver Jubilee Celebration for Fr. Nicholas.

Welcome into God's Family, the Church, Hugo James Sheridan-Green, who received the Sacrament of Baptism last Sunday at St. Paul's Church.

Tea & Coffee. Refreshments are served in our Halls after both of our Sunday morning Masses.

Extra News. See our webpages link entitled "Diocesan Events".

Holy Spirit Catholic Primary School—Admissions 2019. If your child was born between 01.09.2014—31.08.2015 you now need to register them for a place in a Reception class at a primary school. We would love to welcome you to our friendly, successful Catholic primary school which serves the Catholic communities of both Heckmondwike & Cleckheaton. Please note that the closing date for registration is 15th January 2019. You need to apply on-line at

