

# St Aelred of Rievaulx Catholic Church

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## BULLETIN FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

The public celebration of Mass is continuing at St Aelred's and St Robert's. For those who wish to attend, please register a place using the online registration system or telephone booking.

Date	Venue & Time	Intentions
Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> May	St Aelred's 6.30pm	
	St Robert's 6.15pm	
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	St Aelred's 10am	
	St Robert's 9am, 11am & 6pm	
Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	St Robert's 12 noon	
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> May	St Robert's 11am	
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> May	St Aelred's 10am	
	St Robert's 12 noon	
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup> May	St Aelred's 10am	
	St Robert's 12 noon	

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** - at St Roberts Church, Friday: 11am to 11.45am and Saturday: 5pm to 5.45pm, and at other times by appointment.

In order to attend Holy Mass you are asked to register a place using the online registration system or telephone booking. We would be very grateful if you would book, at the latest, by the day before the Mass you wish to attend. If you can attend a weekday Mass instead of a weekend Mass this helps to leave space for those who are only able to attend at a weekend.

For on-line bookings for St Aelred's you can use either the St Aelred's or St Robert's Parish Websites at : [www.st-aelred.org.uk](http://www.st-aelred.org.uk) or [www.strobertsharrogate.co.uk](http://www.strobertsharrogate.co.uk)  
For telephone bookings for Mass at St Aelred's or for St Robert's call 0778 361 1229, during office hours 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday. For 'track and trace' purposes details of all worshippers must be retained for 21 days following the church service.  
**It is MANDATORY until further notice to wear a face covering in Church unless you are exempt for medical reasons.**

**Please pray for those who are sick;** especially Anne Jensen, and all those who care for them; those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Weekly Mass Readings:** Those of you who receive your Readings for Sunday by email along with your Bulletin may have noticed that the readings are no longer being circulated. Instead you will be able to click on the link to Universalis on the Parish website or just add this link to your browser to get the readings of each day: <https://universalis.com/qr/mass.htm>

**Parish Evening Prayer** – You are most welcome to drop-in any evening of the week at 6.00 - 6.15pm, Zoom Meeting ID: 748 9844 4879 Passcode: 4Z9YTB.  
For more information or any prayer requests please leave a message on 560279 or email the parish office.

**St. Aelred's Wednesday Prayer Group** - meets online every Wednesday evening at 7pm till 8 pm. Everyone is welcome to join us. Please ring Dolores for zoom number and pass code. 01423 870789

**Zoom Coffee Morning** – The Next Zoom Coffee Morning will be held on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May at 11.00 to 11.40. All are welcome. Zoom Meeting ID: 78676924047. Passcode: 8E4var

**SVP** - If you know of anyone who needs a call, a delivery of the parish bulletin or shopping please get in touch with us or call Barbara on 07311214364.

**Offertory envelopes** - boxes of envelopes for the next financial year are available now in the library area. The boxes are named for those parishioners in the Gift Aid scheme so please take your box.

**Donations to the Parish** - IF you would like to set up a regular donation to the parish via standing order please email the parish office for details. One-off donations can be made via the DONATE button on the Parish Web-site.

**CAFOD Lenten Update** - Thank you to everyone who donated to Cafod during Lent. £205.89 was donated through the Cafod envelopes, the Walk for Water challenge raised £2,120 and we know that some people donated online directly to Cafod. All your donations will be used to helping people like Abdella have easy access to clean water. Cafod hopes to update us with details of this work later in the year.

**SVP Shops and Centres are open!** Our local SVP in Knaresborough is open from 9.30-4.30 Monday to Saturdays. Please call Donna on 01423 869771 before taking any donations. Presently, the shop is short of ladies clothes and childrens' toys. The shop is also in need of volunteers. Please call Donna for more information.

**An invitation to start a Catholic Book Club on Zoom** Is anyone interested in a monthly book club to read Catholic books? On zoom initially, but hopefully one day in person! Probably quite easy to read books, e.g. Brother Lawrence, biographies of saints etc. If so please contact Heather on 07926 633682

#### **NEW EVENT FOR MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK**

"[Christianity, nature and mental health: possibilities and pitfalls](#)" on 10th May, 7pm-8pm (via Zoom) with [Tasia Scrutton](#) Associate Professor at University of Leeds, School for Philosophy, Religion and History of Science. The theme of this year's Mental Health Awareness Week is 'Nature', drawing attention to the fact that (as our experiences of lockdown have highlighted) nature is crucial for our mental health. But not everyone has equal access to natural places: poorer communities are more likely to lack them; women can be excluded because of the threats of harassment and violence they face.' The event is free but [booking is essential](#) by emailing [events@leedschurchinstitute.org](mailto:events@leedschurchinstitute.org)

**Short Online Course on the Early Church** - The Church that Follows Jesus Christ, covering the early life of the Church leading to the Council of Nicea (325CE) is now available as six 30-minute recordings available on the diocesan website at: <https://www.dioceseofleeds.org.uk/education/finding-out-more/resources/>

**Vacancy** - In the Diocesan Finance Department for an Accounts Assistant to provide accounting and clerical support to a small dynamic team based in Hinsley Hall. Please contact [john.moran@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:john.moran@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) for a full job description and an outline of the application process. Closing date for applications Friday 14 May 2021.

**Caritas Leeds Virtual workshop on 'Life in Prison'** led by Chris White, Catholic Prison Chaplain at HMP Leeds. Wednesday 12th May 6.30-8.00pm. Part of the action plan developed following the publication of the report 'Justice and Mercy' the Criminal Justice Inquiry. To register please use the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/caritas-leeds-31188104135>

**Virtual workshop for Dementia Action week**, Saturday 22nd May, 2.00-3.30pm. To book a place and your choice of workshop please email [Gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:Gregory.stacey@dioceseofleeds.org.uk)

**Counselling Service:** Catholic Care are offering a free and confidential counselling service to members of our Catholic community, if you free that you, a family member or friend might benefit from counselling support please contact us on 01133885400, 07739975008 or email [counselling@catholic-care.org.uk](mailto:counselling@catholic-care.org.uk). Poster attached.

**Bereavement Retreat – Living with Loss** 21st – 23rd May, 2021 led by Abi & John May. The aim of this retreat is to better equip ourselves to deal with life-changing loss. The offering is £160 for the weekend with full board and en-suite accommodation. For further details and a booking form please email: [briery@btconnect.com](mailto:briery@btconnect.com) or telephone: 01943 607287.

**Climate Emergency** - J&P SPARK Social Justice project is sponsoring 10 people to attend the National Justice & Peace Network Conference (23-25 July) which is about what more we can do about our Climate Emergency – especially with COP26 coming up in Glasgow. More details and application form: <https://www.leedsjp.org.uk/climate-change-conference-sponsorship/>

#### **Views from the Pews**

**Would you like to share your lock-down experiences (best and worst moments), or a book review/recommendation, a favourite recipe or prayer? Or even tell us what you are looking forward to doing when things finally get back to some sort of normality?!**

**Then please send us your experiences and recommendations to [office.staelred@dioceseofleeds.org.uk](mailto:office.staelred@dioceseofleeds.org.uk) or speak to Deacon David.**