

Mass Intention

Vigil Mass	1st	6.30pm	Parishioners
Sunday Mass	2nd	10:00am	Ring Family Intentions
Monday	3rd	9.30am	Word & Communion
Tuesday	5th	9.30am	Word & Communion
Wednesday	6th	9.30am	Mary Doyle
Thursday	7th	7.30pm	Word & Communion
Friday	8th	9.30am	Word & Communion
Vigil Mass	9th	6.30pm	Parishioners
Sunday Mass	10th	10:00am	Agnes Jarvis

Preparation Responsibilities & Mass Ministers 8th & 9th July 2017

Church cleaning	Rosemarie Snow
Flowers	Sandra Loutit
Piety 8.00 pm	Rosemarie Snow
10.00 am	Sheila Scholes
Counting	John Long
Eucharistic Ministers	Sat 8th 6.30pm Anne Marley & Mary Scanlon
	Sun 9th 10:00am Anne Leneghan, Ros & Hugh Stuart-Buttle
Readers	Sat 8th 6.30pm Patrick Moore
	Sun 9th 10:00am Frank Leneghan
Altar Servers	Sat 8th 6.30pm Jack Holebrook
	Sun 9th 10:00am Roisin Kivel
Sacristan	Sat 8th 6.30pm Deacon Gerard
	Sun 9th 10:00am Cath Hooper
Little Church	Sun 9th 10:00am Ailish Fountain
Musicians	Sun 9th 10:00am Catherine, Ged & Alan
Welcomers	Sat 8th 6.30pm Mary & John Scanlon
	Sun 9th 10:00am Maureen & Peter Leigh
PowerPoint	Sat 8th 6.30pm Peter Milham
	Sun 9th 10:00am John Iandolo

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. Thank you for your support!



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

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Weekly Service Times:

Mon	9.30am	Word & Communion
Tues	9.30am	Word & Communion
Wed	9.30am	Mass
Thurs	7.30pm	Word & Communion
Fri	9.30am	Word & Communion
Sat	6.30pm	Vigil Mass
Sun	10.00am	Sunday Mass



Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

1st & 2nd July 2017

True hospitality.

We are reminded in the readings for this Sunday that Jesus comes to share our lives in a variety of ways. The ways with which we are familiar are the times when we come to Mass, hear the Word of God and receive Holy Communion. Yet what Jesus wants us to know is His hidden presence in the relationships we have, and especially when we welcome the stranger, when we make those we do not know feel at home in our midst. Sadly in today's world, we tend to be slow in opening our doors, in letting people into our lives, yet hospitality is the way that we recognise the hidden presence of God at the heart of human life.

As we come together in Church as the family of God, let us at least be ready to welcome all those who come to eat at the Table of the Lord, and be truly one in the Body of Christ.

Thought for the week

Faith makes all things possible... love makes all things easy.

We warmly welcome Father Peter Burke who will celebrate our masses this weekend.

Thank you for your generous offerings last Sunday, which totalled £402.25p.

Next week is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea.

There will be a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously.

For more information about its work, visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk. For anyone who would like to Gift Aid their donation there are envelopes at the back of church – we have a limited number so would ask that only those who are using them for Gift Aid take one.

Thank you!

CAFOD: Fr Peter Hughes SSC is giving a talk on 'listening to the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor' on **Fri 7th Jul at 7.30pm–9.30pm** at St Vincent de Paul, Bentinck Rd, WA14 2BP. For more details please see the poster on the noticeboard. Refreshments available.

Shrewsbury Lourdes Pilgrimage depart on their annual pilgrimage in 5 weeks. We're holding a **Ceilidh at St. Kent's**, M14 7DW on **Fri 7th Jul from 7:30pm** to raise money for the volunteers who are flying out on the diocesan flight. Tickets £6 on the door, the night will include a Ceilidh, raffle and Irish bingo. Further enquiries contact Lucy 07808788772. All welcome.

SVP: The next meeting **Monday, 17th July at 6.00pm** in the conservatory.

St. Paul's Primary School: Wednesday 18th July at 9.30am there will be an end of term mass in school. Please note school closes this year for summer on **Friday 21st July**.

EVER WONDERED WHAT HAPPENS AT THE FRIENDSHIP AND BEREAVEMENT MEETINGS?

Well.... at our Burns Night celebration we had a Scottish speaker/soloist and a lovely meal including Haggis, in February we celebrated Shrove Tuesday with pancakes and in May we had a brilliant speaker who both entertained and enlightened us all. In June we have just celebrated Midsummer Madness which included a lot of "mad" games and jokes plus some great food. The program for the following 6 months will include: a Sausage Sizzle Brunch on the 20th of July, a canal boat trip on 10th August, 'Men Talking' on the 21st of September and many other enjoyable events. We will also have a Christmas lunch in December.

A list of dates and times will be available at our next meeting or you could telephone Alma on 878223 for a full list. We would love you to join us and see for yourself what is on offer.

**WHY NOT TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN US,
SEE SOME OLD FRIENDS & MAYBE MEET SOME NEW ONES.**

ACN Portraits of Faith: Shrewsbury Cathedral **15th-16th July 9am-4pm** free admittance. Please pray for those Christian families who remain in war-torn Syria. Shrewsbury Cathedral will be hosting an exhibition, organised by Aid to the Church in Need, to raise awareness of their plight. It will feature paintings, drawings and needlework, many of which have been created by the Syrian people. For full event details, please see the leaflets at the back of church or visit www.acnuk.org/events.

Diocese of Westminster job VACANCY for a Cathedral Manager (details on the noticeboard)

Anointing of the Sick: Deacon Gerard has kindly offered to visit the sick to offer the Anointing of the Sick. The anointing of the sick is administered to bring spiritual and even physical strength during an illness, perhaps for those near the time of death, but it is not the same as last rites. Holy anointing was instituted by Jesus Christ. It is alluded to by Mark, but is recommended to the faithful and promulgated by James the apostle and brother of the Lord. **Anybody who would like this blessing and anointing should contact the parish office.**

PART TIME (28hrs) PERSONAL ASSISTANT SCP22 - £16,205.28 ACTUAL SALARY

Based in our Head Office in Wirral and occasionally other areas of the Diocese. We are looking to recruit a highly competent, organised and motivated individual with excellent communication skills. Candidates considering applying for the role must have substantive experience of providing secretarial and administrative support. The role involves a range of responsibilities to ensure the smooth running of the organisation by providing PA support to the Chief Executive. **Closing date: Mon 10th Jul at 4pm.** Interview date: Weds 19th Jul. To apply: email anne.smith@caritasshrewsbury.org.uk or contact Head Office on 0151 652 1281.

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Fr. Peter, Fr. Harry, Gabriel Drew, Daniel Burke, Sandra Bradley, Chris Nuri, Sheelagh O'Hanlon, Mary Tooby, Chris Browne, Max Emerson, Monica McDonnell, John Biggar, Elliott Richardson, Joyce Keating, Peggy Burke, Bea Heyes, John White, Margaret Wilson, Maura Agnew, Elizabeth McNiff, Catherine Vermuden, Carol Jamiesen, Joseph Martin, Doris Lear, Bobbie Drakeford, Mandy Hawkyard, John Traynor, Bridget Ann Grady, Monsignor O'Neill, Veronica Nolan & Jeanette Dutton.

We remember in our prayers those with anniversaries round about now: Agnes White, Fr. Grant, Ida Huntley, Margaret Harrison, Canon Burgen, Win Chilton, Mary Leech, Sheila Roberts, Peter Loutit, William Dillon, Thomas Keating, Donna Keyte, Agnes Jarvis, Antony Clark, Clifford Lloyd & Doris Bloomfield.

Please pray for Nicholas Kirk who has been on our sick list for some time; he sadly passed away this last week. Nicholas was Grace Kemp's nephew so please remember her and all his family and friends at this sad time.

Sunday Mass in our Missals

Entrance Antiphon/Readings	250
Gospel	252
Preface	45
Communion Antiphon	258

Gospel Acclamation:
Alleluia, Alleluia,
Open our heart, O Lord,
to accept the words of your Son.
Alleluia

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THE WINNER OF "THE DISCIPLE" WILL GET TO GIVE UP ALL EARTHLY POSSESSIONS AND FOLLOW ME THROUGH ALL LEVELS OF HARDSHIPS