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 27th April 2025 Divine Mercy Sunday



Saturday	26th	5.00pm	Pamela Savaille Peter Wilson	
Sunday	27th	9.00am 11.00am	Paul Touhey Barry Kneale Bertha Thirumoody	Divine Mercy Sunday
Monday	28th	9.30am	Blanche Watson	Sts Peter Chanel & Louis Montfort
Tuesday	29th	10.30am	Requiem Ruth Lynn King SC	St Catherine of Siena
Wednesday	30th	9.30am	John & Anne Bedford	St Pius V
Thursday	1st	10.30am	Requiem Barry Kneale SP	St Joseph the Worker
Friday	2nd	8.30am	Adoration	St Athanasius
		9.30am	Winnie Robinson	
Saturday	3rd	10.00am	Jack Bedford	Sts Philip & James
		5.00pm	Nicole Krumenacker	
Sunday	4th	9.00am	Mallon Family	3rd Sunday of Easter
		11.00am	People of the Parish	

BLESSED SACRAMENT LAMP: June-A Gorman Kamsika (SC)

McGrath Family (SP)

SACRED HEART LAMP: Mallon family (SC)

Seraphina & Jackson (SP)

SICK: Tony-Craig Murphy; Eileen Mc Kermit; Eileen O'Shea; Bernadette Donnelly; Zoe Darwin (Beal)

LATELY DEAD: Pope Francis; Fr. Terry Boyle.

ANNIVERSARIES: Bridget Limb; Eric Duffy; John Hutton; Alic & Carmelina Kamsika; Waclaw Bak; Patrick Clarke; Stan Dubik
 Mary Forsdike; Alice Ashforth; Lawrence Walton; Mabel Coffee.

PRAYER FOR POPE FRANCIS: O God, faithful rewarder of souls, grant that your departed servant Pope Francis, whom you made successor of Peter and shepherd of your Church, may happily enjoy for ever in your presence in heaven the mysteries of your grace and compassion, which he faithfully ministered on earth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen

Entrance: Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him, you may grow to salvation, Alleluia.

Collect: God of everlasting mercy, who in the very recurrence of the paschal feast kindle the faith of the people you have made our own, increase, we pray, the grace you have bestowed, that all may grasp and rightly understand in what font they have been washed, by whose was my helper. they have been reborn, by whose Blood they have been redeemed. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit.....

First Reading: **2: 42-47**

All who believed were together and had all things in common.

[The brethren] devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. And all who believed were together and had all things in common. And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they shared their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to their numbers day by day those who were being saved.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSE: **Psalm 118.**

Give praise to the Lord, for he is good; his mercy endures forever.

Let the house of Israel say, His mercy endures for ever. Let the house of Aaron say
 His mercy endures for ever. Let those who fear the Lord say, His mercy endures for ever. **R/**

I was thrust down, thrust down and falling, but the Lord. The Lord is my strength and my song;
 He was my saviour, there are shouts of joy and salvation in the tents of the just. **R/**

The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone. By the Lord as this been done,
 A marvel in our eyes. Thi is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice in it and be glad. **R/**

Second Reading: A reading from the First Letter of Saint Peter

1 Peter 1: 3-9

We

have been born again to a living hope through the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. According to his great mercy he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, so that the tested by fire - may be found to result in praise and glory and honour at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Though you have not seen him, you love him, Through you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls

The Word of the Lord

Acclamation. Alleluia, alleluia! Have you believed, Thomas, because you have seen me? says the Lord; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed, Alleluia.

GOSPEL: A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to John

20:19-31.

"Eight days later Jesus came."

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors were locked where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

But Thomas (who was called the Twin, one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples that are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may continue to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

The Gospel of the Lord

ACCLAMATION: Save us Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection; you have set us free.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing. alleluia.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: Grant, we pray, almighty God, that our reception of this paschal Sacrament may have a continuing effect in our minds and hearts. Through Christ our Lord.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS: St Catherine's Holy Thursday £82.60 G. Friday £206.98. Sunday £533.50

St Patrick's Holy Thursday £162.12 G. Friday £237.05. Sunday £350.00 Thank you very much.

GIFT AID: If anyone wishes to pay their GIFT AID by standing order. The details are as follows:

For St Patrick's Church Sort Code 404107 Account Number 52191059 (Diocese of Hallam St Patrick's)

St Catherine's Church Sort Code 404107 Account Number 21094335 (Diocese of Hallam St Catherine's)

Deacon A Crowley: Has weekly online meetings. On Monday at 7.30pm to look at coming Sunday readings.

On Wednesday at 7.30pm for Evening Prayer - Contact Deacon Andrew on stpatslanetop@gmail.com

Blessed Sacrament and Sacred Heart Lamps 2025 (St Patrick's) for Year 2025.

HOLY COMMUNION: If anyone who is ill or house bound and wishes to receive Holy Communion, please get in touch with Fr. Albert either by phone or email.

JUBILEE YEAR PRAYER: Father who art in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken within us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into industrious cultivators of evangelical seeds, May humanity and the cosmos rise, while waiting confidently for the new heavens and the new earth, when the powers of Evil have been defeated, and your glory will be manifested forever. By the grace of the jubilee, revive in us, Pilgrims of Hope, the longing for celestial goods, and pour over the whole world joy and peace of our Redeemer, Blessed God, to you forever be praise and glory forever. Amen.

A Diocesan Book of Condolences has been opened on-line for the people of Hallam to record messages of remembrance and prayers for Pope Francis. Please encourage everyone to contribute. It can be accessed via the link below, or the Hallam diocesan website (Hallam-diocese.com) or through the diocesan social media channels.

Direct link for The Book of Condolence for Hallam :

<https://hallam-diocese.com/pope-francis/>

REPOSITORY STALL: Please visit the Repository Stalls at both our Churches. You might like to buy what is on offer. Remember the prices are a lot lower than what you buy at the shops in town. .Fr. Albert.