



## Saints Peter + Paul

### Mass times, intentions + the week ahead

Saturday 28th June	6.00pm	Mr Bennett Helen Fearon
Sun 29th June <b>Sts Peter + Paul</b>	10.30am	James Bromilow (Snr + Jnr) Colin Campbell, Nuttall Family Colin O'Hanlon (sick)
Monday 30th June 1st Martyrs of Rome	9.10am	Geraldine Gibbons Parishioners Intentions
Tuesday 1st July	9.10am	Jack Gannon
Wed 2nd July	11.30am 12 noon	<i>Confessions</i> Denise Pritchard, Margaret Eastwood
Thursday 3rd July St Thomas	9.10am	Barbera + Alan Cuerdon (40th wedding A)
Friday 4th July St Elizabeth	9.10am	<i>Service of the Word</i> <i>+ Holy Communion</i>
Saturday 5th July	6.00pm	Frances Fitzsimmons
Sun 6th July <b>14th Sunday of the Year</b>	10.30am	In thanks to St Jude - for prayers answered.

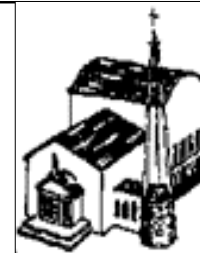
**Pope Leo XIV's prayer intention** for the month of June: "that each of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world."

<b>Confessions</b>	Wednesday 11.30am and by appointment with Fr Philip.
<b>PRAYING THE PARISH:</b> WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE PREPARING TO LEAVE PRIMARY OR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.	

**Praying the Sunday Missal:** The readings are on **Page 1025** in the red Sunday Missals - and on page 1045 In the blue missals.



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### 29th June 2025

#### Who do you say I am?

Following Eastertide and several major feasts, we now celebrate Saints Peter and Paul before returning to the regular Sundays of Ordinary Time. We pray that their faith and example will encourage us at this time. The First Reading gives us an account of how Peter escaped prison while the Christian community prayed continuously for him. The Psalm is a song of praise and thankfulness for the psalmist's own delivery, as he encourages us to 'taste and see that the Lord

is good.' St Paul, too, in the Second Reading, is full of gratitude. He praises the Lord for rescuing him and enabling him to continue proclaiming God's message. The Gospel narrates the important moment when Jesus asks his disciples, 'Who do people say I am?' Peter's reply earns his designation as leader of the community.

May the faith of Peter and Paul and their dedication to spreading Jesus's message encourage us this week in our daily living.

**Warm Lunch:** The next Friday summer lunch is Friday 11th July. Open at 12 noon - lunch is served at 12.30pm. All are welcome - no charge - but a donation helps us to cover the costs if you can.

**FoodShare:** Tinned meat and herbs and spices.

**Altar servers** – If you are in year 4 or older and would like to help with our altar servers team at weekend Masses, please let Fr Philip know. It's a great way to learn about your faith and serve God and our parish family.

**Northern Saints:** There are still a few places left.

**Parish Account Details:** You can set up a regular donation to Holy Rosary via Standing Order. This can be done online by mobile banking. Use these account details to make a monthly offering. Holy Rosary Presbytery (183) Sort Code 40-29-12 Account No. 41543849 Or fill out a Standing Order form (in church) and give it into the Parish Office or send it to your bank.

**Holy Rosary ladies:** No Ladies meeting on July 8th due to the trip)

**Retiring Collection** this weekend for Peter's Pence. This money goes to Pope Leo to support the charitable works decided on by the Holy Father himself. It is a sign of our unity with the whole church.

**Cycle of Prayer: Ordinary Time: Summer** - we pray for: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews, those who suffer persecution, oppression and denial of human rights, Europe (especially on the Feast of St Benedict – 11<sup>th</sup> July), St Bridget (23<sup>rd</sup> July), St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (9<sup>th</sup> August), Seafarers (especially on Sea Sunday – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in July)

**Theatre Night:** Tuesday 30th September: Romeo + Juliet at the Everyman - Tickets £20 each - on sale on July 13th.

**Why a Hospice? Booklet:** Retired Hospice Chaplain Fr Michael Stack has written a booklet titled "Why a Hospice?" explaining his experience and knowledge of hospice care. If anyone would like a copy, you can ask Bishop Tom Williams at bpwilliams@rcaol.org.uk or 0151 703 0109.

**Cathedral upgraded to Grade I Listed Status:** It has been announced today that the Department for Culture, Media and Sport has awarded The Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King Grade I listed status, following advice from Historic England. The cathedral was previously Grade II\* listed and is now nationally recognised as a building of the highest architectural and historical interest.

**Are you involved in any ministry in the Church?** Are you interested in doing more for the Church? Do you want to expand your skills in pastoral leadership? This online course in Catholic Pastoral Leadership might be what you are looking for. Liverpool Hope University has collaborated with several Catholic dioceses across England and Wales to help people like you to gain fresh perspectives on Scripture and Church teaching. You will look at real-world issues in the light of our tradition and consider the best ways of exploring Christian faith and life with others. You will follow the course online and will do most of the work at a time to suit yourself – with occasional live zoom sessions. For more information visit: <https://www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/departments/pastoral-development/catholic-pastoral-leadership>

Renowned speaker David Wells will be delivering the keynote addresses at the **Society of Saint Gregory Summer School 2025** Pilgrims of Hope. For more information including the summer school programme, a full breakdown of workshops, and rates for members and non-members, please follow the link to the Society of Saint Gregory website: <https://ssg.org.uk/summer-school/> where you can book your place

Coming to Holy Rosary - **An evening of Tapas** with Gary H - a parishioner and twice a contestant on MasterChef. Gary will be demonstrating how to prepare tapas - and as well as watching you can taste too. This will be on Wednesday 30th July at 7.00pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets are now available £5.00 each. (From Fr P) Please bring your own wine / drinks and join us for a Spanish night out!

**Do you like to read?** We are starting a book club which will meet in the Romero room on the first Thursday of the month - next meeting 3rd July 6:15-7:15. Why don't you come along? Tea and cake provided! All welcome.