## **NEWSLETTER**



## Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Pendleton, Salford

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Parish Website: www.sspeterandpaulsalford.co.uk - Diocesan Website: www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk Parish Priest: Canon Michael Cooke VG (resident at St Luke's)

Assistant Priests: Canon David Ryder & Father Mark Paver

## Sunday 21 October 2018 - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary TIme

## **Liturgical Calendar of the Week**

Mass Readings: Sunday cycle B, Weekdays cycle 2

Monday 22 October:9am MassWeekdayTuesday 23 October:9am MassWeekdayWednesday 24 October:9am MassWeekdayThursday 25 October:9am MassWeekday

7pm Novena & Mass

Friday 26 October: 9am Mass Weekday

Saturday 27 October: 12noon Mass Weekday (Saturday Mass of the BVM)

6pm Confession and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
6.30pm Mass
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 28 October: 8.30am and 10.30am Mass 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Monday to Friday, after 9am Mass until 10.30am

Liturgical Ministers Readers Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

20 October 6.30 pm Sioned Hickey M Martin, M Murphy, James T 21 October 8.30 am Stan Sumara A Deepu, D McGrath, J Sweeney 21 October 10.30 am **Paul Connelly** A Simpson, F Moore, K Garner 27 October 6.30 pm Angela McManamon A Handley, M Martin, M Murphy 28 October 8.30 am Sheila Thompson H Aitken, S Sumara, K Walker 28 October 10.30 am **Amy Sales** H Dale, L Ainley, P A Murphy

**Please keep the following in your prayers:** Those in the parish or associated with it who are sick, those who have died recently and those whose anniversary is about this time.

Parish Activities and Events AA: Thursday 12.30 pm and Saturday 7.30 pm

Drop-In Community Group: Tuesday 1.30pm to 3pm. New members welcome.

**World Mission Sunday:** This weekend we have our annual day of prayer for the mission of the Church throughout the world. Our special collection this week will go to support the work of *Missio*, the Pope's official charity for overseas mission. If you wish to gift aid your donation, please use one of the special envelopes. Our prayer and donations will be focussed on Ethiopia, under the theme "Together we can build a future of hope". For further information see <a href="www.missio.org.uk">www.missio.org.uk</a>

Mass of Remembrance: On Saturday 10 November there will be a Mass for the Holy Souls at 12noon at Ss Peter and Paul. Everyone (from both parishes) is invited to come and pray for deceased family and friends. There is a list at the back of church for names of those we wish to be remembered and this list will be taken up in the offertory procession at the Mass. If you would like your loved one's name to be read out, please arrive at church early. A memorial candle will also be made available for those who wish to have those names read out. Lunch will be available after the Mass.

**Amalgamation:** Over the next few weeks, we will be reflecting on the various things that we need to consider with regard to amalgamating our two parishes. We start this week with some thoughts on the parish boundaries. There is a special paper outlining what we need to consider and another paper for your replies. This information is also on the parish website. Next week there will be a paper about pastoral provision and the week after we will begin looking at possible names for our new parish. Please do get involved in this process and send in your responses.

**Volunteers:** At the parish meeting in September, we talked about setting up various groups to look after different aspects of parish life. The Parish Leadership Team has considered this further and would like to start with two essentials – a Parish Finance Committee and a Communications Group. The Finance Committee is a requirement for all parishes and there is a diocesan document outlining its constitution – a small number of members with financial, legal or management backgrounds to assist the parish priest in the oversight of the parish assets. The Communications Group could have a wider membership of people with experience of media or social media and perhaps IT expertise. If you would like to be a member of either of these, or recommend anyone else, please get in touch with one of the priests. Thanks.

**Christmas Cards and Religious Gifts:** These are now available in limited stock in the piety shop at the back of the church. The shop has moved to the right hand side of the porch as you are leaving church.

FINANCE: Many thanks for the Offertory collection (14 Oct) £832.89