SAINT TERESA OF AVILA





SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER, IRLAM PARISH NEWSLETTER EIGHTEENTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

3rd August 2025

MASS TIMES

SUNDAY - 9am at St Joseph's

Sunday – 10:30am at St. Teresa's (including Children's Liturgy)

Monday – 10am at St Joseph's

Tuesday – 10am at St Teresa's

Wednesday – 10am at St Joseph's

Thursday - 10am at St Teresa's

Friday - 10am at St Joseph's

Saturday – 10am at St Teresa's (Including Exposition & Rosary)

Saturday – 6pm at St Joseph's

CONFESSION

Saturday 10.30am - 11am At Teresa's

Saturday 5.30pm – 5.50pm St Joseph's

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Parish Safeguarding Reps:

Jacqui Morrisey David Smith <u>Please join us in the Avila Centre after Sunday 10.30am</u> Mass for teas & coffees. ALL WELCOME.

Annual Big Day Out for Refugees

The parish Annual Big Day out for Refugees will be on Saturday 13th September this year.

We are collecting toiletries to give to the refugees on the day. You were very generous with your donations last year and we are asking you to be kind once again. We need general toiletries suitable for both men and women. Please place them in the box provided at the back of Church. There will also be a donation box to help us towards the cost of putting on the day. Thank you for your kindness and generosity!

Songs Of Praise

Come and join us for an exclusive 'Songs Of Praise' afternoon in St Teresa's church on Sunday 10th August, 3pm. <u>ALL WELCOME!</u>

Vote for your favourites to sing on the day!

Please see sheets at the back of both churches for you to vote on which songs you would like to sing at our Songs Of Praise concert.

And come and sing your heart out for Jesus. God bless.

St Joseph's Parish 60th Anniversary Celebrations

Friday 17th October 2025

Following a mass at 6.30pm to mark the occasion. (Please note the change of time)!

There will be a parish celebration at Irlam Catholic Club, where there will be a night of entertainment and hot food. Tickets are £7.50 per adult and £4 per child. All proceeds will be towards parish funds.

Tickets will be on sale at both churches after mass. Come and have a night of fun, as well as supporting your parish. Thank You.

St Teresa's RC Primary School

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St Joseph the Worker RC Primary School

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The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
May the faith you have given us
In your son Jesus Christ, our brother,
And the flame of charity enkindled
In our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
Reawaken in us the blessed hope
For the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
Into tireless cultivators of the seeds of
the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and
The whole cosmos
In the sure expectation
Of a new heaven and a new earth,
When, with the powers of Evil
vanquished,
Your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
Reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
A yearning for the treasures of heaven.
May that same grace spread
The joy and peace of our Redeemer
Throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed,
Be glory and praise for ever.
Amen.



The Catholic Faith - Monday Nights

Unfortunately, our Monday night get together won't be able to take place on the 28th, due to our bingo night for the refugee day and then we will close due to holidays and church commitments until Monday 25th August. Anyone who needs any support during this time please do not hesitate to get in touch either at Church or by phone, love Lesley x

Weekly Faith Sharing Group

Advanced Notice for the Faith Share Group.

There <u>will be</u> a gathering on Wednesday July 31st at 7:00pm in the Avila Centre.

There will be a short recess break during August.

Then, there NO gatherings on August 6th,13th and 20th; and the RESTART will be on Wednesday August 27th in the Avila centre at 7:00pm.

All are very welcome to gently explore our Faith together. Thank you.

The Wednesday Word will still be printed and at the back of each church for you to take home to read as normal.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Offertory - £721.20 Candles - £68.00

