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10th September 2017 Masses for this week THE NEWSLETTER

23rd Sunday of the Year

Date		Time	Intention	Feast	
Sa	9 th	5.30pm St P's	Priest's Intention	Vigil of the 23 rd Sunday of the Year	
Su	10 th	8.30am St P's	For the Parish	23 rd Sunday of the Year	
Su	10 th	10.00am St J's	Priest's Intention	23 rd Sunday of the Year	
М	11 th	7.55am	Priest's Intention	Weekday	
Т	12 th	8.00am	Priest's Intention	Weekday	
W	13 th	8.00am	Priest's Intention	St John Chrysostom BD	
Th	14 th	7.55am	Priest's Intention	Exaltation of the Holy Cross	
F	15 th	8.00am	Priest's Intention	Our Lady of Sorrows	

L = Lately Dead, A = Anniversary of Death, R = Remembrance

P = Personal Intention, S = Sick, B = Birthday

M = Martyr, V = Virgin, B = Bishop, Pp = Pope

D = Doctor, P = Priest, R = Religious

Please pray for the following, the anniversary of whose deaths occur at this time:

Fred Brown, George Haworth, Mary Elizabeth Newbold, Edward Jackson, Alice Earnshaw, Mary Alice Holden, Jack Francis Holden

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Readings at Mass

	23 rd Sunday	24 th Sunday
First	Ezekiel 33:7-9	Eccles 27:30-28:7
Second	Romans 13:8-10	Romans 14:7-9
Gospel	Matthew 18:15-20	Matthew 18:21-35

Collections: Very many thanks for your weekly donations for 2nd/3rd September

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Vigil	8.30am	10.00 am	TOTAL
£ 75.10	£ 89.26	£41.90	£206.26

Praying with the Pope in September, 2017 That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.

Look at <u>www.ThePopeVideo.org</u> for more information.

Days of Prayer.

The Diocese of Salford identifies certain days of the year and commends certain intentions to your prayers on those days.

Thus,

Sunday 10th September is a day of special prayer for Students and Teachers.

Sunday 17th September is a day of prayer for the Spread of the Gospel.

Sunday, 24th September is a day of prayer for the harvest and fruits of Human Work.

Perhaps you might spare a prayer or two for those intentions on the days as indicated.

From the Parish Priest.

I shall be away for a late summer holiday from Friday, September 15th until Friday, September 29th.

Whilst I am away, Fr Twist has kindly agreed to say the morning weekday masses except on the two Wednesdays I am away. There will be no mass on these two days at 8.00am.

The Mass on the two Friday's will be at 8.20am. He will also say the 5.30pm Vigil Mass on the two Saturdays and the 8.30am mass on the two Sundays.

Fr Peter Brook will say the 10.00am mass at St Joseph's on the two Sundays.

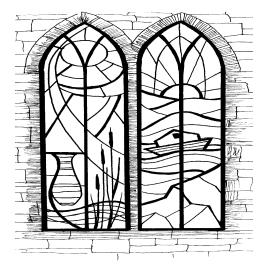
My thanks to Fr Twist and Fr Brook in advance and full details of the mass schedule during my absence will appear next week.

Jesuit Parishes Conference.

Following the Conference in Swanwick, Derbyshire last June, it is proposed to have a feed-back from our representatives who attended. This will take place at all masses on Saturday, October 7th and Sunday, October 8th. More details later.

Special Collection - Bishops' Conference

This Collection is taken at all masses on Saturday, 16th and Sunday 17th, September. As I will be away that weekend, I suggest that we postpone it to the weekend Sept. 30th/ October 1st.



From the Diocese of Salford.

Our Diocese of Salford have just launched their website which contains all sorts of news about activities in the Diocese and is also a mine of information about the various parish churches and Catholic schools in the Diocese. Dip into it from time to time and keep up with all that is going on in the Church around us.

http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk

Reformation 500!

The Church leaders of Churches Together in Lancashire invite you to gather as part of the whole Christian Community at Blackburn Cathedral.

Blackburn Cathedral, Cathedral Close, Blackburn, BB1 5AA

Thursday, 19th October 2017 at 2.00pm.

Speaking at this event side by side will be the National Ecumenical Officer for the Catholic Bishops of England and Wales Fr John O'Toole and the Vice President of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in England Pastor George Samiec. They will be joined by the Church leaders of Lancashire with reflections given by the Bishop of Blackburn, the Chair of the Methodist District and the Moderator for the United Reformed Church North West Synod. Also there will be representatives from the Baptist Association, Lancashire Quakers and the independent free churches.

Book a place through Eventbrite www.eventbrite.com/e/reformation-500-tickets-36683227521

or e-mail the County Ecumenical Officer antonmuller@ctlancashire.org.uk

The service will be followed by refreshments in the crypt at 3.30pm and a brief report from Churches Together in Lancashire.