

ST PETER'S CHURCH

(With St Joseph's, Hurst Green)

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THE NEWSLETTER

22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time (year B)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sa 1 st Sep	5.30pm St P's	Ian Rankin L	Vigil of 22 nd Sunday of Ordinary Time
Su 2 nd	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	22 nd Sunday of Ordinary Time
	11.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	22 nd Sunday of Ordinary Time
M 3 rd	NO MASS		St Gregory the Great PpD
T 4 th	8.00am St P's	Tommy O'Brien B	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 22)
W 5 th	8.45am St P's	Ascensio Scholarum	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Th 6 th	NO MASS		Weekday in Ordinary Time
F 7 th	8.00am St P's	David & Lara – wedding blessings	Weekday in Ordinary Time

(Every Saturday Afternoon: **Holy Hour with Confessions** at 4.30pm, **Benediction** at 5.15pm)

L = Lately Dead, A = Anniversary of Death, R = Remembrance M = Martyr, V = Virgin, B = Bishop, Pp = Pope
 P = Personal Intention, S = Sick, B = Birthday F = Founders Mass D = Doctor, P = Priest, R = Religious

Please pray for the following, the anniversary of whose deaths occur at this time: Isabella Burns, Vincent Joseph Wilcock, Alice Wilcock and Bill Phillips. *May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Lisa Edmundson who died recently. She is the mother of Kai and Sienna who are at St Mary's Hall.

Please pray for the children and her husband Andrew. *May she rest in peace.*

Readings at Mass

	22 nd Sunday of OT (Yr B)	23 rd Sunday of OT (Yr B)
First	Deut 4; 1-2, 6-8	Isaiah 35; 4 – 7
Second	James 1; 17-18, 22, 27	James 2; 1 – 5
Gospel	Mark 7; 1-8,14-15,21-23	Mark 7; 31 -37

Diocesan Website:

<http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk>

For information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in September 2018

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information.



Today's Mass

Today we return to Mark's Gospel. Mark reports the discussion Jesus has with the Scribes and Pharisees about following the details of the Law but neglecting to practice kindness.

Letter from Pope Francis on Safeguarding.

The Pope has written to the 1.2 billion Catholics throughout the world. Copies of his letter are available at the back of the church. Please take home a copy and read it carefully.

New Weekday Mass Times

From this week the morning Mass on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday will begin at 8am.

However, for this week only, the Mass on Wednesday will be a whole school Mass and will begin at 8.45am.

Starting next week, on Thursdays during term time, there will be a Mass in St Mary's Hall, but at the new time of 8.45am.

Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council takes place this Tuesday at 7.30 pm in St Peter's. Please see a parish council member if you have a point you wish to raise.

New Term Begins

Classes resume at St Joseph's, SMH and Stonyhurst on Wednesday, though new pupils have an induction before that date.

We keep all of these children in our prayers.

Birthday of Our Lady

Next Saturday is the feast of the Birthday of Our Lady, the day when, traditionally, Jesuits made their first vows.

Pope's Visit to Ireland

We thank God for the grace that has flowed from Pope Francis' visit to Ireland. Let us assist him with our prayers.

Fr Tim away

Thanks to all who welcomed Fr Paul Fletcher and Fr Peter Brook over the past two weekends, enabling Fr Tim to get a few days away in Edinburgh, Glasgow and London.

The Collection

Weekend 25th/26th August 2018

Vigil	9.30am	TOTAL
£ 84.30	£ 88.00	£ 172.30

A special thank you to those who have returned from holiday and made contributions for the weeks they were away

Getting married at St Peter's

The new guidelines for getting married at St Peter's are now published on our website.

Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool

The Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress, called "Adoremus", takes place in Liverpool next weekend. The closing Mass in the Metropolitan Cathedral at 11.30am is not a ticketed event, but is likely to be very busy. There is an outdoor Eucharistic Procession at 1pm.

RCIA

Fr Tim will begin a course in September for adults who wish to be baptised or received into the Catholic faith. If you or someone you know would like to become a Catholic, please have a word with Fr Tim. Two people have signed up for this course already. The first meeting will take place at 4pm next Sunday in St Peter's.

CRB Checks for our volunteers.

Some volunteers in the parish require a CRB check:

- * Eucharistic Ministers who take communion to the sick in their homes.
- * Volunteers for the parish Youth Group
- * Those who conduct the Children's Liturgy
- * Children's Catechists.

You need to have a fresh check with the diocese, even if you have been checked for your job.

If your last check was more than three years ago, it will need to be renewed.

A team from the Diocese will be at St Mary's, Langho, on Saturday 20th October to conduct these checks. You will need to take with you three identity documents. Fr Tim can help with transport.