

## Thanksgiving for the Harvest



### THE PARISH MASS

The Introductory  
Rites

*When the bell rings we stand to sing*

#### *The Angelus*

The Angel of the Lord brought tidings to  
Mary  
**And she conceived by the Holy  
Spirit**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with  
thee Blessed art thou among women and  
blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus  
**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us  
sinners, now and at the hour of our  
death.**

Behold the handmaid of the Lord  
**Be it unto me according to thy word**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with  
thee Blessed art thou among women and  
blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus  
**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us  
sinners, now and at the hour of our  
death.**

And the Word was made flesh.  
**and dwelt among us.**

Hail Mary, full of grace the Lord is with  
thee Blessed art thou among women

and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus  
**Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us  
sinners, now and at the hour of our  
death.**

Pray for us O Holy Mother of God  
**That we may be made worthy of the  
promises of Christ**

Pour forth we beseech thee O Lord thy  
grace into our hearts that as we have  
known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus  
Christ by the message of an angel, so by  
his ~~z~~Cross and Passion, we may be  
brought to the glory of His Resurrection;  
through the same,  
Jesus Christ our Lord  
**Amen**

**Come, ye thankful people, come,  
Raise the song of harvest-home!  
All be safely gathered in,  
Ere the winter storms begin;  
God, our Maker, doth provide  
For our wants to be supplied;  
Come to God's own temple, come;  
Raise the song of harvest-home!**

**All the world is God's own field,  
Fruit unto his praise to yield;  
Wheat and tares together sown,  
Unto joy or sorrow grown;  
First the blade and then the ear,  
Then the full corn shall appear:  
Grant, O harvest Lord, that we  
Wholesome grain and pure may be.**

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#### Monday 30th September 2024

Sick: Derick Norris, Janet Newsome, Carol Dyson  
Years Mind: Henry Heptonstall, George Eades.  
Church: Carey Woodland  
Local Community: Thurnscoe Road (B)  
General: For Biblical Scholars

#### Tuesday 1st October 2024

Sick: Heather Jones, Arthur Jones, Anita Constable,  
Alan Baker, Mary Wilkinson.  
Years Mind: Audrey Baker, Margaret Hickling, Phyllis Hilton.  
Church: Gordon & Julie Wordsworth  
Local Community: Torver Drive (B)  
General: For a simpler Faith

#### Wednesday 2nd October

Sick: Mary Robinson, David Stanton, Michael Bolger  
Pauline Roberts, Brian Finnegan.  
Years Mind: Ruby Gladys Granger, Ernest Christopher Carver,  
Joseph Garwood.  
Church: David Wroe.  
Local Community: Ullswater Close (B)  
General: For all children

#### Thursday 3rd October

Sick: Barrie Shippood, Alan Watford, Daniela Sommerfeldt,  
Will Hanley, Rena Shaw.  
Years Mind: Diane & Malcolm Addis  
Church: Vancouver Drive (B)  
Local Community: For Christian Unity  
General:

#### Friday 4th October

Sick: Mavis Clegg, Freddie Wiles, Christopher Goff.  
Years Mind: William Normanton Hand  
Church: Terry Askew.  
Local Community: Victoria Street (G)  
General: That we may take better care of Creation

#### Saturday 5th October

Sick: Ngozi Alliu, Mary Haig.  
RIP Val Stott.  
Years Mind: Annie May Stewardson, Edith Philipson, Lily Smith  
Church: Gwen Baker  
Local Community: Washington Road (G)  
General: For Peace

#### Daily

For the dead  
For our families  
For Peter Bishop of Sheffield  
For Stephen Bishop of Beverley  
For the Unity of Christ's Church  
For our Church Wardens and PCC members  
For the growth of our Christian Family  
For the poor, the sick and those with no hope  
For any who need our prayers  
For ourselves

For the Lord our God shall come,  
And shall take his harvest home;  
From his field shall purge away  
All that doth offend, that day;  
Give his angels charge at last  
In the fire the tares to cast,  
But the fruitful ears to store  
in his garner evermore.

Then, thou Church triumphant, come.  
Raise the song of harvest-home;  
All be safely gathered in,  
Free from sorrow, free from sin,  
There for ever purified  
In God's garner to abide:  
Come, ten thousand angels, come,  
Raise the glorious harvest-home!

*Priest:* ✠In the name of the Father and of  
the Son and of the Holy Spirit

*People:* Amen

*Priest:* The Lord be with you

*People:* And with your spirit.

*The Mass is introduced along with its intention and  
theme and we call to mind our sins.*

*Priest:* Brothers and sisters, let us  
acknowledge our sins, and so  
prepare ourselves to celebrate the  
sacred mysteries.

*People:* I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers  
and sisters, that I have greatly  
sinned, in my thoughts and in  
my words, in what I have done  
and in what I have failed to do,

*And, striking their breast, they say:*

through my fault, through my  
fault, through my most  
grievous fault; therefore I ask  
blessed Mary ever- Virgin, all  
the Angels and Saints, and you,  
my brothers and sisters, to pray  
for me to the Lord our God.

*Priest:* May almighty God have mercy on  
us, forgive us our sins, and bring  
us to everlasting life.

*People:* Amen.

*People:* Kyrie eleison, Kyrie eleison,  
Kyrie eleison, eleison.  
Christe eleison, Christe eleison  
Christe eleison, eleison.  
Kyrie eleison, Kyrie eleison,  
Kyrie eleison, eleison.

*The Gloria in excelsis now follows*

*People:* Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace  
to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your  
great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
Son of the Father, you take  
away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us; you take  
away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right  
hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy  
One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy  
Spirit, in the glory,  
of God the Father. Amen.

*The Collect or prayer for the day*

Let us pray.

O Lord, good Father, who in your  
providence have entrusted the earth to  
the human race, grant, we pray, that with  
the fruits harvested from it we may be  
able to sustain life and, with your help,  
always use them to promote your praise  
and the well-being of all. Through our  
Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives  
and reigns with you in the unity of the Ho-  
ly Sprit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

**“Rejoice always, pray constantly, give  
thanks in all circumstances for this is  
the will of God in Christ Jesus for you”**  
1 Thessalonians Ch5 vv17-18.

In this leaflet it is hoped that, as a parish, we will find  
some direction and focus for our prayers that  
through praying together for the same things and the  
same people we may find a common purpose in re-  
sponding to the needs of our world and our parish  
and place ourselves more readily into the hands of  
God.

It is hoped that either weekly or daily we can take some  
time together to pray wherever we are for the needs  
of our Church, our World, our parish, the individuals  
we come across and the departed. For, ‘all things are  
possible for God’.

If you would like anyone or anything added to this  
prayer list, please hand it to the vicar in writing, the  
list will be revised weekly.

**Daily Prayer for our Parish**

Heavenly Father grant us grace in Goldthorpe,  
Hickleton and Bolton upon Dearne to worship you  
with all our being, to show your love to all our  
neighbours and to proclaim your saving power to all  
the world and in all we do to glorify your Name grant  
us humble and penitent hearts and all this through  
the saving merits of our faith in Jesus Christ Our  
Lord. Amen.

THE PARISHES OF  
GOLDTHORPE, HICKLETON &  
BOLTON UPON DEARNE

Parish Intercession List



Week commencing  
**26th Sunday in  
Ordinary Time (B)**

## NOTICES

### Harvest

On Monday 30th we will be holding our Harvest Supper and Produce auction at Hickleton Club from 7pm. All are welcome. We will be raising money for International Aid efforts for the relief of suffering.

### Electoral Roll Forms

If you are not on the church Electoral Roll and would like to be, please take a form and fill it in they are available at the back of each of our churches.

### Food Bank

We are collecting items for the Salvation Army Food Bank and there is a basket at the back of church. For the donation basket could we ask that they donate tins, packets, etc that are in date and do not need any refrigeration. The Salvation Army have asked for Long Life Milk in particular and non milk products for the lactose intolerant. Thank you.

### Coffee Mornings

Each Tuesday, after Mass at Bolton Church Hall there is a Coffee Morning and the chance to socialise and chat. On each first Saturday of the month we are holding a Coffee Morning at Bolton Church Hall.

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## The Liturgy of the Word

*We sit for The First Reading*

A reading from the book of the Prophet Joel

*Joel 2:21-24. 26-27*

O soil, do not be afraid; be glad, rejoice, for the Lord has done great things. Beasts of the field, do not be afraid; the pastures of the heath are green again, the trees bear fruit, vine and fig tree yield abundantly.

Sons of Zion, be glad, rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given you the autumn rain, since he is just, and has poured the rains down for you, the autumn and spring rain as before. The threshing-floors will be full of grain, the vats overflow with wine and oil.

You will eat to your heart's content, will eat your fill, and praise the name of the Lord your God who has treated you so wonderfully. (My people will not be disappointed any more.) And you will know that I am in the midst of Israel, that I am the Lord your God, with none equal to me. My people will not be disappointed any more.

The word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm

*Psalm 66*

Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.  
**Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

O God, be gracious and bless us and let your face shed its light upon us. So will your ways be known upon earth and all the nations learn your saving help.

**Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

Let the nations be glad and exult for you rule the world with justice. With fairness you rule the peoples, You guide the nations on earth

**Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

The earth has yielded its fruit for God, our God, has blessed us. May God still give us his blessing till all the ends of the earth revere him  
**Let the peoples praise you, O God;  
let all the peoples praise you.**

*The Second Reading follows*

A Reading from the First Letter of Saint Paul to Timothy

*1 Timothy 6:6-11. 17-19*

Religion, of course, does bring large profits, but only to those who are content with what they have. We have brought nothing into the world and we can take nothing out of it; but as long as we have food and clothing, let us be content with that. People who long to be rich are a prey to temptation; they get trapped into all sorts of foolish and dangerous ambitions which eventually plunge them into ruin and destruction. "The love of money is the root of all evils" and there are some who, pursuing it, have wandered away from the faith, and so given their souls to any number of fatal wounds. But, as a man dedicated to God, you must avoid all that. You must aim to be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle.

Warn those who are rich in this world's goods that they are not to look down on other people; and not to set their hopes on money, which is untrustworthy, but on God who, out of his riches, gives us all that we need for our happiness.

Tell them that they are to do good, and be rich in good works, to be generous and willing to share—this is the way they can save up a good capital sum for the future if they want to make sure of the only life that is real.

The Word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God**

*We stand for the Gospel Acclamation*

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Those who are sowing in tears will sing when they reap.

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

*Priest:* The Lord be with you

*People:* **And with your spirit.**

✠A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

**Glory to you, O Lord**

*Luke 12:15-21*

Jesus said to the crowd; 'Watch, and be on your guard against avarice of any kind, for a man's life is not made secure by what he owns, even when he has more than he needs'. Then he told them a parable: 'There was once a rich man who, having had a good harvest from his land, thought to himself "What am I to do? I have not enough room to store my crops." Then he said, "This is what I will do: I will pull down my barns and build bigger ones, and store all my grain and my goods in them, and I will say to my soul: My soul, you have plenty of good things laid by for many years to come; take things easy, eat, drink, have a good time". But God said to him, "Fool! This very night the demand will be made for your soul; and this hoard of yours, whose will it be then?" So it is when a man stores up treasure for himself in place of making himself rich in the sight of God.'

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

*The Homily now follows*

*We sit*

*We stand for*

The Profession of Faith (Creed)

**I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made For us men and for our salvation**

**he came down from heaven,**

*At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.*

**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.**

**He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.**

**I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the ✠Resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come Amen.**

*The Bidding Prayers now follow*

*Response*

*Priest:* Lord hear us.

*People:* **Lord graciously hear us.**

*Priest:* ✠Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord

*People:* **and let light perpetual shine upon them**

*Priest:* May they rest in peace

*People:* **Amen**

*People:* **Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death.**

Day	Service/Event	Intention
Monday 30th September S. Jerome	8am Mass at Goldthorpe 7pm Harvest Supper & Auction at Hickleton Club	For Biblical Scholars
Tuesday 1st October 2024 S. Teresa of the Child Jesus	10.30am Mass at Bolton Church Hall 7pm Mass at Goldthorpe	For a simpler faith
Wednesday 2nd October The Holy Guardian Angels	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 6pm Vestry Hour at Goldthorpe	For all children
Thursday 3rd October <i>feria</i>	10am Mass at Hickleton	For Christian Unity
Friday 4th October S. Francis of Assisi	10.30am Mass at Goldthorpe	That we may take better care of Creation
Saturday 5th October <i>feria</i>	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 10am Coffee Morning at Bolton Church Hall	For Peace
Sunday 6th October 2024  27th Sunday in ordinary time (B)	9am Parish Mass at Hickleton 10.30am Parish Mass at Bolton 10.30am Parish Mass at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Resurrection and for our Parish

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### September 2024

Sun 29th Harvest Thanksgiving  
 Mon 30th 7pm Produce Auction & Harvest Supper Hickleton Club

### October 2024

Fri 4th 1pm Wedding Goldthorpe  
 Sat 5th 10am Coffee Morning Bolton Hall  
 Sat 26th 10am Coffee Morning Goldthorpe Hall

### November 2024

Sat 2nd 10am Coffee Morning Bolton Hall  
 Tues 19th 11am Bolton PCC Bolton church Hall  
 Thurs 21st 7pm Hickleton PCC Goldthorpe  
 Sat 23rd 9:30am Focal Ministry Team Meeting Goldthorpe Hall  
 Sat 30th 11am Christmas Fair Goldthorpe Hall

### December 2024

Sun 1st 12noon Goldthorpe PCC Goldthorpe  
 Mon 2nd 6.30pm W.I. Carol Service Goldthorpe  
 Fri 6th 7pm Christmas Disco Goldthorpe Hall  
 Tues 17th 6pm Christmas songs and games Bolton Hall  
 Sat 21st 7pm THMV Choir Concert Goldthorpe  
 Sun 22nd 4.30pm Carols by Candle light Bolton church  
 Tues 24th 6pm Nine Lessons & Carols Hickleton  
 4pm Crib Service Goldthorpe  
 6pm Carols around the tree Hickleton Club  
 9pm Vigil Mass Bolton  
 Midnight Mass Goldthorpe  
 Wed 25th 9am Parish Mass Hickleton  
 9.30am Parish Mass Bolton  
 10.30am Parish Mass Goldthorpe  
 Thurs 26th 10am Mass Hickleton  
 Fri 27th 10am Mass Goldthorpe  
 6.30pm Christmas party Brook's house  
 Sat 28th 10am Mass Goldthorpe  
 Sun 29th 9am Parish Mass Hickleton  
 10.30am Parish Mass Bolton  
 10.30am Parish Mass Goldthorpe  
 Mon 30th 10am Mass Goldthorpe  
 Tues 31st 10am Mass Goldthorpe

## The Liturgy of the Eucharist

*We sing the Offertory Hymn*

**To thee, O Lord, our hearts we raise  
 In hymns of adoration;  
 To thee bring sacrifice of praise  
 With shouts of exultation.  
 Bright robes of gold the fields adorn,  
 The hills with joy are ringing,  
 The valleys stand so thick with corn  
 That even they are singing.**

**And now, on this our festal day,  
 Thy bounteous hand confessing,  
 Upon thine altar, Lord, we lay  
 The first-fruits of thy blessing;  
 By thee the souls of men are fed  
 With gifts of grace supernal;  
 Thou who dost give us daily bread,  
 Give us the bread eternal.**

**We bear the burden of the day,  
 And often toil seems dreary;  
 But labour ends with sunset ray,  
 And rest is for the weary;  
 May we, the angel-reaping o'er,  
 Stand at the last accepted,  
 Christ's golden sheaves for evermore  
 To garner bright elected.**

**O blessed is that land of God,  
 Where saints abide for ever;  
 Where golden fields spread fair and  
 broad,  
 Where flows the crystal river:  
 The strains of all its holy throng  
 With ours to-day are blending;  
 Thrice blessed is that harvest-song  
 Which never hath an ending.**

*If the prayers of blessing are said aloud the  
 people respond each time*

**Blessed be God for ever.**

*We stand*

Pray, my Brothers and Sisters that this  
 my sacrifice and yours may be  
 acceptable to God the almighty Father

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at  
 your hands for the praise and glory of  
 his name, for our good and the good of  
 all his holy Church.**

*The prayer over the Offerings*

Sanctify, O lord, the offerings we bring to  
 you with thanksgiving from the fertile  
 earth and, as you give us a rich harvest of  
 the earth's produce, so make our hearts  
 abound with heavenly fruitfulness.  
 Through Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

*The Eucharistic Prayer*

*Priest:* The Lord be with you  
*People:* **And with your spirit**  
*Priest:* Lift up your hearts  
*People:* **We lift them up to the Lord.**  
*Priest:* Let us give thanks to the Lord  
 our God.

*People:* **It is right and just**

*At the end of the preface we sing*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts.  
 Heaven and earth are full of your  
 glory. Hosanna in the highest**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name  
 of the Lord Hosanna in the highest.**

*We Kneel*

*After the words of Consecration the priest says:*

*Priest:* The mystery of faith.  
*People* **When we eat this bread and  
 drink this cup we proclaim your death,  
 O Lord, until you come again.**

*At the conclusion of the prayer:*

Through him, and with him, and in him  
 O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the  
 Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours,  
 for ever and ever.

*People:* **AMEN.**

*We stand for The Lord's Prayer*

*Priest:* At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

*People:* **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

*Priest:* Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

*People:* **For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.**

*Priest:* Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you; look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* The peace of the Lord be with you always.

*People:* **And with your spirit.**

*Priest:* Let us offer each other the sign of peace

*We share the sign of peace*

*The Breaking of the Bread*

*People:* **Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.**

*We kneel*

*Priest:* ✠Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

*People:* **Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

*The Communion Sentence*

*Priest:* The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth, and wine to cheer the heart

*We come forward to receive Holy Communion*

*We sing the Communion Hymn*

**Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not,  
As thou hast been Thou for ever wilt be.**

***Great is Thy faithfulness!***

***Great is Thy faithfulness!***

***Morning by morning new mercies I see:***

***All I have needed Thy hand hath provided –***

***Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!***

**Summer and winter, and spring-time and harvest,  
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.**

**Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside!**

*We stand for the Post Communion prayer*

*Priest:* Grant, we pray, O Lord, that, as we give you thanks in this saving mystery for the crops harvested from the earth, we may, through the same mystery working within us, be worthy to receive still greater blessings.

Through Christ our Lord.

*People:* **Amen**

*Any Notices etc may follow now.*

### The Concluding Rites

*We stand*

*Priest:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **and with your spirit.**

*Priest:* Bow down for God's blessing

*Priest:* May almighty God bless you in his kindness and pour out saving wisdom upon you

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* May he nourish you always with the teachings of the faith and make you persevere in holy deeds

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* May he turn your steps towards himself and show you the path of charity and peace

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* And may the blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the Son, † and the Holy Spirit, come down on you and remain with you for ever.

*People:* **Amen.**

*Priest:* Go forth the Mass is ended

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

*We sing our final hymn*

**We plough the fields, and scatter  
The good seed on the land,  
But it is fed and watered  
By God's almighty hand;  
He sends the snow in winter,  
The warmth to swell the grain,  
The breezes and the sunshine,  
And soft refreshing rain:**

*Refrain:*

**All good gifts around us  
Are sent from heaven above,  
Then thank the Lord, O thank the Lord,  
For all his love.**

**He only is the Maker  
Of all things near and far,  
He paints the wayside flower,  
He lights the evening star.  
The winds and waves obey him,  
By him the birds are fed;  
Much more to us, his children,  
He gives our daily bread: [Refrain]**

**We thank thee then, O Father,  
For all things bright and good;  
The seed-time and the harvest,  
Our life, our health, our food.  
No gifts have we to offer  
For all thy love imparts,  
But that which thou desirest,  
Our humble, thankful hearts: [Refrain]**