

St Catherine's and St Patrick's Churches Sheffield
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 Deacon at St Patrick's Church: Andrew Crowley
25th January 2026. 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saturday	24th	5.00pm	Louise Rogan	
Sunday	25th	9.00am 11.00am	Blanche Watson Vin Doolan	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday	26th		No Mass	St Timothy and St Titus
Tuesday	27th	9.30am	Exposition & Morning Prayers (SP)	St Angela Merici
Wednesday	28th		No Mass	St Thomas Aquinas
Thursday	29th		No Mass	St Juniper
Friday	30th		No Mass	St Aidan
Saturday	31st	5.00pm	Brendon Lynch	St John Bosco
Sunday	1st	9.00am 11.00am	Margaret Mutero Patricia Caulfield	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

BLESSED SACRAMENT LAMP: David & Annette (SC)

J. Lennon (SP)

SACRED HEART LAMP: Lynch/ Connelly Families (SC)

Doolan Family (SP)

SICK: Peter Roche; Tony-Craig Murphy; Eileen Mc Kermit; B Donnelly; Zoe Darwin Ruth Maloney Mary Sheehey Louise Rogan

LATELY DEAD: Shirley Harrison, Vin Doolan; John Weston; Darren Pask;

ANNIVERSARIES: Patricia Dutchman; Maureen Stevenson; John Downes; Agnes Perkins;
 Frederick Colley; Thomas Carey; Brian Scahill; Brendan Lynch

Entrance: O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.

Collect: Almighty ever-living God, direct our actions according to your good pleasure, that in the name of your beloved Son we may abound in good works. 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.

First Reading:

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah

9: 1-3

"The Galilee of the nations, the people have seen a great light."

In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light, those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone. You have multiplied the nation; you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as they are glad when they divide the spoil. **The Word of the Lord**

RESPONSE:

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Psalm 40

The Lord is my light and my salvation: whom shall I fear?

The Lord is the stronghold of my life; whom should I dread? **R/**

There is one thing I ask of the Lord. Only this do I seek:

To live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life

To gaze on the beauty of the Lord, to inquire at his temple. **R/**

I believe I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living,

Wait for the Lord: be strong; be stout-hearted and wait for the Lord **R/**

Second Reading: **A reading from the First Letter of St Paul to the C9orinthians**

1: 10-13.

"I appeal to you brothers, that there be no divisions among you."

I appeal to you, brothers, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree, that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united together in the same mind and the same judgement. For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrelling among you, my brothers. What I mean is that each of you says, "I follow Paul," or "I follow Apollos," or "I follow Cephas," or "I follow Christ." Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel—and not with words of eloquent wisdom, lest the cross of Christ be emptied of its power.

The Word of the Lord

Acclamation: Alleluia. Jesus was proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease
And every affliction among the people. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew 4:12-23

"He went to Capernaum, that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled."

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew into Galilee. And leaving Nazareth, he went and lived in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "The land of Zebulun, and the land of Naphtali, the way by the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—the people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death on them a light has dawned." From that time Jesus began to preach, saying "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." While walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. And going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with Zebedee, their father mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him. And he went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people.

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: Look towards the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: Grant, we pray, almighty God, that, receiving the grace by which you bring us to new life, we may always glory in your gift. Through Christ our Lord...

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS: St Catherine's £ & £678.80. St Patrick's £371.47. Thank you.

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)

REPOSITORY STALL: Thank you to everyone for your custom last year and so far at the start of this year. We have some nice cards for many different occasions such as Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation, Birthdays, Weddings and Mass cards and we also have quite a few new items that have been added onto the piety stall. Our prices are more affordable than other shops. **Fr. Albert**

SACRED HEART & BLESSED SACRAMENT LAMPS LIST: Please write the names of your loved ones on the Lists. A donation of £5.00 per slot. **Please write PAID when you have paid the amount. Fr. Albert**

St Patrick's School: Admissions PAN Consultation 2027/28

We are consulting on our planned admissions arrangements for pupils applying for places in the academic year beginning September 2027. The consultation will run for 6 weeks from 1st Dec. 2025 to 11th January 2026.

This consultation is taking place due to a decreased uptake of places. We have the following proposed changes to our arrangements: Reducing the Planned Admission Number from 40 to 30

We welcome your views on our proposed arrangements. We will also be happy to answer any questions that you may have. You can share your views or questions by completing this [form](#).

Please ensure that if you want to share your views you do so by Monday 12th January 2026. Arrangements will be published by 28th February 2026.

THANK YOU: To Bishop Ralph for celebrating Masses at St Catherine's and St Patrick's Churches this weekend

ANNUAL DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT: St Catherine's Church £ 7,714.00 St Patrick's Church £ 11,177.00
These amounts have now been paid. Thank you, dear parishioners, for your valuable support to St Catherine's and St Patrick's Parishes. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

TEAS & COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS at St Patrick's Church. This is organised by the SVP.
ALL ARE WELCOME. YOU MIGHT LIKE TO HAVE A WORD WITH BISHOP RALPH.

NO WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK:

COMING EVENTS:

St Catherine's Finance Committee Meeting: On Sunday 8 February after morning Mass

St Patrick's Parish Council Meeting: On Tuesday 17 Feb at 6pm in the Presbytery

St Catherine's now has an Instagram page: [St.CatherineofAlexandriaChurch](#)

Please follow for up-to-date news and information.