**March 17th 2024.  5th Sunday of Lent. Month of Devotion to St Joseph.**

**MASSES:**

**Sunday:** 8.30 & 10am. Tea and coffee after 10am Mass, everybody welcome.  Stations of the Cross & Benediction at 3pm.

**Monday:** 7.30pm.

**Tuesday:** 9.15am Monthly Mass at St Wilfrid’s Centre & 10am.

**Wednesday:** 10am. Toddler group 10.30am – 12.

**Thursday:** 12 noon followed by lunch in the Hall.

**Friday:** 10am.

**Saturday:**  10am & 6.30pm, first Mass for Sunday.  Confessions 10.30-11am and 5.30-6pm.

**Little Church** next Sunday at 10am Mass.

**Lenten Penitential Service:** Monday March 25th 7.30pm.

**Please pray for the Sick:** The Sick in Nether Edge Hospital, James Baker, Robert Baker, Robert Goodwin, Harry Bishop, Leanne Chesney, Eleanor Goring, Mary Alderson, Beverley Clayton, Nichola Martin, Des McCann, Nichola Ross, Steve Horn, Sally Riley, Isabel Bela, Rob Bradley, Elizabeth Coakley, Anya Crook, Jane Scott, John Kirk, Norman Jones, Christopher Gallagher, Christopher Browne, Jackie Davison, James O’Neill, Helen Carroll, William O’Connor, Nuala Jones, David Abratkiewicz, Xavier Sheraz, Krystyna Spyrka, Jemma Noel, Shaan Justin, Justin Dominic, Owen Jenkinson.

**Lately Dead:** James Durkan, Jo Heath, Philip McCauliffe, Victoria Abdy Hutchinson, Richard Mahon, Geoff Bywater.

**Anniversaries:** Lil Farret, Fr Gerry Burke.

**Masses Received:** Fred Sherwood (3), Int. of Fr. K (2), James Durkan, Richard Mahon, Private Int, Int. of David & Pat Wardle, Patricia Lintott.

**Offertory Collection:** Loose plate £700, Envelopes £447. Thank you.

You can also contribute by telephone/online banking:

Parish name: St Wilfreds&Mother of God Sheffield

Sort Code: 40 41 07 Account Number: 51 09 47 26 THANK YOU.

**Annual Diocesan Collection for Life:** Will be taken up after Communion at all Masses this weekend. Cheques made payable to Life.

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| **TOTE:** winning numbers were 3 & 15 with 1 winner receiving £32. You are welcome to join, 10p for 2 numbers between 1 and 30.  People that pay annually, I would be grateful if they could do so as soon as possible. |

**Hallam Bridge** - see the February online edition of Hallam Diocese news on <https://hallam-diocese.com/bridge/>. If you subscribe through the same link, you can receive the Hallam News directly.

**Join the Big Lent Walk for Cafod**

Sincere thanks for all your support. Now we invite **YOU**to join us on the 40th day of Lent, Palm Sunday, for a final ‘Parish Push’. Ask friends/family to sponsor you and on**Sunday 24th March @2.30pm** meet at the bottom of Archer Rd steps in Millhouses Park, to stroll, walk or jog at your own pace & as far as you like. And free cookies!  All details on CAFOD notice board. THANK YOU.

**Lent Course 2024 - Act on Poverty** Five weekly sessions continues on Thurs 21st March, at 7.30pm, in the Parish Room.

**Garment of Suffering** Please bring a piece of material (6ins x 6 ins) representing a suffering/ trial/ problem/ worry, and place it in the basket.

**All Saints Catholic High School:** Temporary Teacher of Music 0.6 fte  MPR / UPR

Required for 1 September 2024 to 31 August 2025 to cover a maternity leave

Please visit school website for an application pack [www.allsaints.sheffield.sch.uk/vacancies](http://www.allsaints.sheffield.sch.uk/vacancies)

**The Freedom Programme** is for women who are experiencing or have previously experienced domestic abuse, it is an 11-week programme delivered in an environment that is safe, caring and relaxed. It is taking place at;

**Carmel Care** **172 Dykes Hall Road, S64GS Starting Wed 3rd April** at 12-1.30pm.

To discuss the programme in confidence call Jacqui on 07309 858 955, email jacquinewhopecommunity@outlook.com or Janet at Caritas Hallam on 07927 657462 email jkent@hallam-diocese.com

**Credit Union 43rd AGM** will be held on Sun 7th April in the Parish Centre at 9.30am. All members are invited to attend, tea and coffee provided. Copies of the Notice to Members and nomination form for new members of the Management Committee are available in church porch. Completed forms to be placed in ballot box in porch from Sun 10th March. Closing date 7th April. There are two vacancies to serve on the Committee. Please considering volunteering for these important role to help ensure the future of the Credit Union.

**Furniture Store Quiz** on Sun 11th May in the Parish Hall, proceeds for the SVP Furniture Store, more details to follow soon.

**Society for the Protection of Unborn Children** believes in the sanctity of human life and strives to protect the child in the womb. It does this by garnering support in Parliament for a change in the law that will protect the child in the womb. If you would like to get involved the Sheffield Branch of SPUC will be holding quarterly meetings on 3rd Thurs of the relevant month 18th April at 7.30pm in the Parish room.

**Next months PUB LUNCH** will be at midday on Sunday 7th April at THE BROADFIELD, any easy walk from church.   If you wish to join us, please let me know on 07957897384 or at michael\_a\_steele@hotmail.com. Thank you.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** Fri 28th June – Thurs 4th July. Places still available. Booking forms available to download at [**www.hallam-lourdes.com**](http://www.hallam-lourdes.com/) . Enquiries 01302 247910 or 07724 650066. Fare £879pp - 6 nights Full Board.