# St. Matthew's Catholic Church
## Loganholme Parish
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## 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

## 24 October – 25 October 2026 Yr. A.

**Readers: 5pm: Karen Barber, Nadine MacAninch;**
**8am: Marie Brown, Richard Penny; 9:30am: Jef Baker, Kristie Mackle;**
**6pm: Kia Are, Kate Diete.**
**Minister of Communion: 5pm: Volunteer; 8am: Pat Mackie;**
**9:30am: Linda Patino; 6pm: Jenny McCormack.**
**Projectionist: 5pm: Joel Davies; 8am: Steve Porteous;**
**9:30am: Rowena Penagunda; 6pm Cassandra Are.**

## IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK.

**Mon** 26 Oct Rosary at 10 a.m. **7 pm Mass.**
**Tues** 27 Oct Mass 8a.m. followed by rosary. **9 am Craft Group.**
**Wed** 28 Oct Mass 8a.m. followed by rosary.
**Thu** 29 Oct Mass 8a.m. followed by rosary.
**Fri** 30 Oct Mass 8a.m. followed by rosary.
**Sat** 31 Oct Mass 5p.m.
**Sun** 01 Nov Masses 8a.m, 9.30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

**Next Sunday's Readings: All Saints.**
**Revelation 7: 2-4, 9-14 1 John 3: 5-10 Matthew 22: 34-40.**

**Reconciliation at 4:15 pm every Saturday.**
**Other times by appointment with Fr Richard.**

# EXPLORING OUR FAITH

**ST MATTHEW'S PARISH, LOGANHOLME**

**Programs take place in the Parish Hall.**
All programs are free, with tea-coffee and snacks provided. We also have a kids' corner available.
**Contact Fiona: 0439 524 392** for more information.

## WALKING WITH FAITH



**Where the Camino Meets the Road to Emmaus**

SATURDAY - 10th October 2026
9.00 - 11.00 AM

A conversation with pilgrim and author Susan Jagannath about pilgrimage, faith, recognising Christ, and finding our way home.

## THE SCRIPTURES OF THE SCRUTINIES



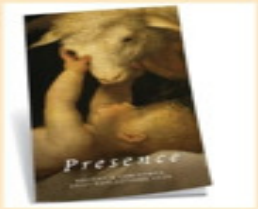
**A guided morning reflection**

SATURDAY - 7th November 2026
9.00 AM - 12.00 Noon

For anyone who desires a deeper relationship with Jesus, meditating upon these Scriptures can help one take their next step in their relationship with him. The first scrutiny focuses on Jesus the living water that quenches our thirst. The second focuses on Jesus the Light of the World that illuminates our sins and places in our lives where we need his forgiveness and grace. The third focuses on Jesus as the Resurrection and the Life who frees us from sin and death, offering us eternal life with him.

Adapted for St Matthew's Parish, from The Scriptures of the Scrutinies, by the Catherine of Siena Institute.

## ADVENT PROGRAM 2026




**Presence**

TUESDAYS - 24th November - 15th December
6.30 - 7.30 PM

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord." LUKE 1:46

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If you are new to our parish, we welcome you. Please put your name and phone number in the book at the back of the church to enable us to contact you or see Trish at the Piety stall at 9:30am Mass. We have various activities that may interest you including children's liturgy, craft group, Rosary group etc. Thank you and I look forward to meeting you. Trish

# 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

*"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,*
*with all your soul, and with all your mind."*
*Matthew 22:37*

Do you put other "gods" before God? Is your love of money, power, status, comfort or some personal possession greater than your love for God? Do you recognize that everything you have and that everything you are is a gift from God? Putting God first in everything, helps keep us from becoming a slave to our possessions and to our pride.

## Christmas Celebrations 2026 — St Matthew's Parish

| Date | Time | Liturgy/Service |
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| Friday 18th December | 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm | Sacrament of Penance - 1st Rite |
| Thursday 24th December | 6:00 pm<br>11:30 pm | Christmas Vigil MASS<br>Christmas Carols |
| Friday 25th December  | 12:00 am (midnight)<br>8:00 am & 9:30 am | Christmas Day MASS.<br>MASSES. |
| Saturday 26th December | 5:00 p.m. | MASS. |
| Sunday 27th December | 8:00 a.m.<br>9:30 a.m.<br>6:00 p.m. | MASSES. |




For the month of November the Church prays for all the deceased. If you would like **any new names** of deceased families and friends, please write their names in the envelope provided at the back of the Church and place it in the box. If you have already provided the names of the deceased person(s) in the last years, there is no need to provide their names again as their names are already entered into our book of prayers.




We have removed the weekly hardcopy list of names for the recently deceased, sick and anniversary. If you want someone to appear in the list of our newsletter, please obtain their permission and email their names on Thursdays before lunchtime to the parish office.

**Pope Leo XIV intention for November 2026:**

**For the Proper Use of Wealth.**

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be at the service of the common good and in solidarity with those who have less.

**Those Who have recently died** Fr Terence Hoare; Philippe Maujean.

**Those Who Are Sick** : Manea Tetevano; Faasui Timo; Yvonne Cook; Carlos Alvarenga; Jarrod Stevenson; Greg; Jace Trengrove; Jose; Tanya; Louise McGeachie; John Campbell; Marian Spencer; Vincent; Peter and Janet Courage; Nikky Taylor; Gladys Landaverde; Patrick Lim; Darren Wyer; Maria Alicia; Papaliitele Tanu Scanlon; Sonia Martyn; Florencia; Monica; Manea Tetevano; Robert Hickson; Nancy Brown; Tim; Sophie W; Darren W; John; Greg Pritchard; Lyn Ahern; Malcolm; Bob; Ross; Bernard Masau; Marquisete Mendes; Will; Christine O'Connor-Donze; Erica Martin-Le Fevre; Aileen Abbazov; Sam Newnham; Anna Felsman; Melanie Mackie; Lise Mackie; Wendy D'Arcy; Arnaud; Nadine; Samuel; Coral Abernathy; Jeffro Hawley; Marie-Antoine6e Saliba; Jean Newnham; Rose Appiah.

**Anniversaries:** Angelina and Jesus Balasabas; Peter Tabutoa; Keith Hickson; Kasanita Amon.