

ST PETER'S CHURCH

(with St Joseph's, Hurst Green)

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THE NEWSLETTER

Corpus Christi (year C)

Mass Schedule for this week

Date	Time	Intention	Feast
Sa 22 nd	5.30pm St P's	For the College	Vigil of Corpus Christi (year C)
Su 23 rd	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	Corpus Christi (year C)
	11.00am St P's	The 1 st Holy Communion Children	Corpus Christi (year C)
M 24 th	NO MASS		The Birthday of St John the Baptist
T 25 th	8.00am St P's	Michael Whitfield L	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 12)
W 26 th	8.00am St P's	Edward Bradley F	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Th 27 th	NO MASS		Weekday in Ordinary Time
F 28 th	8.00am St P's	Fr John O Dea A	Sacred heart of Jesus

(Every Saturday Afternoon: **Holy Hour with Confessions** at 4.30pm, **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. Simon Jon Thomasson, William Holden, Mary Charlotte Holden and Fr Charles Edwards SJ. *May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

Readings at Mass

	Corpus Christi	St Peter and St Paul
First	Gen 14; 18 - 20	Acts 12; 1 - 11
Second	1 Cor 11; 23 - 26	2 Tim 4; 6-8, 17-18
Gospel	Luke 9; 11 - 17	Matt 16; 13 - 19

Diocesan Website:

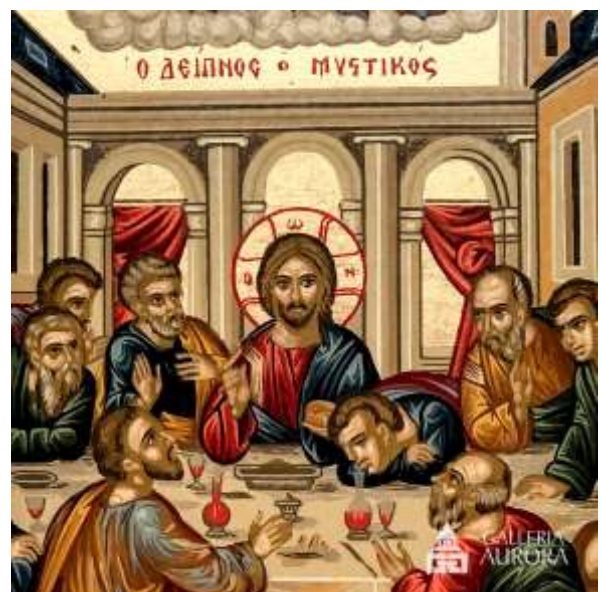
<http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk>

for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in June 2019

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a sodality with those who are most poor.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information.



Today

Is the feast Corpus Christi. We rejoice in the gift to the Church of the Body and Blood of Christ, which we can receive every time we come to Mass.

First Communion Mass

The children from the parish will make their First Holy Communion today at the 11am Mass in St Peter's. There will still be Mass as usual at 9.30am in St Joseph's, but hopefully, as many people as possible will make it to the 11am Mass to support our children.

Feast days during the week

Monday is the feast day of the Birthday of John the Baptist. With Mary and Jesus, he is one of the saints for whom we celebrate their birthday.

Friday is the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and on Saturday we celebrate the feast of St Peter and St Paul, but this year the celebration of that feast is transferred to the Sunday.

St Peter's Guild Day

Takes place on Saturday. All parishioners are warmly invited to the Mass in St Peter's at 10.00am.

Next Sunday

Is the feast of St Peter and St Paul. We thank God for these two heroes of the early church.

Next weekend the Stonyhurst pupils will be attending the 5.30pm Vigil Mass.

At the 11am Mass next Sunday the pupils from SMH will be making their first Holy Communion. Please keep them in your prayers.

The Collection

The collection last week came to:

Vigil Mass	9.30am	11.00am	Total
£ 175.29	£ 48.31	£ 50.00	£ 273.60

Thank you for your generosity.

Repository – New stock

The repository in St Peter's has a new stock of 1st Holy Communion cards and gifts. There is also a smaller selection outside the chapel in St Joseph's.

Gift Aid

At the AGM last Sunday it was noted that the figure we were able to claim back in gift aid fell slightly last year. If you are a tax payer and are not already gift-aiding your contributions, please consider doing so. We shall also encourage couples getting married here to gift aid their donation to the church.

APF – Red Boxes

Thanks to those who have handed in their boxes. The total so far is £ 377.47. A brilliant result for such a small parish. Well done.

Meeting for those involved in the Music Ministry

There is a meeting of the parishes in the deanery for those involved in the music ministry of our parishes on Wednesday 3rd July at 7.30pm. The meeting takes place at St Mary's, Langho.

31 day of St Ignatius

Delivers a thought to your inbox for every day during the month of July. Please take a flyer.

St Ignatius Day celebrations

We are hosting the celebrations for St Ignatius day on Wednesday 31st July. Parishioners from Liverpool, Preston and Manchester have been invited. The programme is:

6.00pm and 6.30pm – tour of the museum

(you need to pre book for one of these tours)

7.00pm Mass in St Peter's

After Mass refreshments will be available in Theodore House. I am hoping our parishioners will be on hand to welcome our guests.

Thanks

To everyone who participated in the Parish AGM. There are some action points to take forward. Despite the weather everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

Thanks too to those who organised the Deanery Hope in the Future walk along the Tolkien trail.

Parish Accounts for 2018

A summary of the parish accounts for last year is available at the back of the church. If you have not done so already, please take a copy.