

OFFERTORY GIFTS Thank you for your generous offerings last week which amounted to £1186.24online giving last month came to around £1100 per week . St. Philip's Offertory amounted to £171.80 Thank you to those who have done the on line giving. We also received £378.56through the card machine during April 2024.

The Mission Appeal two weeks ago raised the magnificent sum of **£2630-84p** the combined total from our two communities. Many thanks indeed.

If you are putting several weeks collection in at the same time you only need to use **ONE** envelope. If you wish you can send an offering by cheque payable to St Peters Hazel Grove or do a direct transfer to:

St Peters Hazel Grove at Lloyds Bank 30 15 52 54607668 or set up a Standing Order or for St Philip's go to **St Philips Offerton 30 15 52 54674660.**

CHURCH CLEANING IN ST PETERS Team 2 are on duty this week. Volunteers for St Philips are requested

SCOUTS

Meeting Times for 2nd Hazel Grove Scout Group - St Peter's Scout Hut

Brownies - Monday - 6.30pm to 7.45pm Cubs - Tuesday - 7:00pm - 8:30pm Guides - Tuesday - 7.45pm to 9.15pm Beavers - Wednesday - 6:00pm - 7:15pm Scouts - Wednesday - 7:30pm to 9:00pm

Contact: samantha.panjeta@ladybrookvalleyscouts.org.uk or ring Samantha on 07748308514

AGM There is to be an AGM taking place on Wednesday 19th June 2024 at 7.30 pm in the Scout Hut, for more details see the notice board at the back of Church.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

26 July—01 August by air 25 July—02 August - overland

Full details and booking forms can be downloaded from

www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk/BROCHURE---FORMS

There are a few seats left on the flight

or speak with Fr Peter. For the YOUTH SECTION (ages 16-22) see Fr Peter

SUMMER CONCERT by Poynton Male Voice Choir and our own St. Peter's Junior Choir, Saturday 6th July, 7.30pm, at Poynton Methodist Church. £10 adults, £5 children and students. See poster in porch.

SCHOOL CARETAKER REQUIRED (Permanent) – St Peter's Catholic Primary School

Following the retirement of our long-standing Caretaker, Mr Lyons, the Governors of St Peter's School are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and dedicated individual to join our school team from August. Further details can be obtained from our school office – 0161 483 2431 or by visiting www.st-peters.stockport.sch.uk under Our school/vacancies.

FAMILY QUIZ NIGHT in the Parish Centre on Friday 12th July from 6.00 pm (see poster at the back of Church)

ALL HALLOWS CATHOLIC COLLEGE - MACCLESFIELD require a College and Academy Trust Chaplain, please see <https://www.allhallows.org.uk/associate-staff-vacancies> for more details

SHREWSBURY DIOCESE HOSPITALITY– the next meeting is at St Mary's Caritas Centre, Delamere St, Crewe, CW1 2JX on Sat 13 July at 3pm. All members of the Hospitality are welcome to attend. Please pass details to any interested members. Register your attendance and make any apologies to secretary@teamshrewsbury.co.uk After the meeting members are invited to attend the 5.30pm Vigil Mass at St Mary's Church, Crewe (adjacent to the centre) to join in prayer for the success of the forthcoming Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

ST JAMES CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

The Governors of St James' wish to appoint an inspirational, dynamic and highly motivated teacher of Religious Education. For more information visit: <https://www.stjamesheadle.co.uk/jobs/> The closing date is Monday 24th June 2024, 12 noon.

FUN DAY

St Peter's Catholic Primary School Summer Fun Day - Saturday 6th July from 12-4pm. There will be tombolas, a BBQ, bar, balloon modeller, face painters, inflatables, live music plus much, much more! Please join us for an afternoon of fun and fundraising!

FROM FR PETER

What an awful performance from Southgate's boys the other night, hopefully things can only get better—or can they!

Lots of activity going on at the moment with people getting ready for next weekends Centenary Celebrations with the Flower Festival beginning o Friday afternoon and then the Mass on Saturday lunchtime followed by the buffet and alittle drink to wash it down. I hope as many as possible will come along to mark this important milestone in the life of our parish. All parishioners are invited and quite a number of the former priests of the parish or those who were here as deacons have said that they will be coming—so do come and join them.

Then the following week there is the little matter of the General Election. Just as a matter of interest has anybody seen any of our candidates yet?

Enjoy the sun it may be the last we get this summer!!

Fr Peter



POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR JUNE FOR MIGRANTS FLEEING THEIR HOMES
We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

THE WORD OF GOD

FIRST READING: JOB 3: 1. 8-11;

PSALM 106
O GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD, FOR HIS LOVE ENDURES FOR EVER

SECOND READING:

2 CORINTHIANS 5: 14-17

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA!
A GREAT PROPHET HAS APPEARED AMONG US; GOD HAS VISITED HIS PEOPLE ALLELUIA!

GOSPEL READING MARK 4: 35-41

EVEN THE WIND AND THE SEA OBEY HIM

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated in the Sacristy on Saturday morning and Friday evening during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

St Peter's and St Philip's Newsletter

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ORDINARY TIME WEEK XII

Divine Office Psalter Week IV

ALL MASSES FROM ST PETERS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE LIVE STREAM www.churchservices.tv/stockport

Saturday 22nd June 2024 - Ss John Fisher and Thomas More

11 -11.45 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction

12 Noon John Waring RIP

6.00 pm Mass at St. Philips - Pam Brown RIP

6 00 p.m. Mass in Polish in St Peter's

Readings : 2 Maccabees 6: 18.21.24-31; Psalm 30; Matthew 24: 4-13

DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR THOSE WHO SUFFER PERSECUTION, OPPRESSION AND DENIAL OF HUMAN RIGHTS

Sunday 23rd June 2024 - TWELTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8.30 am People of the Parish ORGAN

10.00 am Marek Darul TOAST

11 00 a.m Syro Malabar Rite Mass in St Philip's

6.00 pm Tom Fox RIP PIANO

Readings: Job 3: 1. 8-11; Psalm 106; 2 Corinthians 5: 14-17; Mark 4: 35-41

Monday 24th June 2024 Nativity of St John the Baptist

1.00 pm Requiem Mass for Bridie Burgess

Readings: Isaiah 49: 1-6; Psalm 138; Acts 13: 22-26; Luke 1: 57-66

Tuesday 25th June 2024

12 Noon Philomena Rooney RIP

Readings: 2 Kings 19: 9-11.14-21.31-36; Psalm 47; Matthew 7: 6. 12-14

Wednesday 26th June 2024—St Josemaria Escriva de Balaguer

9.15 am Mass at St. Philips - Patients ,Friends and Family of all on Norbury Ward

12.00 Noon Service of Word and Communion

Readings: 2 Kings 22: 8-13.23:1-3; Psalm 118; Matthew 7: 15-20

Thursday 27th June 2024 - St Cyril of Alexandria

12 Noon John Waring RIP

Readings: 2 Kings 24: 8-17; Psalm 78; Matthew 7: 21-29

Friday 28th June 2024 - St Irenaeus

10.00 am Schools Mass for Ss Peter and Paul -Peter Davies RIP (note time)

Readings: 2 Kings 25: 1-12; Psalm 136; Matthew 8: 1-4

Saturday 29th June 2024

11 -11.30 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Benediction

12 Noon Centenary Celebration Mass followed by buffet ALL WELCOME

6.00 pm Mass at St. Philips - Mary and Bert Le Bon 70th Wedding Anniversary

6 00 p.m. Mass in Polish in St Peter's

Readings : Lamentations 2: 2. 10-14. 18-19; Psalm 73; Matthew 8: 15-17

Sunday 30th June 2024 - Ss Peter and Paul

8.30 am Catherine Begley RIP ORGAN

10.00 am Ada Parkes RIP FOLK GROUP

11 00 a.m Syro Malabar Rite Mass in St Philip's

6.00 pm People of the Parish CHOIR

Readings: Acts 12: 1-11; Psalm 33; 2 Timothy 4: 6-8. 17-18; Matthew 16: 13-19



Your prayers are asked for:

LATELY DECEASED Bridie Burgess whose Requiem Mass will be tomorrow MONDAY 24th June at 1.00 pm.

Patrick Joseph Jeffries whose funeral will be at the Crematorium on Monday July 1st at 1.45 pm

Anniversaries that occur around this time: Doris Doherty, Peter Sharkey, John Waring, Richard Laughran, John Beckett, Peter Clarke, Elizabeth Donnelly, Barbara Noon, Albert Whittam, Philip Ivory, Pat Duffy, Ellen Beswick, Christine Perez, Dennis Lynott, Gloria Flynn, Nora Ready, Michael McCauley, Pat Smith, Catherine (Kitty) Begley.

Sick: remembering, all the sick in the parish especially those in our hospitals and nursing homes. We also remember those who are housebound and are unable to come to Mass.

BAPTISMS:

BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE begins today

PRAYER INTENTIONS: We have a team of 'prayer warriors' who will pray for your intentions at this time, send your intentions to the parish office and they will be forwarded. You can also light a 'virtual' candle on the parish Website.

GOSPEL Mark 4:35-41

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

BEREAVEMENT GROUP Our next meeting is the 2nd July when we will be having our Summer Service at 7.00 pm in Church followed by a Buffet in the Parish Centre with entertainment. We look forward to seeing you all on 29th June for the Centenary celebrations.

If you would like any further information please contact the office admin@stpetershazelgrove.org.uk or ring Helen 07854928072. You are welcome to come to the group no matter how recently or in the past you have lost a loved one.

ST PHILIPS FRIENDSHIP GROUP - Meet every Friday at 10-12 am tea/coffee/biscuits . The group have now raised £430 towards Parish funds

'JESUS CHRIST - OUR HOPE to celebrate the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, you are welcome to join us for a **time of scripture, worship music, & testimony** in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament at **Christ Church on Sunday 30th June at 7.30pm** followed by refreshments in the hall.

CALLED TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Have you considered a vocation to the Diocesan Priesthood in imitation of Jesus the Good Shepherd?

For more information see our website at shrewsburyvocations.org

If you would like to explore God's call for your life and learn about other opportunities for discernment, please email the diocesan vocations director at vocationsdirector@dioceseofshrewsbury.org

FOOTSTEPS ON 4 JULY IS CANCELLED

We're sorry to say that our planned **Footsteps event for the evening of 4 July** has had to be **cancelled** as it clashes with the General Election! We will look to re-schedule this event with Sr Helen Costigane from London.

LAMBS

Lambs will meet on Sunday the 30/6/24 between 4pm and 6pm in the Parish centre all are welcome.

CAKE SALE ON SUNDAY 14TH JULY

during LAMBS Tea and Coffee, after 10.00 am Mass (cakes will also be also available after 8.30 am Mass) we will be holding a Cake Sale for the **Valley School in Bramhall**, to help them raise money for play and sensory equipment. Valley school is an SEN Primary School full of the most amazing children who have a multitude of physical and educational needs. These children deserve to have the same life experiences and play opportunities as their main stream peers and siblings...but it all comes at a crazy price. The staff and PTA are working hard, including running a Marathon, to raise money for their children. If you could donate any cakes, homemade or bought please drop them off at the Parish Centre from 8.00 am on the 14th. Thank you

WALKING GROUP TODAY 23rd June ,10.am at High Lane PARK Windlehurst Road.

ST PETER'S PARISH CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ALL THE CELEBRATIONS

We will be celebrating the Centenary of the parish on Saturday June 29th with Mass with the Bishop at 12 noon followed by a buffet in the Parish Centre. We have invited priests who have served in the parish as well as deacons and former head teachers of our schools as well as the present ones. I hope that you will keep this date free and come along and join in the celebrations.

On the same weekend we will be having a Centenary Flower Festival which will commence on Friday June 28th running through till the Sunday evening.

CAN YOU HELP Please sign up at the back of Church

Cakes we require cakes for the buffet lunch on the 29th June, one cake cut into 8 or 8 buns/ cupcakes. Please leave your donations in the Parish Centre on Friday 28th from 1.00 pm—4.00 pm or on Saturday 29th in the morning from 10.00 am.

Music Any musicians who would like to play suitable background music during the flower festival please contact Clare stpetershelpers@gmail.com

History If you have any information about the history of the Parish please let us know via the Parish Office

Memories We would love to have some memories of the weekend so any photographers please 'snap away' except during the Centenary Mass and let us have your images, send to admin@stpetershazelgrove.org.uk. Also any comments you would like to make about the day and the amazing Parish of St. Peter's that you and your family have been involved with.

PHOTOGRAPHS for our centenary celebrations

Have you any photographs of your involvement in our parish over the last 100 years? We're hoping to create a screen-based history of the parish to show during our celebrations over the last weekend in June. Ideally send your photographs as jpegs by Email to terrythiele@hotmail.co.uk. State in your Email who is in the picture and when it was taken. For older photographs, simply take a photo of them and send that with the descriptions by Email. If you aren't able to do this, put the original photos in an envelope along with a note describing who's in the photo and when it was taken. Seal the envelope, write your name and phone number on the front and put it in the box in the sacristy marked "Centenary photos". We'll let you know as soon as they're ready for collection

CAR PARKING

Over the weekend of the 100 year celebrations, June 28th to the 30th, we anticipate that the car park may be very congested at times. To help reduce possible problems may we ask that Everybody enters the car park via the yellow-gated route from Green Lane and exits via the gate on to Charles Street. At certain times the exit gates may be closed and stewards on duty in the car park to assist with parking.

A PARISH CENTENARY CONCERT

Will be presented by our choirs in church on Saturday 13th July. Save the date! Further details to follow.

DISABILITY INCLUSION GROUP

The Centenary weekend is an opportunity for us all to meet together and enjoy our parish community, but we recognise that not everybody will feel comfortable at the celebrations. If there is anything we as a team can do to help, please contact us on the email address below.

Dates for your diary: 6th October 2024 short, relaxed mass celebrating the Harvest season.
1st December 2024 relaxed service, our pre Christmas mass.

Sensory/fidget toys and a weighted lap pad is available for use in church or parish rooms, please ask the parish welcomers should you feel they would help or contact email address. Contact: inclusionstpeters@gmail.com

ST. PETER'S HELPERS

Hand Made Cards Card Making (This week and next week)

Reminder - The card making session scheduled for 04 July is cancelled. The next session will be on 01 August. Thank you.

Hand Made Cards

Birthday and occasion cards will be on sale after the 08.30 and 10.00 Masses today, 14 July, 28 July, 11 August, 25 August. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Stay Curious. Try Alpha. Alpha is a series of group conversations that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith in an open, friendly environment. Everyone's welcome. No matter your background or beliefs, you're invited. Alpha will be running during the school day starting on Tuesday 17th September 2024 at 2pm – 3.15pm at St Simon's Catholic Primary School. Should you have any questions or if you would like to be involved please contact: Rachel McKay at rachelemckay@icloud.com or Karen Haines at justasec55@hotmail.com

ALTAR SERVERS

Here I am Lord! Have you made your First Communion? Are you interested in becoming an Altar Server? Your first ministry after your first communion?

If your answer is yes, ask your parent/guardian to send an email marked 'ALTAR SERVER' to admin@stpetershazelgrove.org.

Full training will be provided. For more information speak to Chris or Elaine Rhodes or Deacon John. If you already an altar server we would like to hear from you too.