



10th October 2026

Blessed Trinity

The Immaculate Conception

St Gerard's

To be a joyful, inclusive Christ-centred community, drawing people to know Jesus through our words and actions.



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Prayer Intention of the Holy Father Pope Leo XIV for October 2026

For mental health ministry

We pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

November

Updating the Anniversaries of Those Who Have Died—Diaries will be in place by the shrines of Our Lady at the Immaculate Conception and St Gerard's throughout the month of November for the recording of anniversaries of the deceased people you wish to remember in prayer. This diary forms the basis for the list of anniversaries shown on the parish newsletters in the year ahead. If you are not sure of the date of death of the person you want to remember pick a date that is relevant to the person you are remembering or to you. What matters are the prayers for the person you wish to remember.

In memory of Those Who Have Died.

The annual memorial Mass for The Dead—will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception on Thursday 12th November 7pm and at St Gerard's on Tuesday 24th November at 6pm. There will be a Deanery Mass for the Dead to be held at The Blessed Trinity Wick-ersley on Friday 6th November 6-30pm.

GIFT (Growing In Faith Together).

In October it is planned to extend the GIFT project experience to secondary school pupils giving an opportunity for those who are Confirmed to help prepare their peers seeking Confirmation. Any questions please contact Fr Desmond at dsexton@hallam-diocese.com



Our next **second collection** will be on the 17th/18th of October in support of World Mission Sunday

Financial Support to the Parish. If you wish to set up a standing order or make a bank transfer to one of the parish accounts the details you require are given below.

St Mary's Rotherham sort code 404107 account number 51094262

St Gerard's Thrybergh sort code 404107 account number 11095110

Anniversaries: 12th Eileen Ross, Harriet Jones, Mama-chen Paliyil, Isabella McFadden nee Simpson, Walter Oddy, 13th Helen Hibbert, Olga & Joseph Kotleba, 14th Anthony Lance, Jackie Wilson, Michael Mellor, June Neylan, Peter Naylan, 15th Denise Bunting, Morries family, Sorsby Family, Weaver Family, Joan Ashcroft, 16th Michael Cohen, Annie Shiel, Florence Beeley, Gisela Montferrat, 17th Charles Blowers, Ann McHugh, Jack & Thelma Galvin, Mercy Prasad, Mercy Thomas, Horacio Rodriguezs, John & Vera Bailey, 18th Ellen Brennan, Felipe Galiposo,

Fr Gerard Harney, Terence Norburn, 19th Louis Robles, Margaret Jay, Michael Cassidy, Oluein Eunice Xlwomby, Thomas Browne, Tom Garvey, Dean Kerry, Elain Riley, 20th Rose Morries, Fr Charlie Gardiner C.M. Michael Cooper, Roy Lilley, Douglas Allott, Molly Hempsall, Mary Deehan, 21st Fr Damiel Ainsworth, Ellen & John Birch, Ann Nettleton (nee Kilbane), Melanie Wright, 22nd Ernest Ronard Abraham, Ellen Roe, James Roe, Kate Story, Fr Patrick Higgins, Fr John Horan, Sandra Tonks, 23rd Sue Clarke, Anne Middleton, Patricia Crookes, Winifred

Hutchinson, Chad Gaynor, Joseph Griffin, Sue Rudkin, 24th John & Mary Maclean, Margaret Ogle, Mary Chand, Kathleen Ainsworth, If you would like to add someone to our record of anniversaries, please forward the details of the person's name and date of the anniversary of their death to office@tpicr.co.uk

Recent Deaths: Joseph McIlvoy, Duncan Milner, Cheryl Holland,

We pray for all who are ill

St Gerard's Feast Day—The feast day for the parish of St Gerard's is on Friday 16th October. Mass will be celebrated in the parish on the day at 10am with the school and parish community coming together.

A Day of Prayer with Our Lady: This will take place at St Peters in Chain Doncaster on the 24th October 10am to 3pm in honour of Our Lady of Doncaster. Adoration, confessions Holy Mass and talks will take place throughout the day. The Irish singer Dana will be attending and promoting devotion to Our Lady. To reserve your place contact hailfulofgrace2026@gmail.com or scan the bar code on the posters in your parish church. A nine-week novena to Our Lady of Doncaster will begin on the 22nd August, the Feast of Our Lady of Peace.

Sunday 11 October is World Mission Sunday the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio - his charity for world mission

- through a special collection. This day of prayer, solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the Good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world.

The Holy Father has chosen the theme 'One in Christ, united in mission' to celebrate 100 years of World Mission Sunday and encourages us to unite with missionaries as they strive to reach out with God's love to communities in need.

To donate, use the Missio envelopes, call 020 7821 9755 (office hours) or visit missio.org.uk to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

<https://missio.org.uk/wmsdonate/>

Alternatively contact Joanne Craven on 07837677863.

Donation by Card payment is also available.

Confession at the Immaculate Conception 5-15pm on Saturday 10th, 17th, 24th October and every Monday after the 10am Mass.

Anointing of the Sick: Mass with the anointing of the Sick will be available at St Gerard's on Wednesday 28th October at 10am

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The weeks ahead:

Immaculate Conception	Saturday 10 October	5-15 6pm	Confession Twenty Eight Sunday of Ordinary Time	POP
Immaculate Conception St Gerard's	Sunday 11th	9am 11am	Twenty Eight Sunday of Ordinary Time Twenty Eight Sunday of Ordinary Time	Private intention Ronnie Rossall
Immaculate Conception	Monday 12th	10am	Monday of the Twenty Eight Week of Ordinary Time	Yorkshire Brethren
St Gerard's	Tuesday 13th	10am	St Edward the Confessor	Philip & Monica Ash
St Gerard's	Wednesday 14th	No mass	Wednesday of the Twenty Eight Week of Ordinary Time	
Immaculate Conception	Thursday 15th	6-30 7pm	Adoration St Teresa of Avila	Owen Jenkinson
St Gerard's	Friday 16th	10am	St Gerard	Michael Mellor
St Gerard's	Saturday 17th	No mass	Saturday of the Twenty Eight Week of Ordinary Time	Chris Hibbett
Immaculate Conception		5-15 6pm	Confessions Twenty Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time	
Immaculate Conception St Gerard's	Sunday 18th	9am 11am	Twenty Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time Twenty Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time	POP Margaret Jay
Immaculate Conception	Monday 19th	10am	Monday of the Twenty Ninth Week of Ordinary Time	Holy Souls
St Gerard's	Tuesday 20th	10am	Tuesday of the Twenty Ninth Week of Ordinary Time	Denis O'Brien
St Gerard's	Wednesday 21st	10am	Wednesday of the Twenty Ninth Week of Ordinary Time	Alan Hauge
Immaculate Conception	Thursday 22nd	6-30 7pm	Adoration Thursday of the Twenty Ninth Week of Ordinary Time	Johan Salvy
Immaculate Conception	Friday 23rd	10am	Friday of the Twenty Ninth Week of Ordinary Time	
St Gerard's	Saturday 24th October	No Mass	Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time	Lijomon Salvy
Immaculate Conception		6pm	Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time	
Immaculate Conception St Gerard's	Sunday 25th October	9am 11am	Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time	Olga & Tom Kelsall POP

Congratulations to Billy Jay Redman and his family on his baptism on Sunday 4th October at St Gerard's parish.

Men's Prayer Group

We are hoping to relaunch the Mens Prayer Group on Monday 5th October at the immaculate Conception. It starts at 6-30pm and involves Adoration, a bible reflection and ends with Night Prayer. The evening event takes just over one hour. So, please do come.

- Monday 19th October
- Monday 16th November
- Tuesday 15th December—Community Carol Service

Community Get Togethers dates for the rest of the year are as follows:

Everyone is most welcome to these events. They start at 6pm and we serve delicious homemade cakes and refreshments. Please come along and bring a friend x

Baptismal Preparation—The next course begins on Tuesday evening 24th November 7pm and the second session is on the 1st December. Both sessions are on zoom. Please contact Fr Desmond if you would like to receive an invitation.

Sycamore—Our next Sycamore session is on Saturday 17th October, 2-30pm in the parish house at the Immaculate Conception and the following session is on the 31st October same place but at 1-30pm. If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, Sycamore is for you. Speak with Fr Desmond for more information.

Solemnities & Feast Days

St Edward the Confessor (13th Oct); He was the last of the Saxon Kings of England. It was his personal piety and character that endeared Edward to the people he governed. His title 'Confessor' applies to those who suffered for their faith and demonstrated their sanctity in the face of worldly temptations

St Teresa of Avila (15th Oct); The gift of God to Teresa in and through which she became holy and left her mark on the Church is threefold. She was a woman, she was a contemplative and she was an active reformer. A woman of prayer, discipline and compassion she showed much courage against those who opposed her drive to reform the Carmelites and lead them back to the reason for their foundation. She founded several new monasteries across Spain and her writings, 'The way of Perfection' and 'The Interior Castle' have helped generations of believers.

St Ignatius of Antioch (17th Oct); Born in Syria, Ignatius converted to Christianity and soon became bishop of Antioch. In 107 Emperor Trajan forced Christians in Antioch to choose to abandon their faith or face death. Bishop Ignatius refused to deny Christ and was sentenced to death. His seven letters written while journeying to Rome to face his execution remain to this day documents of hope in God and continue to inspire.

100 Club

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St Gerards

August £100 winner No.60 Dennis Dobson

September £100 winner No.6 Kath Wheldon

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