

ST PETER'S CHURCH

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THE NEWSLETTER

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 28 th	5.30pm St P's	Special Intention (For health)	Vigil of 26 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
Su 29 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	26 th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)
	11.00am St P's	For the College and SMH	
M 30 th	No Mass		St Jerome PD
Tu 1 st Oct	8.00am St P's	Pippa Taylor A	St Theresa of the Child Jesus V
W 2 nd	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	Guardian Angels
Th 3 rd	8.30am SMH	For the school	St Francis Borgia SJ P
F 4 th	8.00am St P's	Priest's Intention	St Francis of Assisi
	9.15am St J's	For the primary School	

(Each Saturday there are confessions and 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 Karen Young, Martin Young, Fr Geoffrey Holt SJ, Donald Irving, John Holden, Rosabella Holden, Margaret Rawcliffe, Ignatius Melling, Ann Holden and Edward Hayhurst. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	26 th Sunday of OT (Yr B)	27 th Sunday in OT
First	Numbers 11; 25 - 29	Gen 2; 18- 24
Second	James 5; 1 - 6	Heb 2; 9 - 11
Gospel	Mark 9; 38 - 43, 45, 47 - 48	Mark 10; 2 - 16

Diocesan Website:

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

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in September 2024

For the cry of the earth

Let us pray that each of us listens with our hearts to the cry of the Earth and of the victims of environmental disasters and the climate crisis, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



*Anyone who is not against us
is for us*

This Sunday

Is the 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches about apostolic generosity and the danger of putting obstacles in the paths of others.

Mass Count

Today and for the next 2 weeks we need to count how many people come to our Sunday Masses. These numbers become part of the national statistics of the Catholic Church.

Season of Creation

The "Season of Creation" is rapidly coming to a close. It finishes on Friday. We have taken some time to reflect on how we care for the Earth and our common resources. However, we can keep up our efforts all year round.

The 9.30am Sunday Mass

At last work has begun on restoring the classroom damaged by fire in St Joseph's. Our Sunday Mass is not affected, except they have taken some of the playground space for the builders. If you can, park in the drop off car park in the new estate.

Messenger Magazine and Day by Day

Please pick up your October copy from the back of the church.

October devotions

During October we gather as a parish to say the rosary. This Wednesday we will gather in St Peter's at 7pm. Of course, if anyone wants to host one Wednesday in their home, that would be most welcome.

The Thursday 8.30am Mass in SMH

Now takes place in the SMH chapel. Parishioners are welcome, but arrive in good time as you will need to be signed in to enter the school.

Mass in St Joseph's

Takes place on Friday at 9.15 am in the school chapel. Parishioners welcome.

CAFOD Family Fast Day

Friday is Family Fast Day. Please take an envelope from the back of the church. You are invited to do without something on Friday and donate the money saved to CAFOD to help feed the hungry of the world.

Next Sunday

Is the 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus teaches that marriage is for life: "What God has joined together, let no one put asunder".

Talk of St Thomas More

Dr Marcus Cole, the Dean of Notre Dame's Law Faculty, is to give a lecture on *St Thomas More and Religious Liberty* at Theodore House on Friday 18th October. The lecture takes place at 6:30pm. Entry is free, but you need to apply for a ticket as places are limited.

Hopkins weekend

Takes place in Theodore House from Friday 25th – Sunday 27th October. However, there is a possibility that parishioners can join in some of the events planned for the weekend. Check out their website for details:

www.hopkinsocietyuk.co.uk

Becoming a Catholic

If anyone would like to become a Catholic or if anyone is missing a sacrament, please let Fr Tim know and we can form a group of those journeying in the Catholic Faith.

Becoming a permanent deacon

Bishop John has produced a booklet which explains the process of becoming a permanent deacon. If that might be of interest to you, please take one from the back of the church.

The Diocesan Synod

The diocese will produce 4 leaflets on different aspects of our Catholic faith. The first two are available at the back of the church. We will need to produce a parish response before the Synod convenes again next year.

Season of Creation (Hope and Act with Creation)

Pope Francis writes:

"To hope and act with creation, means to live an incarnational faith, one that can enter into the suffering and hope-filled *flesh* of others, by sharing in the expectation of the bodily resurrection..."

"By the power of the Holy Spirit, Christ lives in us. In this way, our lives can become a song of love for God, for humanity, with and for creation which finds its fullness in holiness."