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THE NEWSLETTER

30th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date	•	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast	
Sa	17 th	5.30pm St P's	Robert J Jackson A	Vigil of 30 th Sunday of OT	
Su	18^{th}	9.30am St P's	For the Parish	30 th Sunday of OT	
		11.00am St P's	For the College (Students Only)		
М	19 th	NO MASS		Weekday in Ordinary Time (week 30)	
Т	20 th	8.00am St P's	Communion Service	Weekday in Ordinary Time	
W	21 st	8.00am St P's	Communion Service	Sts Simon and Jude, Apostles	
Th	22 nd	NO MASS		Weekday in Ordinary Time.	
F	23 rd	8.00am St P's	Communion Service	Weekday in Ordinary Time	

(The church is open for Adoration from 4.30pm to 5.15pm on Saturday, with **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 Wilkinson, Sheila Holden, Sarah Bolton, Alice Holden, Cyril Wilcock, Fr Joseph Dooley SJ, Nora Gornall and Susan Blackburn May they rest in peace.

Praying with the Pope in October 2020 We pray that by virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may be enabled to participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

Readings at Mass

	30 th Sunday of OT (Yr A)	All Saints (Yr A)	
First	Exod 22; 20 - 26	Apoc 7; 2 – 4, 9 – 14	
Second	I Thess 1; 5 - 10	I John 3; 1 – 3	
Gospel	Matt 22; 34 - 40	Matt 5; 1 - 12	

Diocesan Website:

http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



St Jude is the patron saint of hopeless causes.

St Peter's is NOW open for Mass:

<u>Saturday</u>

Church open for private prayer 4.30 – 5.15pm Benediction 5.15pm Vigil Mass 5.30pm

<u>Sunday</u>

Mass 9.30am

Mass 11.00am (For College Students Only) Sadly we can't use St Joseph's for the time being

Did you change your clocks?

Clocks go back this weekend by one hour.

Fr Tim Away

Fr Tim is away from the parish until Friday. We welcome Fr Brendan Callaghan who is celebrating the weekend Masses for us. The Weekday Masses will be replaced by communion services.

Newsletter distribution

As Fr Tim is away, there is no early edition of the newsletter this week.

Coming to St Peter's to Mass

- + Do not come to Mass if you are unwell, selfisolating or shielding or returning from a country where you have to shield
- + You should wear a face covering
- + Observe the one way system
- + Observe social distancing
- + Any printed materials you touch (Newsletters etc) place in a bin or take home with you.
- + You may wish to come to a weekday Mass instead of on Saturday or Sunday. This will fulfill your Sunday obligation.
- + In greeting parishioners outside of church after Mass please remember to keep social distance.

If you are driving, you will need to buzz security at the white gates. The Lodge entrance is closed.

Today

Is the 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the Gospel the Pharisees try and trap Jesus by asking a trick question. He gives a great answer. The 11am Sunday Mass will be for the students on camp.

First Holy Communions

More children will be making their first holy communion after the half term break.

The 11am Mass

This Sunday the 11am Mass will **not** be open for parishioners to attend. Most students are on their half term break, but some have remained for a camp. The Mass will be just for them.

The Rosary during October

Rosary continues this week in St Peter's at 7.30pm on Wednesday. All welcome.

Feasts this week

Wednesday is the feast day of two of the apostles, St Simon and St Jude. Both share a name with two other apostles: Simon, who became Peter and Judas who became the traitor.

St Joseph's, SMH and Stonyhurst half term

All of our students are enjoying their half term break this week.

Next Sunday

We celebrate the feast of All Saints. We begin the month of November by honouring those who have won victory by their lives here on earth.

Feast of All Souls

Monday 2nd November is the feast of All Souls and we normally have a Mass in the chapel of St Joseph's Cemetery. We cannot do this this year and observe social distancing. Instead the Mass will take place on 2nd November at 10.30am in **St Peter's.** At the end of the Mass you will be given a candle to place on your family grave.

Food bank

At this time there is increased demand on the local food banks. If you are able, please donate one item of food to help someone less well off than yourself. The box is in St Peter's.

Online Statistics

111 people accessed the parish's on-line resources last week.

Collection last week

	5.30pm	9.30am	11.00am		
Collection	£	£	-		
Attendance	59	42	56		

[Collection figures are not available for the early edition]

Thanks for your continued generosity.