

ST PETER'S CHURCH

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THE NEWSLETTER

14th Sunday of OT (Year A)

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 8 th	5.30pm St P's	For the summer school children	Vigil of 14 th Sunday of OT
Su 9 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	14 th Sunday of OT
	11.00am St P's	Fr Philip Endean SJ (for health)	
M 10 th	No Mass		Weekday of Ordinary Time (Week 14)
Tu 11 th	8.00am St P's	Margaret Rogers L	St Benedict Ab
W 12 th	8.00am St P's	Richard Pearce L	Weekday of Ordinary Time
Th 13 th	No Mass		Weekday of Ordinary Time
F 14 th	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Weekday of Ordinary Time

(Each Saturday there confessions and a Holy Hour from 4.30pm with 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. Carolyn Coombs, Winefride Brown, Elizabeth Clayton, Mary Josephine Wilcock, Joan Mary Holden. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	14 th Sunday of OT (Year A)	15 th Sunday of OT (Year A)
First	Zech 9, 9 - 10	Isaiah 55; 10 - 11
Second	Rom 8; 9, 11 - 13	Rom 8; 18 - 23
Gospel	Matt 11; 25 - 30	Matt 13; 1 - 23

Diocesan Website:

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

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Jack Gowers RIP

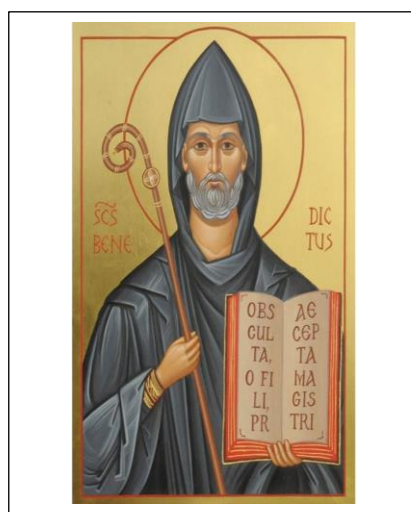
Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jack, who lost his battle against cancer in the week. May he rest in peace.

Praying with the Pope in July 2023

For a Eucharistic life

We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



St Benedict, Abbot

This Sunday

Is the 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus pledges to support anyone who is feeling the burdens of life.

Sea Sunday

Today we remember and pray for those who work at sea, risking their lives to bring us food!

Vigil Mass

Today, and over the next few weeks we will be joined at the Saturday Vigil Mass by pupils taking part on the Stonyhurst Summer School. We wish them well in their studies.

Summer Holidays

Stonyhurst and SMH have broken up for the Summer Holidays. However, there will be Benediction at 5.15pm on Saturdays and Mass at 11am on Sundays as usual.

Pupils at St Joseph's still have a couple of weeks to go!

St Augustine's High School presents *Sister Act*

Please support this production from Tuesday to Thursday at 7pm in the school hall.

Ticket Hotline: 01254 823362 (£8 adults, £6 children or a family deal for £25)

Coffee Stop

Takes place on Thursday at 1.30pm in the bowling green. Come along for a cuppa and a natter. All welcome.

Wedding

Please pray for Sean Ronnan and Celia Lupton who will be celebrating the sacrament of marriage in our church during the week.

Next Sunday

Is the 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches the crowd using the parable of the sower.

Diocesan Synod

Our deanery will be gathering for an evening of prayer at St Joseph's, Blackburn, on Tuesday 18th July from 6.30pm.

Our bishop is asking us all to pray daily for the success of the Synod. Please take a prayer card from the back of the church.

Tim back from his break

Fr Tim enjoyed a few days in London last week visiting family and friends. He is grateful to those who ran the communion services in the morning while he was away.

Visiting the sick

During the holidays Fr Tim likes to do the rounds of those who cannot come to Mass on a Sunday. He will make these visits *next* week (beginning Monday 17th July). If you know of someone who would like a visit, please let him know.

Richard Pierce RIP

Please pray for Richard who died on 26th June. He taught at the college for many years. May he rest in peace!

Defibrillator

A defibrillator has been positioned on the lamp post opposite the main doors of St Peter's. Instructions are posted on the bright yellow box. If you need to use it, you will have to phone for instructions.

Sea Sunday

Today is Sea Sunday. The following is an extract from the *Stell Maris* Magazine.

"There are times when many of us feel overburdened in our daily life. There can be so many demands, so much to do. For seafarers, life at sea can be extremely challenging. They are often far from their families and loved ones for long periods of time, working long hours, and facing the threats of accidents, piracy, and harsh weather conditions. And when they come into port in a foreign land, they know no one. Amid these challenges, *Stella Maris* provides a beacon of hope and support to seafarers. Its chaplains and volunteers offer the hand of friendship and listen to the concerns of the seafarers they meet. They help seafarers to contact their families back home, take them to Mass, or arrange for a priest to come on board, provide transport to local shops, and help to resolve problems of missing pay or sub-standard conditions. Just as Jesus offers rest to those who are burdened and weary, *Stella Maris* offers refuge and support to seafarers who are facing the challenges of life at sea. Its chaplains and volunteers are the hands and feet of Jesus in this world, bringing comfort to seafarers." Please remember them in your prayers.