



## NEWS THIS WEEK

**IN YOUR PRAYERS** please remember those members of our parish community who are sick, and those who care for them. We also remember in prayer those who have died, those who grieve, and those whose anniversaries occur.

**WELCOME** to Fr. Brendan Aroh from the Spiritans (Holy Ghost Fathers) who is here to celebrate both Sunday Masses for the parish and to make the 2024 Mission Appeal. to support the work of his congregation.

**FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME** The next session for our candidates is at 7.00pm on Tuesday 21st May in the Parish Hall.

**LOURDES PETITIONS** Rebecca Kramm will be travelling to Lourdes with students from All Saints School on the diocesan pilgrimage in May half-term. Rebecca would be happy to take any intentions you have to the grotto. In an envelope by Sunday 19th May please.

**SUDAN APPEAL** CAFOD extraordinary collection. This will take place on 26th May, Trinity Sunday. However, if you wish you can donate now at: <https://cafod.org.uk/give/donate-to-emergencies/sudan-crisis-appeal> in this way it is possible to Gift-Aid your donation if you pay tax on your income.

**FIRST CONFESSIONS** for those children who need to do this before they make their First Holy Communion will be at 6.00pm on Thursday 30th May 2024

**YORK PRIDE** is on 1st June on the Knavesmire. Once again the Diocese will have stall - if you are taking part or visiting the event come and say hello.

**MORE VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED** to facilitate tea/coffee after Sunday Mass. Obviously the more teams the less often it is your turn. Sunday morning coffee is an important part of parish life but it will need more volunteers if it is going to continue. Please get in touch.

**MONDAY MINDFULNESS** Monday at 7.00pm in the Fr. Kelly Room

**BE OUR GUEST** Each Thursday in Our Lady's Parish Hall from 11.00am - 1.00pm

**HELP FOR FAMILIES IN NEED** Please do not leave food or other items at the Parish House now until 26th May 2024.

**FR. TONY** will be away from 13th - 25th May for a few days break and then to Lourdes for his annual week of service with HNDL. There will be no midweek Masses during that time.

