

## ST WILLIAM & FRANCIS de SALES,

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Sunday 11th October 28th Sunday of the Year  
Mass Sheets for OCTOBER are on Facebook and Website

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Bro. Robert and myself shall continue to celebrate a daily  
Mass and will remember you all as we always do. If you have  
any specific intentions then please let me know by writing to  
me here at St. Teresa's House, Harris Street, DL1 4NL. Don't  
forget to include a preferred date if you have one. Let us keep  
praying for one another. Love and God bless. Fr. Greg.  
11th AID (St W) Sonia Evans (St T)  
12th to 18th A.I.D.

**St William's Church has been assessed and our First Mass  
will be this**

**SUNDAY 11th October 9am**

**Attendance will be by Telephone booking only.**

Telephone will be answered by Members of the  
Robinson Family on **07709114307 only**

**On a Wednesday & Thursday**

**The line will be open between 4pm & 7pm  
and you will need to book your place each week.**

The processes are new to us all so please be patient when  
calling as you will be asked a number of questions .

**On 15th October 150 years** ago the first stone was laid for  
SS William of York and Francis de Sales Church , and now  
we are re-opening the church after our lockdown to  
celebrate Sunday Mass once again. When you return things  
may look a bit different but the fundamentals remain.

**Church is now registered as a venue on the  
NHS Test and Trace App.**

**If you book to attend Mass, there will be the QR code  
available to scan via the App on your phone if you have it.**

**The app is used in conjunction with the traditional  
Methods of collecting the information, so don't worry if  
you are not using the app yet.**

You will be lead through this process as you arrive  
When you enter St William's you should be **wearing a mask**  
unless you are exempt. Please tell us when booking. There  
will be places to get some hand sanitiser before you get to the  
Steward who has the attendance list. Other Stewards will be  
there to guide you to your place. Please do not expect to be  
able to sit where you want. We start from the front and work  
backwards. **The benches have been moved to create space.**  
During Mass please stay in your place.

**Do not use the kneelers.**

When it comes to Communion, I will move to the back of  
Church and you will be guided, a row at a time, to come and  
receive the host. Please leave space between you and the  
person in front.  
Take your mask off and fully extend your arms with your right  
hand supporting your left and with the palm flat.  
Once you receive please go straight out of church and sanitise  
your hands as you leave.

God bless, Fr.Greg

We have to keep church well ventilated so please wear  
suitable clothing as it could be cold.

**Because of the present situation we hope we will celebrate  
the 150th next year with lots of people around us.**

St Teresa, St Thomas Aquinas, St Mary, Holy Family,

**Hogarth Partnership**

St Augustine, SS. William & Francis De Sales, St Anne, St Osmund

**Please remember in your prayers**, all our priests and religious of our  
Diocese and parishioners who are struggling with health problems ,  
especially Marnie Smith (15) Betty Magurn, Tommy Holland,  
Florence Gibson, Gordon Mitchell (husband of Liz in St Anne's Parish).  
We remember those who look after them in hospital , care homes and  
at home , and we pray that those who are recovering from ill health  
continue to improve.

OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES; Bob Cass, Bridgit Hilton, Mary Dulston,,  
Harry & Agnes Skinner, Raymond Dwyer, Muriel Mcgee, Winnie  
McFadden, Brian Albeson, Alan Cooper, Fred Wood, Patrick Lyonette,  
Joseph Naylor, Fr Tom Shore, Fr Peter Cleary, Fr Paul Magurn, Alice  
Humphries, Anne Harrison (Gaddass), Vera Hodgson, Carol Fishburn,  
Tommy Errington, Peter Errington, Gertrude Sowerby, Kitty Turner,  
Mary Church, and all who have no one to pray for them.

**It isn't too late to volunteer as a steward or  
cleaner. Please let Fr Greg know asap.**

It might be helpful to remind everyone that, at present,  
Sunday Mass Obligation is still suspended. This is an  
important message for those people who do not feel they  
can return yet.

Unfortunately during mass there will be no singing and a few  
parts will be missed out, this is to reduce the amount of time  
spent in church.

There is no Offertory procession or collection but there will  
be a basket as you leave church for donations.

There will be no Piety items on show.

All the arrangements have been made to ensure that  
St William's Church will remain Covid secure.

We hope we can still make it a welcoming and holy place.

There will be a Newsletter as you leave for those not on email

**Please keep checking our facebook page and Website for  
information - especially Bulletins, Mass sheets and  
anything else that comes in.**

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 18th October** is when the  
Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special  
collection for Missio, his charity for world mission. Please try  
and support Missio in helping Missionaries to work alongside  
communities throughout the world that are  
poor or in need, regardless of their back-  
ground or belief. There will be a basket out  
next week for this cause. You can call  
02078219755 (office hours) or visit Missio  
website for details.. [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk) There is a Basket for donations



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