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1st November 2026 **THE NEWSLETTER** **Feast of All Saints (Year A)**

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 31st	5.30pm St P's	Mary Holden L	Vigil of the feast of All Saints (Year A)
Su 1st Nov	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	Feast of All Saints (Year A)
	11.00am St P's	For Stonyhurst Association	
Mo 2nd	11.00am Cem	For the deceased of the parish	Feast of All Souls
Tu 3rd	8.00am St P's	Mary Moss RIP	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 31)
Wed 4th h	8.00am St P's	Peter Stevenson L	St Charles Borromeo B
Th 5th	8.30am SMH	For the School	All Saints of the Society of Jesus
Fr 6th	8.00am St P's	Jesuits who have served here	All Souls of the Society of Jesus

(Each Saturday during term time there are confessions and a Holy Hour from 4.30pm with Benediction at 5.15pm)

L = Lately Dead, A = Anniversary of Death, R = Remembrance M = Martyr, V = Virgin, B = Bishop, Pp = Pope
P = Personal Intention, S = Sick, B = Birthday F = Founders Mass D = Doctor, P = Priest, R = Religious

Please pray for the following, the anniversary of whose deaths occur at this time: William Ainsworth, Richard Seed, Mary Eccles, William Bamber, Bernard John Myerscough, Edward Jackson, Fr Francis Hull SJ, Elizabeth Bolton and Mary Oddie. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	Feast of All Saints (Year A)	32nd Sunday of OT
First	Rev 7; 2 – 4, 9 – 14	Wis 6; 12 – 15
Second	1 John 3; 1 – 3	1 Thes 4; 13 – 15
Gospel	Matt 5; 1 – 12a	Matt 25; 1 - 13

Diocesan Website:
http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk
for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in November 2026

For the proper use of wealth

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



Blessed are the poor in spirit, those who mourn, the meek and those who hunger for righteousness.

Today
Is the feast of All Saints. In the gospel Jesus teaches the beatitudes – our pathway to being a saint.

Pupils on Half Term
The Stonyhurst boarders are returning for classes on Monday. Thus, Benediction resumes next Saturday, and they will join us for the 11am Mass next Sunday.

The 11am Mass this weekend
Many OS will attend the 11am Mass this Sunday, so there will be singing.

Day by Day
The November issue of the *Day by Day* booklet is available at the back of the church.

November dead list
During November we pray for our loved ones who have died at every Mass during the month. Sheets are available for you to write down the names of your departed friends and family members. The list is placed on the Altar at every Mass during the month.

Fr Tim Away
Fr Tim wishes to thank those who covered for him while he was away. Many were pleased to welcome back Fr Adrian. He was pleased to renew old friendships too.

Saying the Holy Rosary as a parish
Thanks to those who hosted the rosary during the month of October. Great attendance this year.

All Souls' Day Mass in the Cemetery
Will take place on Monday in our cemetery chapel. After the Mass, all of our loved ones graves will be blessed. Also, we will bless the new Stations of the Cross.

Funeral for Helen Addy
Takes place on Tuesday at 11am in St Peter's. The Mass will be followed by a private interment. Some will have known her when she taught at the college as Miss Mercer.

ParkPlay
ParkPlay has now resumed: 10.30am – 12.30pm every Saturday in the field behind the Memorial Hall.

Next Sunday
Is the 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time. It is also Remembrance Sunday. In the gospel Jesus tells the parable of the 10 bridesmaids waiting for the bridegroom to arrive.

Remembrance Sunday
As next Sunday is Remembrance Sunday, the 9.30am Mass will be in St Peter's. We gather at the war memorial in the village at 10.45am for the annual service. Avenue Road will be closed to traffic.

New Parish Pastoral Council
We still need one or rwo more people to come forward to assist the parish realise its objectives. Why not have a chat to Fr Tim.

Prayers for Pope Leo
Despite his cancer diagnosis, Pope Leo begins a 12-day tour of Latin America. Let us keep him in our prayers. He will also be the first Pope in history when he votes in the US mid-term elections.

Date for your diary
There is a Community Social Event on Saturday 14th November at 7pm in the Memorial Hall. Quiz, pie and peas, bar, raffle and tombola! Entry by ticket only - £10 pp - Contact Niall 07786 432360 or Anne 07973 729281

Retreat at Theodore House
Fr Roger Dawson SJ is leading a retreat at Theodore House entitled: *'Be still and know that I am God'*: Exploring Mindfulness, Psychology and the Christian Life from Friday 20th November to– Monday 23rd November. More information and bookings via the Christian Heritage Centre website.

Why do we pray for the dead?
St Paul uses the word "saints" to describe all of the members of the church – those alive and those who have died. We all of us share in the holiness of God. Perhaps some of those who have died have not achieved sufficient holiness to enjoy the company of Jesus for all eternity. We believe that we can assist them with our prayers.