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The Month of May is devoted to Our Lady



**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
Sunday, 30 May 2011 Psalter Week 1**



Saturday

5.00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday

10.00 a.m. Sheila Fuller

Monday
VISITATION OF THE
BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

No Mass Dead List

Tuesday (Totley) St Justin, martyr

10.00 a.m.

Wednesday Ss Marcellinus & Peter, martyrs

10.00 a.m. Lucia Fojut

**Thursday Ss Charles Lwanga and
Companions, martyrs**

No Mass

Friday Our Lady of Doncaster

No Mass

Next week's Masses

CORPUS CHRISTI

Saturday

5.00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday

10.00 a.m. Zisimos Souflas

Please Pray for:

Our sick: Davis Hague, Mary & David Gage, Franco Anobele, Angela McKinney, David Hague, Pauline Souflas, Teddy Howes, Katie Glackin, Neville Garratt, Michael Goodfellow, Pauline Collins, Sheila Ryan, Marie Lennox, Rae Goodlad, Linda Costello, and Edward Keefe, Sr Emma Bechold,

And let us remember in our prayers Zisimos Souflas who is missing.

Weekly Offertories – If you would like to make a bank transfer for your weekly offering instead of the loose plate or your weekly envelope you may do so using the following details.

Sort Code: 40-41-07 Account Number: 01095153

Please put Offertory in the Reference box. Please include your name also if it is to replace your envelope or for gift aid.

Anyone wishing to set up a Standing Order, the account name you should use is: **Diocese of Hallam Woodseats RC Parish.**

Sunday Collections

Please remember, you can pay your weekly contributions directly into the parish account. The details are below. If you are paying by cheque and sending the money to the presbytery, please remember cheques **MUST** be made payable to:

'Woodseats R C Parish Account'. The bank will not accept any variation.

English Martyrs - Great News! English Martyrs has been cleaned, polished, and disinfected to within an inch of its life!! All required procedures have been put in place and following an inspection on Thursday from the diocesan Health & Safety Trustees we have been given permission to re-open. We will start with Tuesdays only, beginning 1st June at 10.00am, and then eventually go back to 5.00pm at Totley. There will be no need to book for Tuesdays but when 5.00pm starts you will need to book. However, there is a maximum of 30 people per Mass and **masks must be worn.**



Please be aware however the water has been switched off throughout the lockdown. This means that at the moment, you may not use the water or lavatory until all the system has been tested for legionella. This has been organised but not yet happened.

Thanks to everyone who has worked so hard for Totley to open.



Grass Cutting - On a different note, we need someone, or a team of people who is/are willing to cut the grass at Totley. It is in desperate need of doing now and then continually throughout the season. If you can help please contact Fr Stephen or Liz Mason at the presbytery.

For Communion Ministers, Readers and Welcomers: Given the possibility of all Covid restrictions being removed after 21st June and thus a return to normal Masses there is a need to produce a Ministers' Rota for the appropriate period (05/06/21 to 05/09/21). Those subscribing the Rota Unavailability Dates email will receive one. If you have not subscribed then please let the Parish Office know if you are unable to continue your Ministry or are not available for any of your normal Masses during the Rota Period. If you wish to subscribe then please send an email with the subject 'SUBSCRIBE' to 'olstsheffield.rota@btinternet.com' stating your Normal Mass time and Ministry/ Ministries. Thanks, Martin (Rota Programmer).



Thank you for your support for the Outreach Plant Sale at Totley. Any remaining plants may be found at OLST on the South Patio after Masses this weekend and donations for our Parish Outreach Partners will be very welcome.

Thought for our Futures Restoring our common home
We cannot leave the healing of our common home and the wellbeing and care of our brothers and sisters merely to a response from industry and governments. Our own local concern and action is necessary and has far-reaching consequences. We all have a part to play, each and every one of us, in the routines, choices and decisions of our everyday lives and our aspirations for the future. The actions of parishes, families, schools, and individuals will have a significant impact on our efforts to restore our common home. There are now many resources, freely available, to advise us on our choice of food, saving of water and electricity, suggestions about travel, waste, and re-use. These are measures that everyone can employ, in some degree, with minimal inconvenience and change. They are effective ways in which we can each reaffirm our personal vocation to be stewards of creation.

Extract from last Sunday's pastoral letter from the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales

Mass Intentions - Please do not be worried if a Mass intention you have requested has not yet been said. Most requests are for Sunday, and as there is only one a week it takes longer than usual to work through them. Hopefully we will be increasing the number of Masses in the not-to-distant future and the wait won't be so long!

Remember, you can still request a Mass intention by writing your name for whom the Mass is to be offered and placing any voluntary offering in an envelope.

If you notice anything on or around the church premises which has the potential to cause harm, please let the parish secretary know (preferably in writing) so that appropriate action can be taken promptly.

CAFOD NEWS

Good news Thanks to your support for their Campaigns, CAFOD has won the 'David & Goliath Award' at the Sheila McKechnie Foundation's National Campaigner Awards after the campaign succeeded in calling for the government to change its policy about funding fossil fuel projects overseas ahead of the COP26 climate talks the UK is hosting in November.

Invitation to Cornwall...online. Pope Francis has warned that people in the world's poorest communities are too often forgotten by decision makers - so we need to tell the G7 leaders meeting there that they have to plan for a global recovery which leaves no one behind. Join in an act of witness from your laptop, tablet or phone at an event on **Thursday 10 June at 7:00pm** which will be livestreamed from Truro Cathedral.

We'll hear from leaders of different faiths and from communities CAFOD works with overseas, reflecting on the impact the pandemic has had on our lives and on our sisters and brothers worldwide.

And we'll send a digital message to the presidents and prime ministers ahead of the start of their meeting the next day.

Volunteers Month 2021: This year CAFOD is extending Volunteers Week to a full month with a host of events planned to celebrate you and all volunteers' achievements. Starting with:

Thursday 3rd June, 7pm-8pm: Mini workshop- how to take great photos

o Watch on catch up on Friday 4th June 12pm-1pm

· **Tuesday 8th June, 7pm-8pm: Fairtrade and climate change-** how is it linked? With Fairtrade Foundation Campaign Manager Adam Gardner and a chance to win Fairtrade goodies?

o Watch on catch up on Thursday 10th June 12pm-1pm.

· **Sunday 13th June Climate Sunday Mass with Bishop John Arnold**

For details check the Cathedral website: <http://www.salfordcathedral.co.uk/>

[Register to the Series](#) for more details.

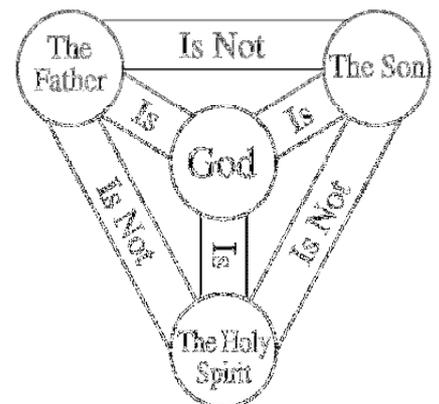
Anxious about your marriage? Wondering if you would be better apart? The Retrouvaille programme offers the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. There is no group therapy or group work. And you don't need to leave home, it comes to you!

For confidential information about Retrouvaille or to register for the programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on 1st - 4th July 2021

call or text 0788 7296983/0797 3380443 or email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk.

SPUC Pro-Life Chain: Sheffield SPUC is organising its annual pro-life silent witness on Meadowhall Way, Meadowhall (just off the roundabout opposite TGI Friday diner and past Next Home) on Saturday 5th June 11-1. Last year's event had to be cancelled due to lockdown, so it would be good to get a good number participating. Contact 07815820052 for further information.

Vacancies - There are various school vacancies throughout the diocese, both teaching and non-teaching. Please go the Diocese of Hallam website for further details.



Thought for the Week

Knowledge of human frailty must inspire us to sympathy, comfort and encouragement for our neighbour.

But we must not use it to excuse ourselves.

Saint John XXIII (1881 -1963)

This Week's Readings The Most Holy Trinity

First Reading:

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

Responsorial Psalm: 32

Second Reading: *Romans 8:14-17*

Gospel: *Matthew 28:16-20*

Next Week's Readings CORPUS CHRISTI

First Reading: *Exodus 24:3-8*

Responsorial Psalm: 115

Second Reading: *Hebrews 9:11-15*

Gospel: *Mark 14:12-16, 22-26*

Months out of order by Lisle Ryder

This was the year when April was May,
dry with bright skies almost every day
and lunch al fresco under sun's ray,
cherry and plum blossom on display.

May felt like March much to my dismay
with frosts at night. Then branches did sway
in the wind and rain under skies grey,
yet tulips stood up looking so gay.

Soon it will be June so now I pray
summer please come without more delay.
With veg to plant out at home I'll stay
just to make sure they are all OK.

Intercessions for Trinity Sunday

Father, through your Holy Spirit you gave Christ your Son to us in the flesh, so that we might have life through him. Filled now with that life, we raise our hearts in praise of the Holy Trinity, saying:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Father almighty, eternal God, in the name of your Son send your Holy Spirit upon the Church: may the Comforter preserve us in unity, harmony and the fullness of truth.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Lord, send your labourers into the harvest to teach all nations and baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit: strengthen them all in the faith.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Lord, support all those who suffer persecution on account of their faith in your Son: give them the Spirit of truth who will, according to his promise, speak through them.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Father almighty, all acknowledge that you, the Word and the Spirit are one: as we believe in one God, so may we hope in you and love you.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Father of the living, bring those who have died to share your glory: with your Son and the Holy Spirit may they be eternally with you in heaven.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Prayer for Trinity Sunday

God our Father, who by sending into the world the Word of truth and the Spirit of sanctification made known to the human race your wondrous mystery, grant us, we pray, that in professing the true faith, we may acknowledge the Trinity of eternal glory and adore your Unity, powerful in majesty.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Saying for the Week!

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***One must not only
preach a sermon
with his voice,
he must preach it with
his life.***

GROANERVIRUS!

- ◆ What is a physicist's favourite food? Fission Chips.
- ◆ I wrote a book about my basement. It was a best seller.
- ◆ Tunnel engineering. What a boring job.
- ◆ I fired my cleaner. I'm glad that's done and dusted.
- ◆ Chains of coral islands. I know nothing at all about them.
- ◆ The keyboard player had an electric shock. Was it organ failure?
- ◆ I got a job as a puppeteer just by pulling a few strings.

Breaking News. The Yorkshire variant has been isolated.

