

St Wilfrid and Mother of God Parish, Abbeydale Road, Sheffield

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April 12th 2026. Divine Mercy Sunday
Month of Devotion to the Blessed Sacrament

MASSES:

Sunday: 8.30 & 10am. Tea & coffee after 10am Mass, **Divine Mercy** starts with exposition at 2:30pm, Chaplet prayers at 3pm, followed by confessions, Rosary at 4pm, tea break and concludes by Mass at 5pm.

Monday: Mass 7:30pm

Tuesday: : Mass 10am

Wednesday: 10am

Thursday: 10am

Friday: 10:00am

Saturday: 10:00am, 6.30pm, first Mass for Sunday. Confessions 10:30-11, 5:30-6pm & on request.

Spiritual Reading for March: The Letter of St. Paul to the Galatians (Bible)

Lay Readers' Formation: A formation session has been scheduled for both current and new lectors (Readers) on Saturday, 18th April, beginning at 11:00 a.m. Directed by Pete Holland. All are encouraged to attend.

The Next **Baptism Preparation course** is on April 18th at 10am in the Parish Room. Please register with Father Michael.'

Please pray for the Sick: The Sick in Nether Edge Hospital, David Abratkiewicz, Xavier Sheraz, Jemma Noel, Shaan Justin, Justin Dominic, Beatrice Taylor, Tom Fenoughty, Bunty Stephen, Valerie Nnanwa, Jack Green, Karen Healy, & Ethna Walsh.

Anniversaries: Ken O'Hara, Terry Neal, Gerard Healy & Percy Steele

Masses Received: Rosie Lyons (6), Int. of the Norton Family & Betty Mullen,

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The next **PUB LUNCH** will be at The Robin Hood at noon on Sunday 12th April. If you wish to join us, please let me have your main meal choice in good time. Many thanks. michael_a_steele@hotmail.com or 07957897384.

W@MOG: Save the Date: Wed 13th May at 7pm a presentation by 'Africa's Gift' founder Ken Dunn MBE. A former Rotherham teacher, Ken was inspired by a chance opportunity to visit Lesotho, to establish the charity whose work is improving the health outcomes of thousands of people in rural Lesotho and beyond. A superb presentation about his work, along with crafts and cards, and light refreshments is being hosted by the women @ Mother of God and open to EVERYONE, including young adults. Ken's talk is inspiring and uplifting. Don't miss it!!

Charity Barn Dance: Come and have fun with Churches Together and a live band at St Oswald's Church on Saturday 25th April, supporting Christian Aid. Tickets from Jon Kay.

Leeds, Middlesbrough & Hallam Consultation 2026: I encourage the faithful within our dioceses to devote time and prayerful reflection upon these questions before offering a response, so that the Holy Spirit may guide us through this important process of consultation and discernment. To assist in this, prayer resources and a presentation have been made available below to help ensure that this period of reflection is fruitful. I kindly ask that responses be submitted through the online questionnaire no later than **Friday, 22nd May 2026**.

The link to questionnaire here: <https://forms.office.com/e/fDJRiRxJ25>
Bishop Marcus Stock. Full details on parish website.

Gratitude: This is to extend my gratitude and appreciation for your generosity and kindness during this season of Easter. May God reward you abundantly.

Fr. Peter Agboola: A very warm welcome to Fr. Peter, who will be resident and assists in the parish while undertaking his graduate study at the Sheffield Hallam University.

A message from Bob Lyons: "All Rosie's family and I are so grateful for all the kindness, the messages of sympathy and the celebrations of the Mass from our lovely parish community. I have asked Father Michael to offer a Mass for your intentions.