

“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 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

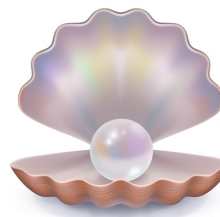
Parish Intercession List



Week commencing
17th Sunday
in Ordinary Time (A)

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

26th July 2026



17th Sunday in ordinary time (A)

(Missal page 750)

THE PARISH MASS

The Introductory Rites

When the bell rings we stand to sing the first Hymn

**All for Jesus, all for Jesus, this our song shall ever be;
for we have no hope, nor Saviour, if we have no hope in Thee.**

**All for Jesus, Thou wilt give us strength to serve Thee, hour by hour;
none can move us from Thy presence, while we trust Thy love and power.**

**All for Jesus, at Thine altar
Thou wilt give us sweet content;
there, dear Lord, we shall receive Thee in the solemn sacrament.**

**All for Jesus, Thou hast loved us;
all for Jesus, Thou hast died; all for Jesus, Thou art with us; all for Jesus crucified.**

**All for Jesus, all for Jesus,
this the Church's song must be;
till, at last, her sons are gathered one in love and one in Thee.**

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 and we call to mind our sins

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. **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 follows

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Monday 27th July 2026

Sick: Dorothy, Janet Newsome, Janet Watkinson,
Will Hanley, Mary Haigh, John Freeborn.
Years Mind: William Hill, Robert Bowes, Clara Edith Jones.
Church: Pat Green
Local Community Green Gate Close (B)
General: For Peace

Tuesday 28th July

Sick: Brenda Goodwin, Ann Stones, Jennifer Spink, Diane,
Mary Wilkinson, David Nutton
Years Mind: Jeffrey Barnett, Robert Merrington-Cox
Church: Andrew Hailey
Local Community Hall Broome Gardens (B)
General: For those on Holiday

Wednesday 29th July

Sick: Arthur Jones, Bob Pennington, David Stanton, Pamela.
Years Mind: Julia Roe, Hilda Burton, Hetty Parker,
Peter Woodley, Leslie Kershaw,
Dennis McKee *Pr*, Dorothy Annakin.
Church: Sid & Maureen Hall.
Local Community Hall Street (G)
General: For Family Life

Thursday 30th July

Sick: Barbara, Gordon, Gemma Bloor, Bp Alan Chesters,
Fr Alan Parkinson, Shiela Robert, Sue Swift
Years Mind: Ethel Percy, Irene Milner, John Edward Sowerby
Church: Kevin Hall
Local Community Hamilton Road (G)
General: For Christian Unity

Friday 31st July

Sick: Beverley, Hannah Rebecca, Enid Green, Lisa,
Gabrielle Thompson, Jason Parks
Years Mind: Violet Watkinson
Church: Denis & Angela Hays
Local Community Hawthorn Croft (G)
General: For the Jesuits

Saturday 1st August 2026

Sick: Tina Feeney, Barbara Smith, Willow Brown, Terry Askew,
Jessica Knowles-Stott.
Years Mind: Edward Croon, Clifford Timmon.
Church: Barbara Hiley
Local Community Hawthorne Drive (B)
General: For all Confessors

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

Solomon said, 'O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of David my father, although I am but a little child. I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of your people whom you have chosen, a great people, too many to be numbered or counted for multitude. Give your servant, therefore, an understanding mind to govern your people, that I may discern between good and evil, for who is able to govern this your great people?'

It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. And God said to him, 'Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life, or riches, or the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, behold, I now do according to your word. Behold, I give you a wise and discerning mind, so that none like you has been before you and none like you shall arise after you.'

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 119(118):57, 72. 76-77. 127-128. 129-130.

O Lord, how I love your law!
O Lord, how I love your law!

You, O Lord, are my portion;
I have promised to obey your words.
The law from your mouth means more to me
than large quantities of silver and gold
O Lord, how I love your law!

Let your merciful love console me
by your promise to your servant.
Show me compassion, that I may live,
for your law is my delight.
O Lord, how I love your law!

That is why I love your commands
more than finest gold,
why I rule my life by your precepts,
and hate false ways.

O Lord, how I love your law!

**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 God, protector of those who hope in
you, without whom nothing has firm
foundation, nothing is holy,
bestow in abundance your mercy upon
us and grant that, with you as our ruler
and guide, we may use the good things
that pass in such a way as to hold fast
even now to those that ever endure.
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 first book of the Kings

1 Kings 3:5-6a, 7-12

In those days: The Lord appeared to
Solomon in a dream by night, and God
said, 'Ask what I shall give you.' And

NOTICES

Venezuela

Thank you to all those who have given generously to our appeal for money for the earthquake victims in Venezuela we raised £400. Our Money will be going to the D.E.C. (Disasters Emergency Committee.) Earthquake relief fund. Thank you.

Bonus Ball Draw

The Bonus Ball Draw is paid as a result of the first draw on Saturday evening. There are a number of slots available to join the Bonus Ball Draw if you would like to be a part of our big money extravaganza each week for just £1, please see Denis Hays.

Goldthorpe & Hickleton Sick Lists

Periodically we need to renew from scratch the lists of those who are prayed for because they are ill. This prevents any embarrassment or unnecessary sadness. Please add any names to the lists of the back of church checking with the person concerned that they are happy for this to happen.

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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Your decrees are wonderful indeed;
therefore my soul obeys them.
The unfolding of your word gives light,
and understanding to the simple.
O Lord, how I love your law!

Second Reading

A Reading from the Letter of Saint Paul
to the Romans

Romans 8:28-30

Brothers and Sisters: We know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers and sisters. And those whom he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified. The word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

We stand for the Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, you have revealed the secrets of the kingdom to little children.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Priest: The Lord be with you
People: **And with your spirit.**

✠A reading from the Holy Gospel
according to Matthew

Matthew 13:44-52

Glory to you, O Lord

At that time: Jesus said to the crowd:
‘The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.
‘Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it.
‘Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and

gathered fish of every kind. When it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and sorted the good into vessels but threw away the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.
‘Have you understood all these things?’ They said to him, ‘Yes.’ And he said to them, ‘Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like a master of a house, who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.’

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

The Homily now follows

We sit

We stand

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

Priest: Lord in your mercy
People: **Hear our prayer.**

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

**Take my life and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my moments and my days,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

**Take my hands and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love;
Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.**

**Take my voice and let me sing
Always, only for my King;
Take my lips and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee.**

**Take my silver and my gold,
Not a mite would I withhold;
Take my intellect and use
Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.**

**Take my will and make it Thine,
It shall be no longer mine;
Take my heart, it is Thine own,
It shall be Thy royal throne.**

**Take my love, my Lord, I pour
At Thy feet its treasure store;
Take myself, and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee.**

*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

Accept, O Lord, we pray, the offerings
which we bring from the abundance of
your gifts, that through the powerful
working of your grace these most
sacred mysteries may sanctify our
present way of life and lead us to
eternal gladness.
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*

DATES FOR THE DIARY

August 2026

Sat 1st	10am Coffee Morning 1pm Wedding	Bolton church Goldthorpe Cantley
Sun 9th	3pm Ordination	Goldthorpe
Sat 15th	6pm Eve of Assumption	Goldthorpe Hall
Tues 18th	9am-5pm Antique valuation day	Goldthorpe Grounds
Wed 19th	11am-3pm Sports fitness day	Goldthorpe Hall
Sat 29th	10am Coffee Morning	

September 2026

Sat 5th	10am Coffee Morning 12.30pm Wedding	Bolton church Bolton
Sat 12th	1pm Wedding	Goldthorpe
Sat 19th	from 10am 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 31st	10am Coffee Morning	Goldthorpe Hall

November 2026

Sun 1st	12noon Goldthorpe PCC	Goldthorpe
Sat 7th	10am Coffee Morning	Bolton Church Hall
Sun 8th	REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY	
Mon 16th	10am Hickleton PCC	Hickleton Club
Thurs 19th	1pm Bolton PCC	Bolton
Sat 28th	10am Christmas Fair	Goldthorpe Hall

December 2026

Thurs 3rd	1pm Advent Course	Bolton
Sat 5th	10am Christmas Coffee Morning	Bolton Church Hall
Thurs 10th	1pm Advent Course	Bolton
Thurs 17th	1pm Advent Course	Bolton
Fri 18th	7pm Thurnscoe MVC et al Concert	Goldthorpe
Sun 20th	3.30pm Christingle	Bolton
Thurs 24th	2pm Crib service	Bolton
	4pm Crib service	Goldthorpe
	6pm Carols around the tree	Hickleton War Memorial
	9pm 1st Mass of Christmas	Bolton
	Midnight Mass	Goldthorpe

Day	Service/Event	Intention
Monday 27th July 2026 <i>feria</i>	8am Mass at Goldthorpe	For Peace
Tuesday 28th July <i>feria</i>	10.30am Mass at Bolton Church 7pm Mass at Goldthorpe	For all on Holiday
Wednesday 29th July Ss Martha, Mary & Lazarus	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 6pm Vestry Hour at Goldthorpe	For Family life
Thursday 30th July <i>feria</i>	10am Mass at Hickleton	For Christian Unity
Friday 31st July S. Ignatius of Loyola	10.30am Mass at Goldthorpe	For the Jesuits
Saturday 1st August 2026 S. Alphonsus Liguori	9am Mass at Goldthorpe 10am Bolton Coffee Morning in church 1pm Wedding at Goldthorpe	For all Confessors
Sunday 2nd August 2026 18th Sunday in ordinary time Year A	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

This Booklet and the Light before the Blessed Sacrament
are paid for in loving memory of
PETER GREEN
Birthday Memories

**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 **We proclaim your death O
Lord and profess your
Resurrection 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.**

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: Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and never forget all his benefits.

We come forward to receive Holy Communion

We sing the Communion Hymn

**Seek ye first the kingdom of God
And His righteousness;
And all these things shall be added unto
you.**

**Allelu, Alleluia
Alleluia, alleluia.
Alleluia, Allelu, Alleluia**

**Man does not live by bread alone,
But by every word
That proceeds from the mouth of God.
Allelu, Alleluia**

**Ask, and it shall be given unto you;
Seek, and ye shall find.
Knock, and the door shall be opened
unto you.
Allelu, Alleluia**

The Post Communion prayer we stand

Priest: We have consumed, O Lord, this
divine Sacrament, the perpetual
memorial of the Passion of your
Son; grant, we pray, that this gift,
which he himself gave us with love
beyond all telling, may profit us for
salvation.
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

People: May the God of all consolation
order your days in his peace
and grant you the gifts of his
blessing.

People: **Amen.**

Priest: May he free you always from
every distress and confirm your
hearts in his love.

People: **Amen.**

Priest: So that on this life's journey
you may be effective in good
works, rich in the gifts of hope,
faith and charity, and may
come happily to eternal life.

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 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 ✠Cross and Passion, we may be
brought to the glory of His Resurrection;
through the same, Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

We sing our final Hymn

**Guide me, O thou great Redeemer,
Pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but thou art mighty,
Hold me with thy powerful hand:
Bread of heaven,
Feed me till I want no more.**

**Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through:
Strong Deliverer,
Be thou still my strength and shield.**

**When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's Destruction
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs of praises
I will ever give to thee.**