

Mass Intention

Vigil Mass	19th	6.30pm	Parishioners
Sunday Mass	20th	10:00am	Derek Delaney
Monday	21st	9:30am	Word & Communion
Tuesday	22nd	9.30pm	Word & Communion
Wednesday	23rd	9.30am	Helen Robinson
Thursday	24th	7.30pm	Word & Communion
Friday	25th	9:30am	Word & Communion
Vigil Mass	26th	6.30pm	Peter Halligan
Sunday Mass	27th	10:00am	Parishioners

Preparation Responsibilities & Mass Ministers 26th & 27th November 2016

Church cleaning	B. Tomlinson & M. Moore		
Flowers	R. Ryder & P. Broadbent (until Advent – Then No Flowers)		
Piety 6.30 pm	M. Rhodes		
10.00 am	R. Ryder		
Counting	R. Wearden		
Eucharistic Ministers	Sat 26th	6.30pm	Brendan Hickey & Janet Oldham
	Sun 27th	10:00am	Richard Cantillon & Hilary Jarvis
Readers	Sat 26th	6.30pm	Nano Duffy
	Sun 27th	10:00am	Charlotte Edmunds
Altar Servers	Sat 26th	6.30pm	James Pimblett & Reuben Beck
	Sun 27th	10:00am	Anna Coughlan & Emily Waddington
Sacristan	Sat 26th	6.30pm	John & Mary Scanlon
	Sun 27th	10:00am	Jacqui Feely
Little Church Musicians	Sun 27th	10:00am	Marie Coughlan & Francis Barnett
Welcomers	Sun 27th	10:00am	Catherine & Dominic
	Sat 26th	6.30pm	Sarah Pimblett & Nita Redman
	Sun 27th	10:00am	Fountain Family
PowerPoint	Sat 26th	6.30pm	Martin Wilson
	Sun 27th	10:00am	John landolo

Our Parish website: www.stpaulspoynton.org.uk

Our School website: www.stpauls.cheshire.sch.uk

Our Pre-school website: www.stpauls-pre-school.co.uk

To add something to the **newsletter**, kindly contact the Presbytery via tel. **872606** or email stpaulspoynton@gmail.com with the details. The deadline for items for inclusion is Thursdays at 10am.

St. Paul's Newsletter

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Weekly Service Times:

Mon	9:30am	Word & Communion
Tues	9.30pm	Word & Communion
Weds	9.30am	Mass
Thurs	7.30pm	Word & Communion
Fri	9:30am	Word & Communion
Sat	6:30pm	Vigil Mass
Sun	10:00am	Sunday Mass



Christ the King

19th & 20th November 2016

Our Lord and our King

On the final Sunday of the Church's year, we are invited to profess our faith in Jesus, as our Lord and our King. However, as the readings make quite clear to us, the Kingship of Christ is very different to those with which we identify in the world in which we live. Christ's crown is one of thorns, his throne, a cross, and he reigns by the power of love, and his utter faith in His Father. His Kingdom is one which welcomes the sinner. Throughout his ministry Jesus shared forgiveness. He dies breathing it. He died as he lived, reaching out to the distressed on either side of him. This is the Gospel image of royalty, the king the criminal, the forgiver and forgiven, go together to paradise. This is the king we celebrate today and whose values we are pledged to live. May his Kingdom come.

Thought for the week

Keep me away from wisdom that does not cry,
the philosophy that does not laugh,
and the greatness that does now bow before children.

We welcome Father Flavian who will be celebrating our masses with us this weekend.

Thank you for your very generous offerings last Sunday, which totalled £426.84p.

Today is the feast of **Christ the King and also Youth Sunday** when we are encouraged to pray for all our young people. To mark the occasion, pupils from our primary school at St. Paul's are leading our Sunday morning Mass.

Our thanks to Father Peter and all who made the November Souls Service so memorable last Friday evening. The Friendship and Bereavement Team really appreciated everybody's help.

My Day by Day books are available at the back of church for those parishioners who would like one. They contain daily reading and reflections for the season of Advent and are a valuable tool to help in our spiritual preparation for the great feast of Christmas.

Parish Ramble on Weds 23rd Nov is a 4 mile walk in the Macclesfield Forest area. This would be classed as a walk of moderate difficulty. Meet at 10.00 am in the Civic car park. For any further information contact the walk leader **Gerald Hooper** 877269 mobile 07789720275.

Parish Christmas Fair: Sat 3rd Dec 10am-2pm - ONLY TWO WEEKS TO GO!

Don't forget to put the Christmas Fair in your diaries. Come along, enjoy yourselves and help make the day a success. We are still looking for donations and raffle prizes. If you can donate a prize there is a sign-up sheet in the porch. Don't forget the jar stall; fill a jar with anything that will fit, stationery items, decorations, sweets or get creative! **Please drop donations and jars off at school or the presbytery porch ASAP.** We would be hugely grateful if anyone with a van could volunteer to help with transportation at the start and end of the fair. If you can volunteer in any way or just have a query either email stpaulspoyntonsocial@gmail.com or call Marie Coughlan on 07729248878.

The date of the next **SVP Meeting** is **Monday, 5th December at 6.00pm** in the conservatory.

ACN NW Benefactors' Mass on Sat 26th Nov at 2pm at the Church of the Holy Name of Jesus, M13 9PG, for a Mass of Thanksgiving for the loyal support of ACN's benefactors with a reception to follow. A collection will be taken for ACN's work with the Suffering Church.

Date for your diary: All Hallows' Carol Concert at St Alban's on December 8th at 7.30pm

Lourdes hospitality Mass: All members of the Diocesan Lourdes Hospitality are invited to join us for the celebration of Holy Mass for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception on **Thurs, 8th Dec at 7.30pm** at Our Lady Star of the Sea and St Joseph's, Wheatland Lane, CH44 7ED.

'**The Art of Dying Well**', is a new website that offers a helping hand to those grappling with issues around death and dying. Based in the Catholic tradition but open to all, it features real-life stories about dealing with the journey through death to eternal life. www.artofdyingwell.org

Driver required: The Shrewsbury Diocesan Commercial Company requires a driver aged 25+. This is a part time post. For more details and initial consultation please contact Mr Phil Black, Catering Operations Manager on 07932 669658.

Finance Manager required by the Diocese of Salford. This would be a full time, permanent position. The closing date for applications is 12 noon, Mon 21st Nov. To request an application pack contact 0161 817 2222 or e-mail recruitment@dioceseofsalford.org.uk.

Part time social worker required for Caritas Schools' Family Support Service. Closing date for applications Mon 28th Nov at 4pm. To apply visit website: www.cathchildsoc.org.uk then click on Say Hello button to open vacancies menu. Alternatively contact Anne Smith on 0151 652 1281. Poster in porch with further details.

Carers Café: Every Wed from 10-12 noon at the Civic Hall. A drop in session for all carers who would like to talk about any concerns they have with friendly, experienced and trained professionals.. All are welcome to drop-in or for more info, pls contact Val Burlison, Cheshire East Council on val.burlison@cheshireast.gov.uk or ring Sharon Duke on 01625 872238.

Mobility scooter available: if any parishioner could make use of one of these, or knows of someone who would benefit from having one please contact Marie Parker on 01625 858411. It has only been lightly used and been well looked after. Free to a good home.

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Sandra Bradley, Edith Ollerenshaw, Chris Nuri, Nicholas Kirk, John Williams, Sheelah O'Hanlon, Mary Tooby, Mandy Hawkyard, Chris Browne, Fr. Martin Riley, Roger Hannam, Madeleine Williams, Max Emerson, Monica McDonnell, Fr. Harry, John Biggar, Emma Wood, Elliott Richardson, Joyce Keating, Peggy Burke, Bea Heyes, John White, Margaret Wilson, Maura Agnew, Sue Savage, Elizabeth McNiff, Catherine Vermuden, Carol Anne Jamiesen, Joseph Martin & Doris Lear.

We remember in our prayers those with anniversaries round about now: Leo Whittle Martin, Frederick Winder, Barbara Buxton, Fiona Treacy, John Wroe, Margaret mc Donald, Susan Dickens, Patrick Laffan, Anthony Joy, Janet Falcoon, Thomas Wilson, Doris Tootell, Peter Moorhead, Christine Newbury, Mary Stocks, Francis O'Neill & Alice Hooley.

Please remember **Father Tom McShane** in your prayers, Fr. McShane died recently, some of you may remember him from his time at St. Joseph's, Stockport. We also remember **Danielle Maatouk** who passed away last Sunday, leaving behind a loving husband and young family. We pray for her, her family and offer our condolences to the Johnson family at this sad time.

Sunday Mass in our Missals

Entrance Antiphon	437
Readings / Gospel	442
Preface no. 1	57
Communion Antiphon	445

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!

Alleluia!

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Thanks to Kai Eiert (See Daniel 2-4) 11-19-2001

DANIEL REALLY, REALLY HOPED THAT THE KING WOULD NOT ASK TO HAVE THIS DREAM INTERPRETED