

PARISH OF BLESSED EDMUND SYKES  
Two Churches: St. Nicholas & Our Lady of Good Counsel  
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**SUNDAY MASSES**

Saturday St. Nicholas 6.00pm Bill Hart  
Sunday St. Nicholas 9.30am Nicholas Glancy  
Our Lady's 11.00am People of the Parish  
Retiring collection for Poor Missions Fund

**DURING THE WEEK**

Monday St. Nicholas 9.00am Mary Whitelow  
The Baptism of the Lord  
Tuesday Our Lady's 9.00am Donor's Intention  
Wednesday St. Nicholas **8.30am** Clarissa Walsh  
9.30am Funeral Service for  
Thomas Robertshaw R.I.P.  
Thursday Our Lady's 9.00am Sister Sebastian  
St. Aelred of Rievaulx - Abbot  
Friday St. Nicholas 9.00am Margaret McMahon  
Saturday No morning Mass  
Confessions 5.00 to 5.45pm and at other times by request  
Vigil Mass St. Nicholas 6.00pm Daniel Family

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION LAST WEEK**

St. Nicholas & Our Lady's £1080.76  
Thank you for your generosity

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEXT WEEK**

6.00pm J. Storey, M. Coolican  
9.30am T. Burton, K. Murphy, S. Gibbons  
11.00am J. Lumley, T. Curry, M. O'Toole

**READERS**

6.00pm E. Clarke  
9.30am S. Perkins  
11.00am D. Graves, H. Bryson



**TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE EPIPHANY** and recall the manifestation of God on earth in the person of Christ: first as a baby to whom the wise men from the East were drawn by a shining star; later as a mature man, who would draw people to himself. 'We are all meant to shine, as children do. We are born to manifest the glory of God that is within us' (Marianne Williamson). How can we, too 'let our light shine' and thus manifest the glory of God? We can find the answer in the prayer of Blessed John Henry Newman: 'God has created me to do him some definite service. He has committed some work for me which he has not committed to another. I shall do good. I shall do his work. I shall be an angel of peace, a preacher of truth in my own place - while not intending it - if I do but keep his commandments and serve him in my calling. Therefore I will trust him'.

**STUDENT FOR THE PRIESTHOOD** - Jonathan Byfield who is in his first year at St. Mary's College, Oscott, after doing a year at the English College in Valladolid. He will be staying with us in the parish for pastoral experience for three weeks. We hope he will be very happy and we welcome him to our parish of Blessed Edmund Sykes.

**LOURDES COFFEE EVENT** - Saturday/Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> March. More details later.

**THE OFFERINGS AT THE CRIB** this year are for the Baby Feeding Centre in the Sudan.

**RECYCLE FOR ST. GEMMA'S** - St. Gemma's Hospice are able to raise valuable funds towards patient care through recycling: Unwanted and broken mobile phones: Unused printer cartridges: Used postage stamps: Foreign and old coins: Simply drop your unwanted items off at the Hospice or at one of our St. Gemma's Shops across Leeds.

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK** - **Lately Dead:** Philomena Heffernan X7; Thomas Irish, Edward Hughes, Mary Naylor (Nee Pitts); **Also for:** Donor's Intentions.

**Anniversaries:** Bridget Reddihoff,

**300 CLUB** - £20 64 A. Byrne: £10 37 W. Homer: £5 143 L. Roche: £5 350 R. Mungur

Thought for the week  
It is chance that makes brothers,  
but hearts that makes friends.

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