

ST PETER'S CHURCH

(with St Joseph's, Hurst Green)

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THE NEWSLETTER

Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A)

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 28 th	5.30pm St P's	Graham Young L	Vigil of the 4 th Sunday of OT
Su 29 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	4 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
	11.00am St P's	For the College	
M 30 th	No Mass		Weekday in Ordinary Time (week 4)
Tu 31 st	8.00am St P's	Gordon Bird L	St John Bosco
W 1 st Feb	8.00am St P's	Louise Cummings L	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Th 2 nd	11.00am St P's	Provincial's Visitation Mass	Presentation in the Temple
F 3 rd	8.00am St P's	Denise O Hara L	St Blaise BM

(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. Mollie Bailey, Christine Crouch, Edward Holden and Peter Hardwick. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	4 th Sunday of OT (Year A)	5 th Sunday of OT (Year A)
First	Zephaniah 2;3, 3; 12 – 12	Isaiah 58; 7 – 10
Second	I Cor 1; 26 – 31	I Cor 2; 1 – 5
Gospel	Matt 5; 1 - 12	Matt 5; 13 - 16

Diocesan Website:

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

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in February 2023 For Parishes

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome those most in need.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



This Sunday

Is the 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time. The gospel is the “sermon on the mount” where Jesus teaches us where true happiness is to be found.

Special Collection

This weekend there will be a second collection for the work of Caritas, Salford. Thank you, Fran, for your talk last week. You can make a £10 donation by texting SUNDAY to 70580 or you can visit their website (google “Caritas Salford”) to make a donation directly to them. There is a basket for donations at the back of the church.

Visit from Uruguay

The 24 students from Colegio Seminario in Montevideo leave us on Monday. They take with them many memories of their visit. Thank you for making them welcome.

Materials available

Please take a *Day by Day* and a *Messenger Magazine* for February from the back of the church.

Provincial's Visitation

The Provincial of the British Province, Fr Damian Howard, will be making his visitation this week. Fr Damian is in his last year as Provincial, so we thank him for keeping the parish and our schools supplied with a Jesuit

Feast of the Presentation

Thursday is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord in the Temple. It marks 40 days since the celebration of Christmas. Mary and Joseph would have gone to the Temple in Jerusalem on this day to thank God for the safe delivery of their child.



Mass on Thursday

Fr Provincial will be celebrating the Mass for the Feast of the Presentation on Thursday in St Peter's at 11am. The college will be present, but parishioners are welcome to join in this celebration. The Mass will be live streamed and you can find the link on *You Tube* by searching for “Stonyhurst Anywhere”.

St Blaise, blessing of throats

Friday is the feast of St Blaise. The customary blessing of throats will take place after the 8.00am Mass in St Peter's.

Next Sunday

Is the 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus calls us “the salt of the earth” and the “light of the world”.

Boarders at the Vigil Mass

As next Sunday is the last before Half Term, the college boarders will be coming to the 5.30pm Saturday vigil Mass. This means that the 11am Mass next weekend will be a quiet one.

9.30 Mass at St Joseph's

The Provincial will celebrate this Mass next Sunday. He'd like to meet parishioners informally after the Mass over a cup of tea.

St Omers Mass

Takes place in St Peter's on Friday 10th March at 3pm. Parishioners may come to this Mass or take part via the live stream.

Prayers Please

Please keep Mary Bailey in your prayers. She has temporarily moved to a care home for some respite. Word is, she is doing much better.

Special Coffee Stop

Thanks to those who helped to make the Coffee Stop Special, well, so special. A great time was had by all. The regular time is Thursday at 1.30pm in the Bowling Club every 2nd and 4th Thursday.