Mass Intention						
Sunday Mass	22 nd Oct	10:00am	Ethel Talbot RIP,	Sheila Cygan RIP & C. Deignan		
Weds Mass	25 th Oct	9:30am	Catherine & Owe	n Mullarkey RIP Ann		
Saturday Vigil	28 th Oct	6:30pm	Parishioners			
Sunday Mass	29 th Oct	10:00am	Dennis Slaney R	P & Marie & Patrick Black RIP		
Weds Mass	1 st Nov	9:30am	Parishioners			
Confession: 5:30pm, Saturday before MONTLHY Vigil Mass, in the Sacristy or by Appointment. Tel. St Paul's: 01625 872606 / St. Albans: 01625 423446; leave your name and contact number.						
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						
Popes Frances' Prayer Intentions for October - For the Synod We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.						
Preparation, Responsibilities & Mass Priest / Ministers						
Cleaning: 5/11			9/10 Ronnie r	Flowers: Eleanor C		
Tea/Coffee: 12/	11 John & Paulin	e H	Banking: Marie I			
	S	at 28th Oct, 6:		Sunday 29 th Oct, 10am		
Priest		Fr Peter E	Burke	Fr Peter Burke		
Euch. Min's			TBC	Richard C		
Readers			TBC	Julie J		
Welcomers			TBC	Moira M		
Sacristan		Fr Peter	Burke	Sheila B		
PowerPoint		Pe	eter M	John		
		Parish Ne	wsletter			
To add an item to the newsletter, email: stpaulspoynton@gmail.com / ring: 07783 235145. Deadline for item inclusion is Thurs 10am. Would you like an electronic copy of the newsletter? Go to <u>www.stpaulspoynton.org.uk</u> complete a consent form under 'Contacts' include an email address & submit the form.						
To Join Our Parish / Register: Please submit your details on our webpage: -						
http://stpaulspoy	nton.org.uk/ Click '	Join Our Parish	n' & complete the f	orm or print/return to the office		
Parish Cheques to be written out to: ST PAUL POYNTON St. Paul's Primary School website: www.stpauls.cheshire.sch.uk St. Paul's Pre-school website: www.stpauls-pre-school.co.uk						
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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St. Alban's Contact Details: Fr Peter Burke / Fr Paschal Ihesiaba, Tel: 01625 423446						
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Clergy: Fr Peter H Burke, Parish Secretaries: Caroline Robinson & Marie Parker Office Hours: 9:30am-12:30pm Mon-Thurs & Fri 9am-12 noon

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Usual Weekly Service Times				
Mon 9:30am	Word & Communion	IN		
Weds 9:30am	Mass			
Fri 9:30am	Word & Communion			
Sat 6:30pm	Monthly Vigil (on the Saturday	8		
	before the 2 nd Sunday of each month)	<u> </u>		
Sun 10:00am	Mass	100		
Hand Sanitiser Available on Entry / Exit				

"Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites?" Mc22.176-18

Twenty Nineth Sunday In Ordinary Time Sunday 22nd October 2023

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

There is a tremendous release, and deep peace, when we can meet ourselves and our brothers and sisters totally without judgement

The Diocese of Shrewsbury is a Registered Charity [No 234025]

We warmly welcome Tony Myers to celebrate our Mass this weekend.

Collection: This Sunday is World Mission Sunday, celebrated around the world. We support missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of background or belief. Envelopes are still available at the back of church. If you wish to donate, please do so using the glass jar at the back of church. If you are a tax payer, please complete the gift aid details on the back of the envelope. Many thanks to everyone who is able to donate.

Savio Youth Club: Fri 20th Oct 6pm-8pm 01625 573256, saviooffice@salesians.org.uk

Celebrate Our Community NEXT WEEKEND at either the Vigil on Sat 28th Oct at 6:30pm OR Mass on Sun 29th Oct at 10am please stay on after Mass to discover more about your parish. This is an opportunity for you to celebrate with fellow parishioners and we hope the weekend will be enjoyed by all. Wine served after Saturday's Vigil & refreshments / cake after Sunday's Mass. We very much look forward to seeing you. Fr Peter

St. Paul's November Souls Mass on Tues 8th Nov 2022 at 7:30pm.

You are invited to attend St. Paul's November Souls Mass, where we will be remembering departed family and friends. Tea & biscuits will be served in church at the end of the service. The recently bereaved will be receiving a personal invitation to attend this service and their loved ones will be remembered in a special way.

We have a book of Remembrance at the back of church for you to enter the names of the bereaved who you may wish to be remembered at the service. If you cannot get to church, please email names to Alma at haughianaf@icloud.com or phone Tel: 01625 878223. Father Peter Burke will be joining us to celebrate this special Service.

Shrewsbury Diocese 2023 LOUDfence:

LOUDfence is a community activity of solidarity and support with abuse and survivors. Empowering parishioners and enabling them to be part of the solution by giving the avenue to express their feelings.

Vicar General Canon Moor will offer Mass on Tues 14th Nov in Wallasey. In preparation for this special Mass any member of the parish who wishes to share prayers and reflections can so by writing on one of the dove images provided (at the back of church) by Mon 2nd Nov (so office staff can post off) prayers / reflections need to be sent to the Diocese Safeguarding <u>Office by 7th Nov - NO names need to be added</u>. If you wish to complete a prayer on a dove please do so and place it in the basket in the porch asap. If you'd prefer you could send one digitally, to: safeguarding@dioceseofshrewsbury.org by 7th Nov. LOUDFence info on porch noticeboard. Queries to Safeguarding team on 0151 652 9855

PIETY Notice: We now have some Christmas cards for sale on the shelf at the back of church, including '**Greetings Across The Miles**' & '**Gift Wallet**' cards. Once these are sold there will be no more of these in stock! More Christmas cards/gifts available from November.

CAN YOU HELP? We need Sacristans...could you open/close church before/after Mass? We will arrange for you to shadow an existing sacristan & provide a job checklist. **Ideally,** we'd like two more sacristans to ensure duties are less frequent. To offer support speak to Fr Tony this Sunday, ring 07783 235145 or email: stpaulspoynton@gmail.com

Celebrating the Season of Creation 2023 "Let Justice & Peace Flow" St. Albans invite you to join them... See noticeboard for Info. on Poster / flyers. Contact Bernadette: justiceandpeacemacc@gmail.com Tel: 07831647928

Christian Teachers Connect: You are invited to a "Christian Teachers Connect" evening at TFW Church on Weds November 8th, 7pm - 8:30pm. We were encouraged by the turn out and engagement of our first meet in July. The next event will be relaxed and informal with drinks and cakes on arrival, a chance to mingle and make connections, some encouragement and facilitated conversation. The event is free but to help with numbers/ catering, please register your place online: https://tfw.churchsuite.com/events/tcfccvnk & feel free to pass onto Christian Teachers or TA's. See Info. Poster on our noticeboard.

Macc. Magic Voices Concert Sat 25th Nov, St Michael's, Market Place 7.30-10pm Profits East Cheshire Hospice, tickets in advance only: www.magicvoices.co.uk/autumnconcerts

Vacancies: Parish Secretary / Admin Support, Sacred Heart, Whaley Bridge. Teacher of Religious Education at All Hallows Catholic College

Both vacancy details were emailed out last week & are available on our church noticeboard

Director of Property: within the Diocese. Further details online: https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/ - completed applications to recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org. Closes 10 November 2023.

Northern Star Travel: Pilgrimage to Lourdes 4th-9th Dec 23. Flyers available in the porch.

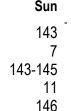
Please remember in your prayers those who are sick especially: Celia Deignan, Eileen O'Donnell, Dave Uden, Gerard Miller, Mary Rosevere, Margaret Morris, Ian Loutit, Alice Arrowsmith, Mary Scanlon, Cath Slaney, Henry Gardner, Fr Jim McGrath, Gerrard Trainor, Margaret Loughrey, Linda Williams, Doris Lear, 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: Winifred Carter, Charles Robertson, Kathleen Singleton, Gertrude Newbury, Denis McGrath, Ron Regan, Jean Lafferty, Frances Lloyd, William Hooley, Ethel Talbot, Peter Scoble & Catherine McLeod.

Mass in our Missals Entrance Antiphon Introductory Rites Readings & Gospel

Profession of Faith

Communion Antiphon





WHAT DO YOU BUY THE GUY WHO HAS EVERYTHING, MADE EVERYTHING, AND HAS GIVEN US EVERYTHING?