## Parish of St Anthony and Our Lady of Mercy Beverley High Road, HU6 7JJ

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Sunday THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

5th November 10.00 am: Mass

Monday Feria 6th November No Mass

Tuesday Feria (St Willibrord)

7th November 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass

Wednesday Feria

8th November 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass

Thursday DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

9th November 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass

Friday St Leo the Great

10th November 8.30 am: Adoration 9.30 am: Mass

Saturday St Martin of Tours

11th November 9.00 am: Rosary 9.30 am: Mass

Sunday THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

12th November Remembrance Sunday

10.00 am: Mass

**Confessions** are available before and after Mass, or on request.

**Please pray for:** Lily Newmarch, Fr Norman Jacobson, Esther Sharp, the father of Fr Antony and Elizabeth Tennick whose anniversaries occur during the coming week.

## **Notices**

#### **November - Month of Remembrance**

November is the month when, by tradition, we remember and pray for our loved ones who have gone before us and whose loss we feel. It is a time when we are particularly conscious of those in our parishes who are grieving and all those families who have lost loved ones in the past year.

This year, we remember especially those who have died during the war between Israel and Palestine.

We pray for confidence in the loving mercy of God, for faith in the Resurrection to new life, and the hope of being reunited in God's kingdom.

#### **November Envelopes for Mass Intentions**

The envelopes are now available in the porch. Please PRINT the names of your deceased family and friends, who you would like to be remembered in Masses during the week at St Anthony's, on it (or on a piece of paper and put it in the envelope) together with your Mass Offering

Our Book of Remembrance is near the Lady Chapel, please check the names already there and if there are any other names that you would like including, please PRINT them on the sheet provided and the Book will be updated for next week.

#### Mass for the Bereaved

Our annual Mass for the Bereaved will be on Wednesday 15th November at 7.00 pm. During the Mass there will be an opportunity for everyone who wishes to place a token in remembrance of their loved one, or ones, on the 'tree'.

#### **SVP Christmas Gifts**

The SVP is collecting Christmas gifts for primary school age children this year, aged from three to 11. Gifts should cost around £5.00, and be labelled with the age and sex for whom the gift is intended. Gifts can be brought to church any Sunday until Sunday 10th December.

#### **Christmas Parish Raffle**

There will be a Christmas Raffle again this year, so Jean Daintith would be very grateful for donations of prizes, please. Proceeds will go towards parish funds.

#### **St Anthony's Youth Music**

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th November in the church, at approximately 7.00pm after the First Communion meeting, finishing at 8.00 pm in the church.

#### **CAFOD Afternoon Charity Fun Quiz**

At Sacred Heart Church Parish Hall on Sunday 19th November from 1.30 pm - 4.00 pm. Tickets: £3.00, light refreshments. All proceeds for CAFOD. Contact: Eileen France, tel. 705855.

#### **Hull Prayer and Friendship Group**

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th November at Holy Cross (Garden Room) Cottingham, after their 10.00 am Mass. All welcome.

#### Day of Prayer and Reflection at St Mary's Cathedral

An opportunity to explore how we can continue to respond to Pope Francis' call for us to journey together and reshape the Church of the Future on Saturday 11th November. Tea and Coffee at 10.00 am, so that we can start promptly at 10.30 am.

Fr Chris Hughes, a Parish Priest of Hexham and Newcastle Diocese will lead us through the day, which will end at 3.30 pm.

All you need to do is come along with a packed lunch. All are welcome!

Book a place by emailing: adultformation@rcdmidd.org.uk

#### 'Slavery - Then and Now'

A Christians Aware day with Richard Reddie, on Saturday 18th November at St Clement's Church, Scarcroft Road, York, YO23 1NE. 11.00 am to 4.00 pm, including coffee on arrival, the talk plus Q and A; lunch is provided, time for group discussion and finishing with a celebration of the Eucharist. The day will consider this continuing blight on our world and on all humanity. Tickets: £10 each are available from:

Martin.slater3@btopenworld.com

#### St Anthony's Annual Parish Christmas Card 2023

For the last 21 years we have created a card for all the parish with a picture on the front drawn by a Primary School age child in our parish. The proceeds, over £300 each year, have been donated to a Christian Charity working in the Holy Land and currently we send donations to 'Embrace the Middle East'. Matas Domarkas will create a card on folded A4 paper, with greetings from all parishioners taking part on the inside.

#### Picture for the front of the Church Christmas Card

- Primary School age, in St Anthony's Parish
- Use PLAIN WHITE PAPER, A4 size.
- A simple picture of something from the Nativity account, which is the real meaning of Christmas. No words needed.
- Any background colouring to be light shade (so good contrast).
- Remember that the picture on the card will be reduced in size to A6 (quarter of A4 in size) so needs to be clearly visible when small.
- NO glitter or shiny bits.
- Print your name on the back & place it in box at the back of church by start of Mass on 19th November.
- Parents please encourage your children to take part especially something to do over half term.
- The winning entry will be announced on Sunday 26th November.

#### Sign-up sheet

- The sheet to sign is in the porch.
- Names only, NO message (as insufficient space for individual messages).
- Sign IN BLACK INK putting the <u>family/individual name(s)</u> as they want them to appear on the card.
- Please write ON the red lines only (they are of different lengths for longer & shorter entries) as that helps scanning in the names.
- There is only limited space on the card, so it is a "first come first served basis"
- Last day for signing-up is START OF MASS on 26th November.
- Cards available from mid-December, (one per signed-up household)

#### **Online Seminar with Sherry Weddell**

The Diocese of Portsmouth, in collaboration with the Bishops' Conference Department for Evangelisation, has organised an online seminar led by Sherry Weddell, best-selling author, lecturer and evangelist from "The Catherine of Siena Institute". The title of the seminar is "Engaging the Disengaged: How to Accompany Non-Religious Persons in Daily Life". It takes place on Tuesday 21st November 2023 from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm. This seminar will be of special interest to all those in parishes and dioceses who are actively engaged in evangelisation and catechesis - clergy, catechists, Catholic teachers, lay ministers, parish groups etc.

Tickets cost £10. For more details please search online for:

"Eventbrite Engaging the Disengaged"

#### **Hospital Chaplain**

If you, or someone you know, is in hospital and would like a visit from the Chaplain, please contact Deacon Bob directly on 470456.

### **Prayer for Peace in the Middle East**

"They will hammer their swords into ploughshares and their spears into sickles.

Nation will not lift sword against nation,
no longer will they learn how to make war."

Isaiah 2:4

God of peace, bearer of hope, we seek your help for the people of the Middle East.

Quiet the clamour of war and guide us towards peace.

Where there is hatred and division sow seeds of calm and openness.

Where there is destruction help us to rebuild.

Where children are crying bring an end to tears.

Shelter your peoples and protect them, guide them and keep them from harm.

Show us how to break down the barriers of history and fear and breathe whispers of hope.

Amen. *Linda Jones/CAFOD* 

## Prayer for those in Turkey and Syria affected by earthquakes

God of Mercy,
we pray for the people of Turkey and Syria
following the recent earthquakes.
We mourn the death and destruction,
and pray for those who have died and those who grieve.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.

We hold in our hearts those who are injured, and those who have lost loved ones, livelihoods and homes. Sustain and guide all responding to this disaster. Grant those affected courage and resilience as they rebuild their lives and communities.

Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.

Inspire us to unite in solidarity,
acting swiftly and generously,
so that help may reach all who need it.

Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.
Amen.

# Prayer for those affected by the Pakistan Floods

O Lord, in the goodness of your constant love, be with the people of Pakistan as they face devastating floods.

At this time of great loss – loss of lives, homes and crops – may we be filled with your compassion and moved to reach out in love.

As we stand alongside our sisters and brothers, we pray that they may find consolation in their sorrow, strength as they seek shelter and safety and courage to carry on.

Forgive us, O Lord, for our part in the climate crisis, and inspire us all to play our part in protecting the earth, our common home.

So that together we may build a world that reflects your glory, where hope drives out despair and all things are made new.

## Prayer for Ukraine

(Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Church)

God of peace,
your prophet Isaiah promised swords
would be turned into ploughshares,
and your Son's mother Mary
proclaimed the mighty would be put down
and the humble exalted.

Visit the people of Ukraine: deliver them from fear, violence, attack,

injury, destruction and death; and give them courage, solidarity, and allies in their hour of vulnerability and sorrow.

Turn the hearts of those bent on war and invasion. Strengthen the hand of all seeking to halt conflict, restore order, and pursue justice.

And make this moment of peril an occasion for your Holy Spirit to show your world the cost of conflict, and our dependence on one another.

In Christ our Lord who went to his death
because of our hatred,
and rose again
because our hatred is never stronger
than your indomitable love.
Amen.

Prayer sent by Missio