

Mass Intention

Vigil Mass	21st	6.30pm	Mass of Thanksgiving (F. Halligan)
Sunday Mass	22nd	10:00am	Parishioners
Monday	23rd	9.30am	Word & Communion
Tuesday	24th	9.30am	Word & Communion
Wednesday	25th	9.30am	Mary Tooby
Thursday	26th	7.30pm	Word & Communion
Friday	27th	9.30am	Word & Communion
Vigil Mass	28th	6.30pm	Parishioners
Sunday Mass	29th	10:00am	Derek Delaney - Birthday Int's

Preparation Responsibilities & Mass Ministers 28th & 29th October 2017

Church cleaning	Amanda Baylon & Marie Coughlan		
Flowers	Anne Casson		
Piety 6.30 pm	Bridie Stephen		
10.00 am	Ronnie Ryder		
Counting	Ann Atkinson		
Coffee & Cake	Liz & Micky Frazer & Brenda Norton		
Eucharistic Ministers	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Frank Halligan & Anne Marley
	Sun 29th	10:00am	Micky Frazer, Ros & Hugh Stuart-Buttle
Readers	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Patrick Moore
	Sun 29th	10:00am	Hilary Jarvis
Altar Servers	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Jack Holebrook
	Sun 29th	10:00am	Kalnins Family
Sacristan	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Mary & John Scanlon
	Sun 29th	10:00am	Leo Turnbull
Little Church	Sun 29th	10:00am	Half-term break
Musicians	Sun 29th	10:00am	TBA
Welcomers	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Pat Bracken & Anne Gregory
	Sun 29th	10:00am	Sheila Beaumont & Moira Moore
PowerPoint	Sat 28th	6.30pm	Peter Milham
	Sun 29th	10:00am	John Kalnins

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

"GIVE BACK TO CAESAR WHAT IS CAESAR'S"



AND TO GOD WHAT IS GOD'S."

MARKEIT

Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time 21st & 22nd October 2017

Is it Caesar's or God's?

When Jesus was faced with the question as to whether it was right to pay tax, or not, he was being put on the spot...if he said "Yes" then it meant that he was not a faithful Jew, if he said "No" he could be accused of being a rebel. His questioners were trying to trap him. His reply was not just a clever way of avoiding this trick question but it also challenged the way that his listeners saw the world in which they lived. Jesus knew that His Father was the source of all life. There could be no part of our world which has nothing to do with God. We have to have laws, we need government, we do have to pay our taxes, but everyone whatever position they may hold in this world of ours, is subject to God's law. Laws have to be just. St. Thomas More famously said that he was "the king's good subject, but God's first." We know that God is at work not only when we are at Mass, but with us throughout each day, and we can't leave our conscience in Church.

Thought for the week

Courage is fear that has said it's prayers.

We welcome Fr Michael Murray who will be celebrating our masses this weekend.

Thank you for your generous offerings last Sunday, which totalled £453.36p.

Sunday 22nd October is World Mission Sunday: a day of prayer for the missionary work of the Church throughout the world. Your prayers and donations helps brave missionaries in proclaiming the gospel of peace in South Sudan and around the world. There will be a short video at the end of Mass that shows the work being done in South Sudan, and a retiring collection for Missio. Envelopes are available for those who can add gift aid to their donation

Weds 1st Nov - All Saints Day Mass will be in School 9.30am – everyone is welcome.

Fri 10th Nov at 7.30pm we are having a **November Souls Mass. *Note the amended time!*** *If you would like to have your deceased family members & friends included in our November masses please put their names in to the envelopes that are available at the back of church and then leave them in the basket in the porch that is clearly marked.*



Coffee & cake will be available for all parishioners in the conservatory after next Sunday's 10am Mass

Educating Children in Sexuality: By far the best people to educate children in sexual matters are their parents. Mrs Louise Kirk of the Diocesan Marriage & Family Life Commission wrote her book Sexuality Explained: a guide for parents and children to help. She will review the current pitfalls of leaving sex education to teachers and outline ways in which parents can do more for their children. **8pm on Tues, 24th October**, at St Alban's Church Hall, Macclesfield, SK11 8DJ.

RAMBLERS: The next walk on **Wednesday 25th October** will be approximately 4 miles from Rainow Along the side of Kerridge Ridge taking in part of the Gritstone Trail to Oakenbank around Hedge Row back to Rainow. A few moderate climbs, the paths are generally good and should not be too muddy. Lunch is at the Poachers. Meet as usual at **10:00am** at the Civic Car Park. Further information from Jules Bruchez 876928.



Holy Spirit Day: Come and join the Alpha group on **Sat 28th Oct** at Savio House from **10-5pm** as we reflect on the Holy Spirit. There will be opportunities for exploring spirituality and prayer in different ways e.g. nature, scripture, arts & craft activities. We will have time for reflection, prayer & worship. Bring a packed lunch. Tea/Coffee provided. For more info & to book a place email Helen: maccalpha@gmail.co.uk

SVP: The next meeting will take place on **Monday 30th October at 6pm** in the conservatory.

Calling all Yorkshire Tea drinkers: Julie Johnson is collecting the bar codes off their packets of tea. For every bar code collected Yorkshire Tea donate money to a charity that provide wheelchairs for those in need wherever in the world they may be. Either hand them to Julie or put them in the collection and they'll find their way to her. See www.wheelchairfoundationuk.org

Would you like to join St. Alban's on a Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Sunday 29th April to Wednesday 1st May 2018? The cost is £256 for 4days/3nights en-suite accommodation on half board, includes coach travel from St. Alban's. A £30 non-refundable deposit is required to secure your place. Further details / confirm a place contact Gloria Hayhurst on 01625 421214. ASAP.



Flower Team Appeal: Please could parishioners have a think about volunteering to join the flower rota. **The current team need additional support** as a long-standing member would like to retire asap and, 'new hands' would be gratefully welcomed! You don't need previous experience and the team are super friendly. Duties are 3 - 4 times a year. If you're interested put your name down on the sheet at the back of church or ring the parish office

St. Paul's MIDDAY ASSISTANT, 1¼ hrs p/day, temp position, term time, 3 days p/week, £7.93 p/hr. Application from the school office. Email: admin@stpauls.cheshire.sch.uk or Tel. 383040.

CCRS: Next module, The New Testament, for the Catholic Cert. of Religious Studies begins on Sat 11th Nov at Our Lady's, Ellesmere Port, CH65 8BY. 9:30 registration/refreshments, 10am–3:30pm. You may start the course (8 modules) at the beginning of any module. Registration forms www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/education/ccrs. Non-certificate option available (no essays), aimed at teachers, catechists & those wishing to learn more about the Catholic Faith.

Poynton Leisure Centre: Aqua Relax is a pool session for people with specific medical conditions such as Dementia, Stroke, Parkinson's disease, Cancer, MS, Osteoporosis etc. who want to be active but don't know where to start or haven't the confidence to go on their own. People can do as much or as little as they want – they can sit and chill in the pool, walk widths or swim if they want. **Every Weds at 10.30am - 11.30am**, Cost: Adults £4, Senior Citizens £3.20 Options Card £2.40* (* free for monthly members or eligible for category F & G). Carers go free.

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick: Patrick Black, Harry & Eleanor Neely, Fr. Harry, Gabriel Drew, Daniel Burke, Sandra Bradley, Chris Nuri, Sheelagh O'Hanlon, Mary Tooby, Chris Browne, Max Emerson, 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, John Traynor, Irene Walker, Monsignor O'Neill, Veronica Nolan & Jeanette Dutton.

We remember in our prayers those with anniversaries: Winifred Carter, Charles Robertson, Kathleen Singleton, Gertrude Newbury, Denis McGrath, Ron Regan, Jean Lafferty, Frances Lloyd, William Hooley, Peter Smith Scoble, Catherine McGlenn & Jennie McLeod.

Monica McDonnell's requiem will be here at St. Paul's, on Friday 3rd November at 11am.

Sunday Mass in our Missals

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Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia
Your word is truth, O Lord,
consecrate us in the truth.
Alleluia.

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