

ST PETER'S CHURCH

(with St Joseph's, Hurst Green)

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THE NEWSLETTER

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year C)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 23 rd	5.30pm St P's	Helen Clarke A	Vigil of the 17 th Sunday of OT
Su 24 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	17 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
	11.00am St P's	Achill Wenzel A	
M 25 th	No Mass		St James, Apostle
Tu 26 th	8.00am St P's	Christopher Moss (B'day blessings)	St Joachim & St Anne, parents of Mary
W 27 th	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Wk 17)
Th 28 th	No Mass		Weekday in Ordinary Time
F 29 th	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Sts Martha, Mary and Lazarus

(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 = Religious

Please pray for the following, the anniversary of whose deaths occur at this time. Gilbert Melling, John Michael Perry, Michael Groche, Catherine Hill, Winefride Burns, Elizabeth Brown, Tom Grimshaw, and Fran Ballin. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	17 th Sunday of OT (Yr C)	18 th Sunday of OT
First	Gen 18; 20 - 32	Ecles 1; 2, 3; 21 - 23
Second	Col 2; 12 - 14	Col 3; 1 - 5, 9 - 11
Gospel	Luke 11; 1 - 13	Luke 12; 13 - 21

Diocesan Website:

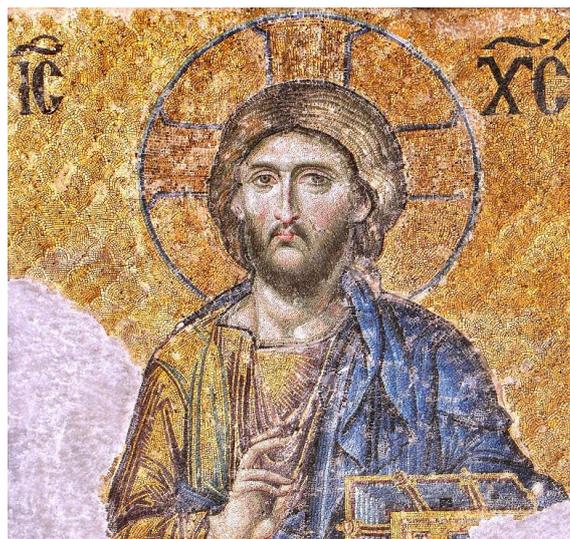
<http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk>

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in July 2022

For the elderly: We pray for the elderly who represent the roots and memories of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



Lord, teach us to pray

Covid 19

There has been a surge of cases in the village recently. Thankfully no one is seriously ill, but a reminder that we still need to be vigilant.

This Sunday

Is the 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches his disciples how to pray. We are reminded of the importance of the Our Father in our prayer life.

Benediction and the 11am Mass

Takes place in St Peter's as usual, even though the boarders are on holiday.

The 5.30pm Vigil Mass

The Catholic students taking part in the Stonyhurst Summer Language programme will join the 5.30pm Mass. It is a pleasure to welcome them.

Summer Holidays

Stonyhurst, SMH and St Joseph's are all on their summer break. We wish them a restful break.

St Joachim and St Anne

Tuesday is the feast day of the parents of Our Lady, the grandparents of Jesus. In many countries it is "grandparents day", a chance for us to remember and pray for our own grandparents,

Ecumenical Service

There will be an ecumenical service, followed by lunch, in St Joseph's primary on Wednesday beginning at 11am. To book a place, please phone Fr Brian on 01254 878352.

Mass for LGBT+ Catholics

The Diocese of Salford is celebrating a Mass for LGBT+ Catholics and their families on Saturday at 3pm in St Augustine's Church, Grosvenor Street, Manchester, M15 6BW. Anyone is welcome to attend this Mass.

Next Sunday

Is the 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time. It is also the feast of St Ignatius Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus. The readings will be from the Sunday and the prayers from the feast. In the gospel Jesus tells the parable of the rich man who wanted to amass a fortune.

St Ignatius day celebrations (Sunday 31st July)

To celebrate the feast of St Ignatius about 100 parishioners from Liverpool, Manchester and Preston will come here to enjoy a shared picnic on the SMH lawns from 2pm until the celebration of Benediction at 4pm. Hopefully we can supply some light refreshments for our visitors. Please bring your own picnic and something to sit on. Let's hope for a fine day.

Wedding Blessings

Please pray for Christopher Shaw and Holly Quarmby who will be celebrating the sacrament of marriage in St Peter's this week.

Visiting Priest

The provincial has asked if Fr Vincent Vaz SJ from India can come to Stonyhurst during August for a mini-Sabbatical. A very timely visit! He will be able to help with Masses. Fr Tim was able to speak to him in Goa last Tuesday. He still doesn't have his visa yet, so keep your fingers crossed. His brother, who lives in London, is on the mend. Hopefully he can visit Fr Vaz while he is here.

Diocesan report on the Universal Synod

The bishops of England and Wales have published their National Synthesis (a 27 page document) of the reports submitted by all the dioceses which you can find on their website:

www.cbcew.org.uk/

It is well worth reading – even if only the conclusions.

Hymn Books

Fr Tim has removed the College Cantionales from the end of each bench. There is a supply on the back bench. Please take a book from there for Mass and return it afterwards.

Reflection on the Universal Synod

Cardinal Vincent believes that the synod has helped the Church to 'develop a freshness about the way we think of the family'. He mentioned key phrases in the final document of the synod, including: 'the family is the image and likeness of the blessed Trinity' which points back to Pope Benedict XVI's phrase that 'the deepest essence of God is relationships, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, and that the image and likeness of God is to be seen in the family'.