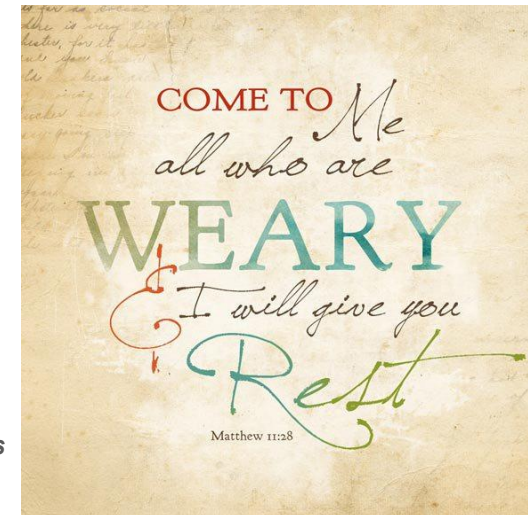


# St. Paul's Newsletter

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## Fr Peter H Burke

### USUAL Weekly Service Times

Mon 9:30am Word & Communion  
**Weds 9:30am Mass**  
 Fri 9:30am Word & Communion  
**Sat 6:30pm Monthly Vigil 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday's**  
**Sun 10:00am Mass**

(Hand Sanitiser Available on Entry / Exit)

## 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Times - Sunday 9th July 2023

### Come to me

It really is a wonderful invitation we are offered by our Lord which we read in the Gospel for today. He invites all who are burdened to come to Him and experience the peace of mind and heart that He alone can give. Every one of us has burdens of one sort or another; anxieties, worries, feelings of guilt, family or personal problems, whatever they are the Lord invites us to bring them to Him. The Lord invites us to take His yoke upon ourselves, a familiar picture of the "yoke" that holds two animals together as they plough the earth, inviting us to recognise that as we journey through life, the Lord is one with us walking with us, carrying us, sharing our journey with us, and giving us His peace. This is the invitation that Jesus offers to each one of us. He is, "gentle and humble of heart". What Jesus is inviting us to learn, to know, is a deeper, a more personal way of knowing Him. He is not inviting us to know facts about Himself, but rather learning about Him in a relationship. This is what the disciples learned, and it was this that helped them move beyond their own frailty and their own fears. There is a tendency to keep Jesus at a distance, to keep our own territory. Jesus wants to move in, to bring His gentleness, His humility, and His peace. As we gather round the altar, He invites us to welcome Him, and know that his presence brings a deep peace of mind and heart, and "rest for our souls".

### Thought for the week

Faith is not belief without proof, but trust without reservation.

## Mass Intention

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>5:30pm 6:30pm</b>	<b>Confession Parishioners</b>
<b>Sunday Mass</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Maureen Gallagher RIP</b>
<b>Weds Mass</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>9:30am 10:45am</b>	<b>Parishioners Funeral of the late John Bagg (RIP)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Parishioners</b>
<b>Sunday Mass</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Margaret Raynor RIP &amp; Robinson Int's</b>
<b>Weds Mass</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Jul</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Adrian &amp; David Jarvis RIP</b>

### Sacrament of Forgiveness (Confession) - 5:30pm before Monthly Saturday Vigil

In St Paul's Church Sacristy or by personal appointment. Tel: St. Paul's: 01625 872606 or St. Albans: 01625 423446; please leave your Name & Tel. No. if you get an answer machine.

**Mass on Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/St-Pauls-Poynton-198491870726932/>

**Mass Intentions:** Ring: 07783 235145 (Mon-Fri: 9:30-12:30) / email: [stpaulspoynton@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulspoynton@gmail.com)

**Popes Prayer** Int's July: For a Eucharistic life: We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

## Preparation, Responsibilities & Mass Priest / Ministers

**Cleaning:** 16/7 Moira & Rosa      **Piety:** 16/7 Kathryn D      **Flowers:** Eleanor & Team

**Tea/Coffee:** 16/7 Marie & Tony      **Banking:** Marie P

	<b>Sat 15th Jul, 10:00am</b>	<b>Sun 16th Jul, 10:00am</b>
<b>Priest</b>	<b>Fr Peter Burke</b>	<b>Fr Peter Burke</b>
<b>Euch. Min's</b>	TBC	Debbie C
<b>Readers</b>	Jacqui F	Julie J
<b>Welcomers</b>	Judith J & Moira	Ronnie R & Margaret B
<b>Sacristan</b>	Fr Peter & Marie P	Fr Peter & Richard C
<b>PowerPoint</b>	Peter M	John

## Parish Newsletter

**To add an item to the newsletter**, email: [stpaulspoynton@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulspoynton@gmail.com) or ring Caroline on: 07783 235145. Deadline for item inclusion is **Thurs 10am**.

Would you like an electronic copy of the newsletter? Go to [www.stpaulspoynton.org.uk](http://www.stpaulspoynton.org.uk) complete the online consent form under 'Contacts' include your email address & submit the form.

## Join Our Parish: To Register Please Submit Your Details

**Go to:** <http://stpaulspoynton.org.uk/> Click 'Join Our Parish' button & complete the form OR print / return to the office

**Our Primary School website:** [www.stpauls.cheshire.sch.uk](http://www.stpauls.cheshire.sch.uk)  
**Our Pre-school website:** [www.stpauls-pre-school.co.uk](http://www.stpauls-pre-school.co.uk)  
**Parish Cheques to be written out to:** ST PAUL POYNTON

**Safeguarding:** Our Parish Safeguarding representative Christina Starkie. Contact through the Parish Office: 07783 235145. Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator Andrew O'Brien Tel: 0151 652 9855

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

Note: No refreshments after Mass this Sunday.

**Bishop Mark joins us next weekend for both our Masses: -**

**Vigil Mass: Sat 15<sup>th</sup> July at 6:30 OR Family Mass: Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 10am**

*Snacks / Refreshments will be served on the patio after Sunday Mass - come along, sample some BBQ sausages & delicious cakes lovingly baked by our parish bakers!*

**Please come along, welcome Bishop Mark & support your parish! See enclosed flyer.**

**This Sunday is Sea Sunday**, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. After both masses this weekend 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. For more information about its work or wishing to donate please visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk). **Thank you!**

**Eucharistic Ministers Training Session: THIS Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July at 11:15am in church** for newly commissioned & existing Ministers with Fr Peter. **We hope some existing ministers will attend to share experiences and resources with new ministers.** We envisage the session to take an hour. Any queries email Chris Starkie: [chris.miles.starkie@gmail.com](mailto:chris.miles.starkie@gmail.com)

**Congratulations to our Confirmation candidates who were Confirmed on Friday by Bishop Mark at St Albans Church.**

St. Paul's candidates had the front pew and all families commented that the service was lovely. **Confirmation candidates are invited to carry out the collection & offertory next Sunday.** (Confirmation group photo available on our parish website: <https://stpaulspoynton.org.uk/>)

**Message for Parishioners – We Need Your Support!**

**Please do not read this notice & think this notice is aimed at someone else.**

*We are asking everyone to hear the call and consider whether they can help out.*

*There are many ways to help and some only require a small commitment of time.*

*As in every organisation, there are a few volunteers who are frequently called upon and it's unfair for this to remain so; it would be fairer for us to share responsibilities.*

**Please could you to give serious consideration and prayer for this request?**

**Below are some of the roles which require support:**

**Tea & Coffee: 4 people needed to help out for the Bishops visit 16/7 & 2-3 times p/yr.**

**Sacristan team:** arrive 30 mins before Mass, open / close & close church

**Sacramental teams:** Baptisms, Communion or Confirmation.

**Altar Serving team:** Needs someone to start up a new team & prepare a server rota.

**Welcoming:** meeting and greeting parishioners as they enter / exit church.

**Cleaning Church (on a rota), Sweeping grounds (4 x/year), Bins out Thurs eve's**

**To find out more / offer your support contact the parish office on:**

**07783 235145 or e-mail [stpaulspoynton@gogglemail.com](mailto:stpaulspoynton@gogglemail.com) Thank you, Father Peter Burke**

**NEXT SUNDAY's Refreshments:** we a couple of volunteers to help serve teas / coffee's after 10am Mass. **Can you help? If so, please contact the office on: 07783 235145 (Mon-Fri: 9:30am-12:30pm) or email [stpaulspoynton@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulspoynton@gmail.com)**

**Missio:** There are a small number of copies of the Summer edition of Mission Today at the back of Church. Please feel free to take one.

**Piety:** Cards & gifts are on display at the back of the Church. If the Piety room is closed / no one is on duty, please place payment in the 'wall box' marked PIETY in the porch.

**Reflections on Vatican II, in Part III On The Church.** This time, we ask the question: 'Why is the Church?' Why does she exist...? The Council's answer is that her mission is to call all people of all times to holiness, which is why she must evangelise. What this means for us is given in Lumen Gentium Chaps 5 and 6, taken together. Podcast 9 and its handout are now available on the diocesan website at [dioceseofshrewsbury.org](http://dioceseofshrewsbury.org) in the section on 'News and Events'. **There are a few copies of a leaflet outlining the content of all of the podcasts in the parish porch and one on the noticeboard should you wish to take a photo of it.** If you have difficulty accessing this material or have questions and reflections, please don't hesitate to contact Barbara via E: [barbara.davies@dioceseofshrewsbury.org](mailto:barbara.davies@dioceseofshrewsbury.org) or T: 07730 526821.

**Has your child has made their First Communion? Would they like to become an Altar Server?** If so, advise the school office on 01625 877688 / parish: 07783 235145. Training will be provided.

**THE WELLSPRING** welcome your donations such as tinned meats/fish, soup, vegetables, shampoo /shower gel, roll on deodorant, toothpaste & brushes. Place items in the box in the church porch.

**Medjugorje Pilgrimage:16th–23rd Sept.** 8-day pilgrimage to Medjugorje. Staying at Hotel Regina on a full-board basis. Cost £675 p/person sharing. If you are interested in finding out more or joining this pilgrimage, send an email to [unitedheartspilgrims@gmail.com](mailto:unitedheartspilgrims@gmail.com) or phone 07942 373728. (Deposit of £300 payable NOW to Northern Star Travel).

**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick especially:** Eileen O'Donnell, Dave Uden, Gerard Miller, Mary Rosevere, Margaret Morris, Ian Loutit, Alice Arrowsmith, Mary Scanlon, Cath Slaney, Henry Gardner, Fr Jim McGrath, Gerrard Trainor, Margaret Loughrey, Linda Williams, Doris Lear, Betty Rice, Ethel Ranson, Margaret Haddock, Carla McKenzie, Mr & Mrs Armstrong, John Williams, Sheila Butler, Julie Balston, Harry Neely, Veronica Nolan, Jeanette Dutton & Hilary Jamieson.

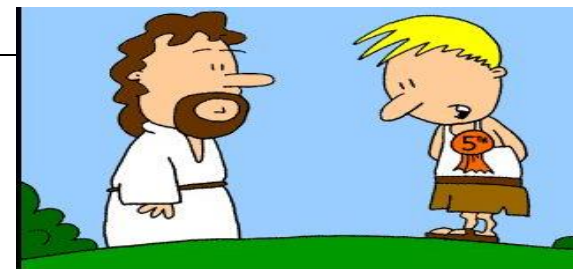
**We remember in our prayers those with anniversaries:** John Collins, Peter Chapman, James Barlow, Catherine Foy, Agnes O'Neill, Theresa Kenny, Peter Waring, David Burn, Derek Wood, Christopher Maguire, Patrick McGarry, Edith Palmer-Hunt, David Brikman, Ken Norris, Harry Hewitt, Gordon Whitehurst, Edward Blades, John Kent, Chris Fenton, Adrian Emerson, Jean Crowe, Margaret Delsoldato, Gerald McVeigh, Ann Wragg, Alice Hooley, Paul Jarvis.

**We pray for the repose of:** John Bagge may he rest in peace. We pray too for his family and friends at this time.

**Mass in our Missals**

**Entrance Antiphon**  
**Introductory Rites**  
**Readings & Gospel**  
**Profession of Faith**  
**Communion Antiphon**

**Sun**  
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Thanks to David McElhinney  
**I KNOW YOU ASKED ME TO 'COME FOURTH'  
... BUT I TRIPPED**