

# ST PETER'S CHURCH

(with St Joseph's, Hurst Green)

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29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year C)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 15 <sup>th</sup>	5.30pm St P's	For the Stonyhurst family	Vigil of the 29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of OT
Su 16 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of OT
	11.00am St P's	Special Intention	
M 17 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass		St Ignatius of Antioch BD
Tu 18 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am St P's	Robert Joseph Jackson A	Luke the Evangelist St
W 19 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	St John de Brebeuf SJ + Comps MM
Th 20 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am SMH	For the School	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Wk 29)
F 21 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Weekday in Ordinary Time

(Each Saturday there is 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 = Religio

**Please pray for the following, the anniversary of whose deaths occur at this time.** Mary Ann Holden, Doreen Marsh, Mary Geraldine Taylor, Margaret Mary Duxbury, Harry Ainsworth, Robert Joseph Jackson, Lynn Gudgeon and Robert Johnson.  
*May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

## Readings at Mass

	29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of OT (Yr C)	30 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of OT
First	Exod 17; 8 - 13	Ecclus 35; 12 - 14
Second	2 Tim 3; 14 - 4; 2	2Tim 4; 6-8, 16 - 18
Gospel	Luke 18; 1 - 8	Luke 18; 9 - 14

## Diocesan Website:

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

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

## Praying with the Pope in October 2022 For a Church more open to everyone:

We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

Look at [www.ThePopeVideo.org](http://www.ThePopeVideo.org) for more information



*I must give this widow her just rights or she will worry me to death*

### This Sunday

Is the 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches his disciples how to be persistent in prayer.

### This Weekend

The boarders will be coming to the Vigil Mass, so the 11am Mass on Sunday will be a quiet Mass.

### Jesuit Parishes Meeting.

Representatives from all the Jesuit parishes in the UK will be meeting from Tuesday to Thursday. This time the meeting takes place in Theodore House.

### Confirmation

The second meeting of confirmation candidates takes place in the parish rooms at Clitheroe on Tuesday at 6pm.

### Rosary in October

The parish rosary will be every Wednesday in October at 7pm in the evening. Some parishioners like to gather together in person, while some prefer to take part via Zoom. For this Wednesday the gathering will be at Margaret Embury's house (9 Avenue Road). If you would prefer the Zoom link, please let Fr Tim know.

### Feasts during the week

On Monday we celebrate the feast of **St Ignatius of Antioch**. A bishop who was martyred by being thrown to the lions. St Ignatius of Loyola was so impressed with him that he changes his name from Inigo to Ignatius. Tuesday is the feast of **St Luke**, the author of the Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, **St John de Brebeuf and companions** were Jesuit missionaries martyred in Canada as they tried to introduce the faith to the indigenous peoples.

### Next Sunday

Is the 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches us about the importance of humility in prayer.

### Fr Tim's health update

Fr Tim had a review of his treatment on Thursday. It seems that everything is on track. However, he won't find out if it has been successful for a couple of months after the treatment has finished.

### Fr Adrian Howell, SJ

Fr Adrian Howell, SJ, will be around in the parish over the next few weeks and will be able to help with parish Masses. Welcome back Fr Adrian.

### Annual Mass Count

Over the last few weeks we have been counting the number of people who come to Sunday Mass. This becomes part of the statistics of the Catholic Church.

Date	5.30pm	9.30am	11am	Total
18 Sep	39	45	400	484
25 Sep	33	41	427	501
2 Oct	34	47	460	541
9 Oct	47	43	421	511
Total	153	176	1708	2037
Average	38	44	427	509

Compared to last year, the numbers coming to the vigil Mass and the 9.30 am Sunday Mass are slightly lower this year. There are more boarders this year, so numbers for the 11am Mass are up. The average attendance is up from 468 to 509. Thanks to those who helped with the counting.

### All Saints and All Souls

On **All Saints Day** (Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> Nov), there will be no 8am Mass in St Peters, but a 9.30am Mass in St Joseph's and an 11am Mass in St Peter's. On **All Souls Day** (Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov) instead of the 8am Mass in St Peter's, there will be an 11am Mass in the cemetery chapel.

### Statue of the Redeemer

The plinth for the new statue for the cemetery has been completed. The statue will appear soon. Buried in the plinth is a parchment scroll containing the names of all of those who have contributed to this project. Here is Fr Tim placing the scroll inside the plinth.

