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16th September 2018 **THE NEWSLETTER** 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (year B)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date		Time	Intention	Feast
Sa	15 th	5.30pm St P's	Priest's Intention	Vigil of 24 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Su	16 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	24 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
		11.00am St P's	For the College	24 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
М	17 th	NO MASS		St Robert Bellarmine, SJ BD
Т	18 th	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 24)
W	19 th	8.00am St P's	Thomas Wilkinson F	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Th	20 th	8.45am SMH	For the school	St Andrew Kim Taregon & Comps, Mm
F	21 st	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	St Matthew Apostle & Evangelist

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

L = Lately Dead, A = Anniversary of Death, R = Remembrance P = Personal Intention, S = Sick, B = Birthday F = Founders Mass

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: James Brown, Jane Duxbury, Margaret Holden, Fred Brown, George Haworth, Mary Elizabeth Newbold, Edward Jackson, Alice Earnshaw and Mary Alice Holden. 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 Eric Parkinson, the husband of Gill who taught Spanish at the College, who has died recently. May he rest in peace.

Readings at Mass

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	24th Sunday of OT (Yr B)	25th Sunday of OT (Yr B)		
First	Isaiah 50; 5 – 9	Wisdom 2; 12, 17 – 20		
Second	James 2; 14 – 18	James 3; 16 – 4; 3		
Gospel	Mark 8; 27 - 35	Mark 9, 30 - 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 <u>www.ThePopeVideo.org</u> for more information.

The Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF) assists every one of the Catholic Church's 1,069 mission dioceses in providing pastoral care and preaching the Gospel effectively.



Today's Mass

Peter recognises Jesus as the Messiah. He is the one who came to suffer that we might be saved.

APF Red Box Appeal

We welcome Fr Jan Klaver (a Mill Hill father) from the APF who will make an appeal at all Masses today for the missions. He wants to thank those who have red boxes in their homes and encourage others to take them. There will be a second collection for the APF today.

Coffee Stop

This social gathering resumes this Monday in St John's Old School Hall from 2 to 4pm. Enjoy a natter with your friends and enjoy some home baking.

RCIA

This course has begun. We have two candidates, so please keep them in your prayers as they undertake their journey towards reception into the church. It's not too late if anyone else wants to join this group.

The Collection

Weekend 1st/ 2nd September 2018

Vigil	9.30am	TOTAL
£ 97.58	£ 86.65	£ 184.23

Some people prefer to make their contribution by Standing Order. These donations averaged just over £100.00 per week for the month of August. Thank you for your generosity.

Charity Film Night

The Hummingbird Project announce a charity movie night *Whistle down the Wind* on Monday 24th September at 7.30pm in the St John's Old School Hall. Donation of £5.00. Refreshments. All welcome.

Hope in the Future: Part II

Bishop John Arnold is launching the second part of this diocesan initiative in Salford Cathedral at 7.30pm on Thursday 4th October. The Hope in the Future group is meeting to prepare our parish presentation for this service.

Jesuit Mission Representative

JM is looking for a parish representative to promote their work in the parish. If you are interested, please see Ft Tim.

The Statue of Our Lady

The Statue of Our Lady at the end of the avenue has been gone for some months undergoing repairs. We hope to have her back soon, restored to her original colours.

Fr Peter Griffiths

Has written to the parish. When he left he received a gift from parishioners which he said he would put towards a pilgrimage to Lourdes. He has just completed that pilgrimage, where he met some of our folk, so he wishes to thank all those who made it possible for him to go. He sends his best wishes to everyone.

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.

Safeguarding Officer

The parish Safeguarding Officer is Naill Macfarlane (07786 432360). If you have any concerns whatsoever, please contact him.

APF Red Boxes – do I need one?

There are Red Boxes in over 200,000 homes. They have helped raise millions of pounds for the missionary Church. Watch the video at https://missio.org.uk/about-apf