

Proposal for Re-structuring parishes Deanery of St Therese of Lisieux

Parish Boundaries

1. Saint Margaret Clitherow, Rochdale

From Smithy Bridge Railway station, E along Smithy Bridge Road and in a straight line across Hollingworth Lake to M62 Motorway near Lower Booth Hollins Farm. Then E along M62 Rochdale – Calderdale District boundary. Then S by the diocesan boundary to the junction of Ripponden Road (A672) and Buckstones Road (B6197) at Grains Bar. NW along Buckstones Road to Brunchapel Farm, then N by a beeline to the W boundary of the Brushes Clough Reservoir and by a stream following into it from the west to the point opposite Golden Street, then by a bee-line to the junction of Dunwoods Park Courst and Milnrow Road, N along Milnrow Road to the point where it meets Shaw and Crompton and Newhey railway. By a beeline to and W along Mossgate Road to the point opposite Higher Rise (road), then by a beeline excluding all of Greenhill Avenue, crossing Rochdale Road and Castleton Road (near Gravel Hole Methodist Church, Pit Lane), to and W along Thornham Lane, to its junction with Oldham Way, and then following Oldham – Rochdale District boundary and by a bee-line to M62 junction 20, N along the motorway to and E along Rochdale Canal Greenfield Lane, Queensway, Kingsway to the junction of Moss Bridge Road and Kingsway. Then N along Moss Bridge Road, Channing Street, Church Road, to the Rochdale – Smithy Bridge railway and E along that railway to Smithy Bridge station.

Former boundary between Sacred Heart and Holy Family

From the junction of Milnrow Road and Shaw Road, W along Shaw Road, NewHey Road, Elizabethan Way to M62 junction 21, and W along the Motorway and Road A6193 to its junction with Kingsway.