

“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 responding 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 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



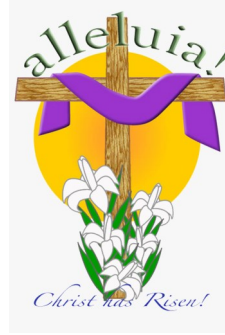
Week commencing
EASTER VI
(A)

THE PARISH CHURCH OF SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST &
SAINT MARY MAGDALENE, GOLDTHORPE.

10th May 2026

EASTER VI (A)

(Missal page 387)



THE PARISH MASS

The Introductory Rites

When the bell rings we stand to sing the first Hymn

SING we of the blessed Mother
who received the angels word,
And obedient to his summons
bore in love the infant Lord;
Sing we of the Joys of Mary
at whose breast that child was fed
Who is Son of God eternal
and the everlasting Bread.

Sing we, too, of Mary's sorrows,
of the sword that pierced her through,
When beneath the cross of Jesus
she his weight of suffering knew,
Looked upon her Son and Saviour
reigning high on Calvary's tree,
Saw the price of man's redemption
paid to set the sinner free.

Sing again the joys of Mary
when she saw the risen Lord,
And in prayer with Christ's apostles,
waited on his promised word:
From on high the blazing glory
of the Spirit's presence came,
Heavenly breath of God's own being,
Manifest through wind and flame.

Sing the chiefest joy of Mary
when on earth her work was done,
And the Lord of all creation
brought her to his heavenly home:
Virgin Mother, Mary blessed,
Raised on high and crowned with grace
May thy Son, the world's redeemer,
Grant us all to see his face.

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 Baptism.*

Priest: Dear brothers and sisters let us
humbly beseech the Lord our God
to bless this water he has created,
which will be sprinkled on us as a
memorial of our Baptism. May he
help us by his grace to remain
faithful to the Spirit we have
received.

Pause for silent prayer

Lord our God, in your mercy be
present to your people's prayers
and, for us who recall the
wondrous work of our creation,
and still the greater work of our
redemption, graciously + bless
this water. For you created water

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Monday 11th May 2026

Sick: Dorothy, Janet Newsome, Janet Watkinson,
Will Hanley, Rena Shaw, Mary Haigh, John Freeborn,
Years Mind: Connie Stopforth, Jack Briscoe,
Church: The Kuks family
Local Community Carr Green (B)
General: For Peace

Tuesday 12th May

Sick: Brenda Goodwin, Ann Stones, Jennifer Spink, Diane,
Ian, Mary Wilkinson,
Years Mind: Cuthbert Hayes, Mary Agnes Jones,
Thomas Barras, Thomas Parkinson
Church: Judith Lane,
Local Community Carr Head Lane (B)
General: For Children

Wednesday 13th May

Sick: Arthur Jones, Bob Pennington, David Stanton,
Years Mind: Benjamin Smeaton, Rita Jean Moore,
Mary Jane Clare,
Church: Anita & Ryan Leaver
Local Community Castle Hill Fold (H)
General: Thanksgiving for the Resurrection

Thursday 14th May

Sick: Barbara, Gordon, Gemma Bloor, Bp Alan Chesters,
Fr Alan Parkinson, Terry Askew,
Years Mind: Beatrice Bray, Suwatana Zhini
Church: Kevin Leaver
Local Community Cemetery Road (B)
General: Thanksgiving for the Ascension

Friday 15th May

Sick: Beverley, Hannah Rebecca, Enid Green,
Years Mind: John Roe, Freda Jevons, Lily Hays,
Church: Kerry & Paul Lemon,
Local Community Ceramia Court (G)
General: For our Armed Forces

Saturday 16th May

Sick: Tina Feerney, Barbara Smith, Willow Brown,
Years Mind: Patrick Ewan Granger, Sybil Grace Askew,
Church: Rosalie Mace
Local Community Chapel Lane (H)
General: Of Our Lady

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

**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
Grant, almighty God,
that we may celebrate with heartfelt
devotion these days of joy, which we keep
in honour of the risen Lord, and that what
we relive in remembrance we may always
hold to in what we do.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of
the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

We sit for The First Reading

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles
Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

In those days: Philip went down to the city
of Samaria and proclaimed to them the
Christ. And the crowds with one accord
paid attention to what was being said by
Philip, when they heard him and saw the
signs that he did. For unclean spirits, crying
out with a loud voice, came out of many
who had them, and many who were
paralysed or lame were healed. So there
was much joy in that city.
Now when the Apostles at Jerusalem heard
that Samaria had received the word of God,
they sent to them Peter and John, who
came down and prayed for them that they
might receive the Holy Spirit, for he had not
yet fallen on any of them, but they had only
been baptised in the name of the Lord
Jesus. Then they laid their hands on them
and they received the Holy Spirit.
The word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

to make the fields fruitful and to
refresh and cleanse our bodies.
You also made water the
instrument of your mercy: for
through water you freed your
people from slavery and
quenched their thirst in the desert;
through water the Prophets
proclaimed the new covenant you
were to enter upon with the
Human race; and last of all,
through water, which Christ made
holy in the Jordan, you have
renewed our corrupted nature
in the bath of regeneration.
Therefore, may this water be for
us a memorial of the Baptism we
have received, and grant that we
may share in the gladness of our
brother and sisters who at
Easter have received their
Baptism. Through Christ our Lord.
Amen

We are sprinkled with Holy Water as we sing

**I saw the Holy city, new Jerusalem in glo-
ry, coming from out of Heav'n, sent down
by God; as a bride robed in splendour full
of beauty adorned to meet her spouse.**

Priest: May almighty God cleanse us of
our sins, and through the celebration
of this Eucharist make us worthy to
share at the table of his Kingdom.

People: **Amen.**

The Gloria in Excelsis follows

**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,**

DATES FOR THE DIARY

May 2026

Thurs 14th	Ascension Day	
Sat 16th	SOLE Pilgrimage	Egmanton
Mon 25th	12noon National Pilgrimage to Walsingham	
Fri 29th	9am Antiques Valuations	Goldthorpe Hall
Sat 30 th	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall

June 2026

Mon 1st	7.30pm Archdeacon's Visitation	Doncaster Minster
Sat 6th	10am Coffee Morning & Fair	Bolton Church
Sun 7th	Corpus Christi	
Mon 8th	7.30pm Archdeacon's Visitation	Snaith Priory
Sat 27th	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall
	4pm Wedding	Goldthorpe

July 2026

Sat 4th	10am Coffee Morning	Bolton Church
	2pm Afternoon Tea Party	The Wordsworth's
Mon 6th	10am Hickleton PCC	Hickleton Club
Thurs 9th	1pm Bolton PCC	Bolton church
	7pm Sing-a-long & Pie Supper	Hickleton Club
Fri 10th	7pm Thurnscoe MVC & Penistone Ladies Choir	Goldthorpe
Sat 11th	2pm Wedding	Goldthorpe
Tues 14th—Thurs 16th	Diocesan Conference	Swanwick
Sat 18th	See of Beverley Do	York Minster
Sat 25th	Garden Party with choir	Goldthorpe grounds

August 2026

Sat 1st	10am Coffee Morning	Bolton church
	1pm Wedding	Goldthorpe
Sat 29th	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall

September 2026

Sat 5th	10am Coffee Morning	Bolton church
Sat 19th	Heritage Open Day	all churches
Sat 26th	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall
Sun 27th	Thanksgiving for the Harvest	
Mon 28th	7pm Harvest Supper	Hickleton Club

October 2026

Fri 2nd	6.30pm Harvest Cheese & Wine	Bolton church hall
Sat 3rd	10am Coffee Morning	Bolton church Hall
Sat 31st	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 66(65):1-3a. 4-5. 6-7a. 16, 20. □1

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.
Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth;
 O sing to the glory of his name.
 O render him glorious praise.
 Say to God, 'How wondrous your deeds!'
Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

'Before you all the earth shall bow down,
 shall sing to you, sing to your name!'
 Come and see the works of God:
 his wondrous deeds among the children
 of Adam.
Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

He turned the sea into dry land;
 they passed through the river on foot.
 Let our joy, then, be in him;
 he rules for ever by his might.
Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

Come and hear, all who fear God;
 I will tell what he did for my soul.
 Blest be God who did not reject my
 prayer
 nor withhold from me his merciful love.
Cry out with joy to God, all the earth.

Second Reading

A Reading from the first Letter of
 Saint Peter

1 Peter 3:15-18

Beloved: In your hearts honour Christ the
 Lord as holy, always being prepared to
 make a defence to anyone who asks you
 for a reason for the hope that is in you;
 yet do it with gentleness and respect,
 having a good conscience, so that, when
 you are slandered, those who revile your
 good behaviour in Christ may be put to
 shame. For it is better to suffer for doing
 good, if that should be God's will, than for
 doing evil. For Christ also suffered once
 for sins, the righteous for the unright-
 eous, that he might bring us to God, be-
 ing put to death in the flesh but made
 alive in the spirit.

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

We stand for the Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

If anyone loves me, he will keep my word,
 says the Lord, and my Father will love him,
 and we will come to him.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Priest: The Lord be with you

People: **And with your spirit.**

✠A reading from the Holy Gospel
 according to John

John 14:15-21

Glory to you, O Lord

At that time: Jesus said to his disciples,
 'If you love me, you will keep my
 commandments. And I will ask the Father,
 and he will give you another Helper, to be
 with you for ever, even the Spirit of truth,
 whom the world cannot receive, because it
 neither sees him nor knows him. You know
 him, for he dwells with you and will be in
 you.

'I will not leave you as orphans; I will come
 to you. Yet a little while and the world will
 see me no more, but you will see me.
 Because I live, you also will live. In that day
 you will know that I am in my Father, and
 you in me, and I in you. Whoever has my
 commandments and keeps them, he it is
 who loves me. And he who loves me will
 be loved by my Father, and I will love him
 and manifest myself to him.'

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 al-
 mighty,
 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

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.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

We sing the Offertory Hymn

I danced in the morning
When the world was begun,
And I danced in the moon
And the stars and the sun,
And I came down from heaven
And I danced on the earth,
At Bethlehem
I had my birth.
*Dance, then, wherever you may be,
I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,
And I'll lead you all, wherever you
may be,
And I'll lead you all in the Dance,
said he.*

I danced for the scribe
And the pharisee,
But they would not dance
And they wouldn't follow me.
I danced for the fishermen,
For James and John –
They came with me
And the Dance went on. *Dance, then,*

I danced on the Sabbath
And I cured the lame;
The holy people they
Said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped
And they hung me on high,
And they left me there
On a Cross to die. *Dance, then,*

I danced on a Friday
When the sky turned black –
It's hard to dance
With the devil on your back.
They buried my body
And they thought I'd gone,
But I am the Dance,
And I still go on. *Dance, then,*

They cut me down
And I leapt up high;
I am the life
That'll never, never die;
I'll live in you
If you'll live in me –
I am the Lord
Of the Dance, said he. *Dance, then,*

NOTICES

Lent Boxes

If you haven't done so already please bring your Lent Boxes back to church and we can send the money to each of our designated charities. Thank you.

Easter Flowers

It isn't too late if you would like to contribute towards flowers for Easter either in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for blessings received please see a Church Warden or Treasurer and Gift Aid your donation if you are able. Thank you.

Society of Our Lady of Egmonton

Saturday 16th May 2026 - 12noon – Annual Sung Mass followed by lunch and the SOLE AGM (for 2025). The celebrant and preacher is The Rt Revd Luke Irvine-Capel SSC, Bishop of Richborough. All welcome.

Ascension Day, (Thursday)

Is a Holy day of obligation and it is incumbent on all who are Christians to give thanks on this day by attending worship. There are 2 Masses within our area of responsibility. 10am at Hickleton and 7pm at Goldthorpe.

Holy Days of Obligation

We have been asked what these are so herewith is the list:

- Every Sunday
- **Nativity of the Lord** (25 December)
- **Epiphany of the Lord** (6 January*)
- **Ascension of the Lord** (Thursday after 6th Sunday of Easter)
- **Corpus Christi** (Sunday following Trinity Sunday)
- **St Peter & St Paul** (29 June*)
- **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** (15 August*)
- **All Saints** (1 November*)

* Holydays which fall on Saturday or Monday are transferred to the Sunday.

Food Bank

We are collecting items for the Salvation Army Food Bank and there is a basket at the back of church 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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Day	Service/Event	Intention
Monday 11th May 2026 <i>Feria</i>	8am Mass at Goldthorpe	For Peace
Tuesday 12th May <i>feria</i>	10.30am Mass at Bolton Church 7pm Mass at Goldthorpe	For Children
Wednesday 13th May <i>feria</i>	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 6pm Vestry Hour at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Resurrection of The Lord
Thursday 14th May THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD	10am Mass at Hickleton 7pm Solemn Mass at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Ascension of The Lord
Friday 15th May <i>feria</i>	10.30am Mass at Goldthorpe	For our Armed Forces
Saturday 16th May <i>feria</i>	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 12noon SOLE Pilgrimage to our Lady of Egmanton	Of Our Lady
Sunday 17th May 2026 Seventh Sunday of Easter	9am Parish Mass at Hickleton 10.30am Parish Mass at Bolton 10.30am Parish Mass at Goldthorpe 12.15pm Baptism at Goldthorpe	Thanksgiving for the Resurrection and for our Parish

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

May our prayers rise up to you, O Lord, together with the sacrificial offerings, so that, purified by your graciousness, we may be conformed to the mysteries of your mighty love.
 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**

The Preface follows, 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

The Priest continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

After the words of Consecration the priest says:

Priest: The mystery of faith.

People **Save us saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free**

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.**

The Lord's Prayer

We stand

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.

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: If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

We come forward to receive Holy Communion

We sing the Communion Hymn

Mary, most holy, from your hands falling are heaven's blessings. Hear us, now calling.

Teach us to pray and work for God's glory. Ave Maria, ave

Help us to witness Christ is still living, service to others cheerfully giving. Teach us to pray and work for God's glory. Ave Maria, ave

Through joy and sorrow, each day's condition, ever, dear Mother, hear our petition. Teach us to pray and work for God's glory. Ave Maria, ave

The Post Communion prayer we stand

Priest: Graciously be present to your people, we pray, O Lord, and lead those you have imbued with heavenly Mysteries to pass from former ways to newness of life. Through Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen**

Any Notices etc may follow now.

The Concluding Rites

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: Bow down for God's blessing

Priest: The Lord be with you

People: **and with your spirit**

Priest: Bow down for God's blessing.

Priest: May God, who by the Resurrection of his Only Begotten Son was pleased to confer on you the gift of redemption and of adoption, give you gladness by his blessing.

People: **Amen.**

Priest: May he, by whose redeeming work you have received the gift of everlasting freedom, make you heirs to an eternal inheritance.

People: **Amen.**

Priest: And may you, who have already risen with Christ in Baptism through faith, by living in a right manner on this earth be united with him in the homeland of heaven.

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**

The Regina Coeli

**Joy to thee, O Queen of heaven.
Alleluia!
He whom thou was meet to bear.
Alleluia!
As he promised hath arisen.
Alleluia!
Pour for us to God thy prayer.
Alleluia!**

Priest: Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia.

People: **For the Lord is risen indeed.
Alleluia**

Priest: Let us pray: O God, who by the resurrection of thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ has brought joy to the whole world: grant that through the prayers of the Virgin Mary his Mother we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

We sing our final Hymn

**Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
Endless is the victory thou o'er death hast won;
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
Kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.**

Refrain:

**Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son,
Endless is the vict'ry thou o'er death hast won.**

**Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
Lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
Let the Church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
For her Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting: [Refrain]**

**No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of Life;
Life is nought without thee: aid us in our strife,
Make us more than conquerors through thy deathless love;
Bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above: [Refrain]**