

# Diocesan Events.

**SYNODAL PROCESS:** Further information is on the diocesan website at [www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/from-parish-to-mission-your-guide-to-shaping-faith-in-our-future/](http://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/from-parish-to-mission-your-guide-to-shaping-faith-in-our-future/)

**OUR FATHERS OF FAITH (Volumes 3 & 4).** A collection of biographical sketches of over 200 priests who served the Diocese of Leeds (c.1915 – 1939) is now available. The two volumes (totalling over 600 pages) are available from Fr. Nicholas Hird at the cost price of £25 (for the 2 volumes) on 01274 – 872984 or [nicholas.hird@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:nicholas.hird@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**AT SEA: AWAITING ORDERS:** A book by Fr. Colum Kelly. Fr Colum draws us into the lives of those seafarers, details how freight ships are the lifeblood of industry, and illustrates the hugely important role played by the priests, chaplains and lay visitors of Stella Maris. His humour and kindness - and his keen sense of the whimsical - will keep you reading, and will leave you with a smile on your face. Learn more about the hidden world of shipping today! With foreword by Rose George, author of Ninety Percent of Everything. Available on Amazon.

**FROM VENERABLE TO VULNERABLE:** Thoughts, memories and reflections written by Fr Gerald Creasey during first months of the Covid-19 pandemic. This is available to read or download via the Diocesan website at <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/fromvenerable-to-vulnerable-a-60-year-journey/>

**CATHOLIC CARE VACANCIES:** Vacancies across the Diocese, Experienced PA (temporary) for heads of adult care and children and families, Outreach Support Workers in adult care, Care Bank Support Workers in adult care and for Children and young people, Senior Support Workers in adult care, Residential Child Care Workers, Waking night support worker in adult care, cleaner. Details of Catholic Care Graduate Programme (September 2022 start) available on website. Flexible working hours available. For an Application form or more information visit [www.catholic-care.org.uk](http://www.catholic-care.org.uk) or call 0113 388 5400.

**SCHOOL VACANCIES:**

Cardinal Heenan Catholic High School. Learning Mentor to start in September. Fixed term contract for 2 years. Closing Date: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 9am.

**WELCOMING UKRAINIAN REFUGEE FAMILIES:** (As an acknowledged Principle Sponsor by the Home Office, Catholic Care have the expertise to support the Welcome of Ukrainian Refugees and are working hard to do so. This is a very fast moving situation) please keep up to date through our website [www.catholic-care.org.uk](http://www.catholic-care.org.uk). If you are interested in welcoming refugees please contact [sue.parsons@catholic-care.org.uk](mailto:sue.parsons@catholic-care.org.uk) to register your interest and for further information.

**REVELATION:** The Youth Service's monthly youth event for young people in Years 8-13 takes place at Hinsley Hall from 5:30-7:30pm. These include an evening of prayer, music, games, fellowship and more. For further information, email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

**VOCATIONS SERVICE HOLY HOUR:** There will be Adoration on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2022. Back to normal in July on the last Wednesday of every month. All welcome, whether exploring your own relationship with Jesus, or simply to pray for vocations. Hinsley Hall 7pm-8pm. Bar open afterwards for informal chat with Vocations Service.

**HOW TO READ THE GOSPELS:** This short course prepared by the Vicariate for Education is an introduction to the gospel texts, their origins, and their shared and distinctive qualities. For use by individuals or parish groups, it can be found at: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/education/our-faith/learning-about-our-faith/resources-2/how-to-read-the-gospels/>

The full range of Resources can be found at: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/education/our-faith/learning-about-our-faith/resources-2/>

**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF UNFAILING HELP:** 18<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> June, Leeds Cathedral, Mondays – Fridays at 6.15pm; Saturdays and Sundays at 5.00pm.

**DIOCESAN CHOIR FESTIVALS:** The Diocese of Leeds Music Department's annual choir festivals return to Leeds Cathedral this year, with both occasions featuring over 100 young singers from across the Diocese. Boys Choir Festival: 26 June 2022, 2.30 pm. For more information, please contact [office@dioceseofleedsmusic.org.uk](mailto:office@dioceseofleedsmusic.org.uk)

**LOURDES 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> JULY:** Live feed for some Masses and Services. For pilgrims who are not able to attend this year, please see the diocese of Leeds website, follow the link for Lourdes, and information about the live feeds where pilgrims at home can take part in the services. <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/pilgrimages/>

**ROXANNA PANUFNIK 'IN CONVERSATION':** World-renowned composer Roxanna Panufnik is joining us for an 'in conversation' event on 5 July 2022. Concert at 6.30 pm in the Cathedral, followed by an interview with Roxanna at 7 pm in Wheeler Hall, hosted by Philip Moore. Admission is free, and there is no need to reserve a place.

**SAMUEL GROUP:** The Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal are running an 8 month programme for those aged 18-40 to go deeper in their prayer life and formation on discerning God's voice in their life. Applications open on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July and close on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

**ANNUAL MASS AT FOUNTAINS ABBEY:** Feast of St Benedict, Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July, at 12 noon. All welcome.

**FLAME:** The largest Catholic youth event in England and Wales is back! Join thousands of young people for a day of music, prayer, worship, talks from great speakers and much more at Wembley Arena in London. Tickets are £60 per person (including return coach travel). Email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to book yours!

**LIFE TRANSFIGURED SERIES:** Our next event will be at Wheeler Hall, Leeds Cathedral on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July, 7-8pm. Oxford Philosopher Professor Mark Wynn will explore "Aesthetic experience in the Christian life". For more information and to register, email: [henry.longbottom@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:henry.longbottom@dioceseofleeds.org.uk).

**YORKSHIRE LAY DOMINICANS:** Lay Dominicans are lay people, married and single, who commit themselves to lives based around prayer, study, community and preaching. For more details see <http://laydominicans.org.uk/about-us/> If you are interested in being part of a Lay Dominican group in Yorkshire, please contact Simon Hewitt at [s.hewitt@leeds.ac.uk](mailto:s.hewitt@leeds.ac.uk).

**WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023:** Aged 16-30? You're invited to join the Diocese of Leeds Youth Service in Lisbon, Portugal from 31<sup>st</sup> July – 7<sup>th</sup> August 2023 for World Youth Day, a week-long youth festival with Pope Francis and young people from across the world! Cost: £1200, which includes accommodation, travel, WYD package and more! Email [youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:youth@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) to apply!

**EVENTS AT THE BRIERY:**

**LEADERS OF CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:** A day for both new and experienced leaders, Saturday 2 July 2022, 10am-4pm.

**DAY FOR CATECHISTS:** Saturday 9 July 2022, 10am-4pm. An opportunity for prayer, reflection discussion and exploring the guidelines and the principles of Children's Liturgy of the Word and Catechesis, sharing ideas, good practice and resources. Please book either, or both, events directly with The Briery: [briery@btconnect.com](mailto:briery@btconnect.com). Suggested offering: £37, including lunch.

**BRIERY ONLINE ZOOM MEDITATIONS** on Thursdays from 7.30pm to 8.15pm. We open at 7.15pm for a chat and start promptly at 7.30pm. It is a simple format of praying with the Sunday Mass Readings and sharing in small groups.

Zoom Meeting  
Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82009483498?pwd=OUMraDBqUy9YRmxseHdVekpyWlVvQT09> Meeting ID: 820 0948 3498 Passcode: 421659

**HINSLEY HALL** is available for meetings, conferences, function, receptions and overnight stays. Please see website for more details: [www.hinsley-hall.co.uk](http://www.hinsley-hall.co.uk).



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Parish Groups, Families & Individuals may all arrange their pilgrimage to Walsingham through the shrine's Travel Bureau who will:

Work with you to arrange your entire pilgrimage, book transport, meals & accommodation & spare you the headache of handling the finances for groups. Organise excursions to local places of religious or historical significance, or arrange a trip to enjoy the many attractions along the beautiful Norfolk coast

Please contact The Catholic National Shrine, Pilgrim Bureau, Friday Market Place, Walsingham, Norfolk NR22 6EG or Telephone 01328 – 820217 or visit: [www.walsingham.org.uk](http://www.walsingham.org.uk)



**ST PAUL'S BOOKSHOP, HINSLEY HALL:** If you wish to discuss your requirements, do contact us on 0113 275 4043 or by email at [hinsleyhall@stpauls.org.uk](mailto:hinsleyhall@stpauls.org.uk)

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