



**St Catherine's & St Patricks Churches**  
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 9th January 2022; The Baptism of the Lord



<b>Saturday</b>	8th	5.00pm	Annamma Thomas	
<b>Sunday</b>	9th	9.00am 11.00am	Marie Savaille Elizabeth & James Wild Family	<b>The Baptism of the Lord</b>
<b>Monday</b>	10th	9.30am	Mary Patrick Butler	Weekday
<b>Tuesday</b>	11th	<b>12.30pm</b>	<b>Requiem Margaret Gallagher</b>	<b>St Patrick's</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	12th	9.30am	Gorman Kamsika families	Weekday
<b>Thursday</b>	13th	9.30am	Daniel Grant	Weekday
<b>Friday</b>	14th	<b>12.30pm</b>	<b>Requiem Peter Lamb</b>	<b>St Catherine's</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	15th	5.00pm	Murphy family	
<b>Sunday</b>	16th	9.00am 11.00am	Stella McAssey Molly O'Connell	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary time</b>

**BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Shackleton Family (St Catherine's)

Jerri Bell & Family (St Patrick's)

**SACRED HEART LAMP:** O'Brien Family (St Catherine's)

John Lennon (St Patrick's)

**SICK:**

Bishop Joe; Fr. Frank Flynn; Tony Mason Alan Fonseca; Mary Sutherland; Sr. Nativity; Kath Lees; Ruthlyn King. Michael Mc Donagh; Terry Maloney; Jack Readman; Susan Thomas; Manuel Gomes; Jemina Vaz; Joan Ojezyk; Margaret & John Whitehead; Christopher Browne; Herbert Gorman; David Maluzi; Delicia Rose. Daniel Mae De Deus; David Fernandes; Alfred Alexis; Eileen McKermitt; Fiona Tarpey; Sr. Archana Toppo.

**LATELY DEAD:**

Ivan DeCouto; Betson Mapesa;

**FUNERALS:**

St Cath's. 17th Jan Jean Pashley 12.30. & 21st Jan Ivan DeCouto 9am. St Pat's 27th Jan Merlin Roche 11am

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Marie Savaille; Molly O'Connell; Winifred Shackleton; John Dowling; Thomas McHugh; Kathleen Baxter Martin D'Arcy; Peggie Coonan; Paddy Hague; Margaret Clarke; Margaret Neale; Margaret Thorpe. .

**Liturgy 9th January 2022; The Baptism of the Lord**

**Entrance Antiphon:**

After the Lord was baptised, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.

**Collect:** Almighty ever-living God, who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children by adoption, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

**First Reading: A reading from the prophet Isaiah 42: 1-4. 6-7**

*Here is my servant in whom my soul delights.*

Thus says the Lord:

Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom my soul delights.

I have endowed him with my spirit that he may bring true justice to the nations.

He does not cry out or shout aloud, or make his voice heard in the streets.

He does not break the crushed reed, nor quench the wavering flame.

Faithfully he brings true justice; he will neither waver, nor be crushed

Until true justice is established on earth, for the islands are awaiting his law.

I, the Lord, have called you to serve the cause of right; I have taken you by the hand and formed you; I have

appointed you as covenant of the people and light of the nations, to open the eyes of the blind, to free captives from prison, and those who live in darkness from the dungeon

**The Word of the Lord.**

**RESPONSE:**

**Ps 28: 1-4. 9-10 R/ v.11**

**The Lord will bless his people with peace.**

O give the Lord you sons of God, give the Lord glory and power;

Give the Lord the glory of his name. Adore the Lord in his holy court. **R.**

The Lord's voice resounding on the waters, the Lord on the immensity of waters;  
The voice of the Lord, full of power, the voice of the Lord, full of splendour. **R.**  
The God of glory thunders. In his temple they all cry: 'Glory!'  
The Lord sat enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits as king for ever. **R.**

**Second Reading: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 10: 34-38.**

*God anointed him with the Holy Spirit.*

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him. 'It is true, God sent his word to the people of Israel, and it was to them that the good news of peace was brought by Jesus Christ – but Jesus Christ is Lord of all men. You must have heard about recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil.'

**The Word of Lord**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia! Alleluia!

The heavens opened and the Father's voice resounded: 'This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.' Alleluia!

**GOSPEL: Luke 3: 15-16. 21-22.**

*While Jesus after his own baptism was at prayer, heaven opened.*

A feeling of expectancy had grown among the people, who were beginning to think that John might be the Christ, so John declared before them all, 'I baptise you with water, but someone is coming, someone who is more powerful than I am, and I am not fit to undo the strap of his sandals; he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.'

Now when all the people had been baptised and while Jesus after his own baptism was at prayer, heaven opened and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily shape, like a dove. And a voice came from heaven. 'You are my Son, the Beloved; may favour rest on you.'

**The Gospel of the Lord.**

**ACCLAMATION:** We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God.

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Nourished with these sacred gifts, we humbly entreat your mercy, O Lord, that, faithfully listening to your Only Begotten Son, we may be your children in name and in truth. Through Christ our Lord.

**PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD:**

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of you, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

**Last Week's Collection:** St Catherine's £350.54 St Patrick's £325.59 Thank you very much.

**2022 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Friday 24th June – Thursday 30th June (6 nights) £765.00 Full Board. Flying from Doncaster Airport. Insurance £33. Booking form and further details available from [www.hallam-lourdes.com](http://www.hallam-lourdes.com) or telephone 07724 650066. Please note:- Everyone participating in the 2022 pilgrimage must be fully vaccinated against Covid-19. We feel that it is possible to plan for the Pilgrimage to take place safely, but if it does not prove to be possible and the Diocese cancels, then full Refunds will be made.**

**RED BOXES:** Please bring your Red Boxes to Church to be emptied.

**BLESSED SACRAMENT AND SACRED HEART LAMPS:** Please write the names of your family/friends names in the slots on the given sheets. Minimum contribution £5.00. A few slots left.

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** at St Catherine's Church except Tuesday

If you pay Tax, please Gift Aid. The Church receives 30% from the taxes you contribute.

You might wish to join the scheme, please have a word with Fr. Albert.

**DIRECT DEBIT:** In case you wish to pay your contribution to the Church by **Direct Debit**, please note the following:

1. Name: **DIOCESE OF HALLAM: St Catherine's Church Sheffield. Sort Code 40-41-07 Account 21094335**

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