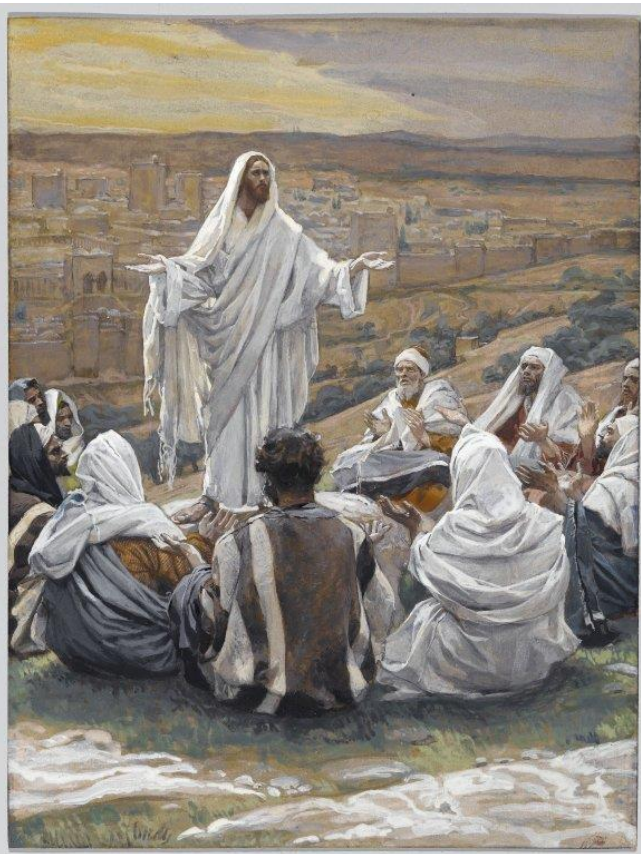


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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

24 July 2022

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Please remember in your prayers all the sick and housebound, especially: Sonia Prince, Fr Michael O'Connor, Ecaterina, Sheila Armstrong, Reece Wilson, Jason Barron, Liz Moran, Elizabeth Dodson, Pat Collett, Eunice Mannion, Madge Wolstenholme, Sue & Frank Rodgers, Andy Mitchell, Eileen Valance, Marie Montgomery, John Carroll, Lol Hodges, Rita & Vin Todd, Georgina Shirt, Maria Tarnowski, Elizabeth Barron, Martin Humphreys, Susan De Couto, Jacqueline Wagland, Sr. Teresa Paschal, Tom Bryant. *If you would like anyone included on this list, and the individual concerned or a family member has consented to it, simply write the person's name down and hand it in. Thank you.*

The diocesan Gift Aided Offertory Donations Thank-You Letter for the tax year ending, April 2022 are available to collect from the back of church. Gift Aid makes a significant contribution to our income and, if you are a taxpayer who does not use the scheme but would like to know more, then please contact Fr M. Thank you for your support.

Children's Liturgy at Mass: It is hoped that this important aspect of helping children to participate in their own Liturgy of the Word will resume again in September. Experience has taught us that it is particularly helpful in preparing young children in the years **prior to** their First Holy Communion year, especially in Years 1 and 2. If you would be interested in helping in any way then please speak with Fr. M.

Caritas Counselling Service: An opportunity has arisen to join the team of counsellors working across schools and parishes within our diocese. If you are a qualified counsellor and are interested in finding out more, please contact Bernie Ware, tel. 07980 406198, or bware@hallam-diocese.com

Volunteers Needed for Carmel Care: 'Do you have 2 hours a week to spare, would you like to support our community at the Carmel Care Centre? We are seeking committed and caring individuals to support our activity sessions on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. We are particularly interested in hearing from those who have a skill or interest to share with others, for example any kind of creative arts, music or baking?' If you are interested and would like to find out more please contact Janet Kent on 07927 657462 or email Janet at jkent@hallam-diocese.com. The centre is based at 172 Dykes Hall Rd, Sheffield S6 4GS.

The annual **March for Life UK** will take place in London on Saturday, 3 September. Full details can be found at marchforlife.co.uk If you are interested in attending this event please contact Rachel on 07368 297872.

Caritas Hallam Report 2022: Caritas Diocese of Hallam (formerly known as Hallam Caring Services) is part of the worldwide network of organisations in the Catholic Church putting into action the social teaching of the Church to reach out to those in need and to build a world based on justice and love. Periodically, they aim to produce a report to highlight the work of Caritas Hallam that features articles to show the fantastic work of some of our young people within the Diocese, together with details of projects that help the most vulnerable in our society. Due to Covid, the usual report was delayed and has been incorporated into the current report: Caritas-Report-2022.pdf (hallam-diocese.com)

A Tour of the Relics of St Bernadette: In September and October this year, the relics of St Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to England, Scotland, and Wales for the very first time. Bishop Heskett has written; *“For our diocese, the relics will arrive at St. Marie’s Cathedral at 6.00pm on Tuesday, 4 October, and then move to St. Peter-in-Chains, Doncaster around lunchtime on Wednesday, 5 October, until 6.00pm. There will be the opportunity for veneration of the relics, Masses and liturgies in both churches. This pilgrimage of St. Bernadette’s relics offers us a welcome opportunity to bear active witness to our Faith and to remind us of the special significance of Lourdes as a place of pilgrimage and of love, where people of all ages serve and care for the sick and the most vulnerable in our society. Hopefully people around the diocese will take up this opportunity.”* You can find details of events across the country at: www.cbcew.org.uk/st-bernadette-relic-tour-2022

A prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly

I thank You, Lord,
for the comfort of Your presence: even in times of loneliness,
You are my hope and my confidence,
You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!
I thank You for having given me a family
and for having blessed me with a long life.
I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty,
for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for
those that are still ahead of me.
I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You call me.
Increase, O Lord, my faith,
make me a channel of your peace,
teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me,
to never stop dreaming
and to tell of your wonders to new generations.
Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church,
that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth.
Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world,
that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed,
the poor consoled and wars ended.
Sustain me in weakness
and help me to live life to the full
in each moment that You give me,
in the certainty that you are with me every day,
even until the end of the age. Amen.

The Sacred Liturgy

Sunday 24 July <i>16th Sunday</i> <i>in Ordinary Time</i>	8.45am For the People 10.00am Arthur Pidcock
Monday 25 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	<u>9.30am</u> In Thanksgiving (TL)
Tuesday 26 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	10.00am Ray Brolly
Wednesday 27 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	November Memorial List
Thursday 28 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	10.00am Sheila Habershon
Friday 29 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i>	10.00am Leanne Wainwright
Saturday 30 July <i>Ordinary Time weekday</i> <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i>	5.00pm Jim Foley
Sunday 31 July <i>16th Sunday</i> <i>in Ordinary Time</i>	8.45am Jeff Mason 10.00am For the People

This week St Joseph's Sanctuary Lamp burns for:

St Joseph's School Community

This week St Charles' Sanctuary Lamp burns for:

Safe journeys and holidays

**Please pray for Sheila Armstrong & John de Rouffignac *RIP*,
 for all who have died recently & for those whose anniversaries occur
 at this time.**

Last week's collection was £629.08 (£359.00 in offertory envelopes, £270.08 in loose). Thank you.

Copies of the **next church cleaning rota** are now available to collect.
 Many thanks to all our dedicated cleaners!