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THE NEWSLETTER

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A)

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Mass Intentions	Feast
Sa 12 th	5.30pm St P's	Jimmy Mulgrew (Cricket) L	Vigil of the 25 th Sunday of OT (Year A)
Su 13 th	9.30am St J's	For the Parish	25 th Sunday of OT (Year A)
	11.00am St P's	For the Stonyhurst Community	
Mo 14 th	No Mass		St Matthew Apostle & Evangelist
Tu 15 th	8.00am St P's	Margaret Unsworth L	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 25)
Wed 16 th	8.00am St P's	Betty Moss & Family Intentions	St Pius Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) P
Th 17 th	8.30am SMH	For the school community	Our Lady of Walsingham
Fr 18 th	8.00am St P's	Souflas Family Members RIP	Weekday in Ordinary Time (Week 25)

(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: John Holden, Kathleen Riding, John Embley, Ambrose Houghton, Richard Cross, Denis Green, John (Charlie) Holden, Peter Anwyl, Dorothy Holden, John Berchmans Blake and Pippa Taylor. *May they rest in the peace of the Lord.*

Readings at Mass

	25 th Sunday of OT	26 th Sunday of OT
First	Isaiah 55; 6 – 9	Ezek 18; 25 – 28
Second	Phil 1; 20c – 25	Phil 2; 1 – 11
Gospel	Matt 20; 1 – 16a	Matt 21; 28 – 32

Diocesan Website:

<http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk>

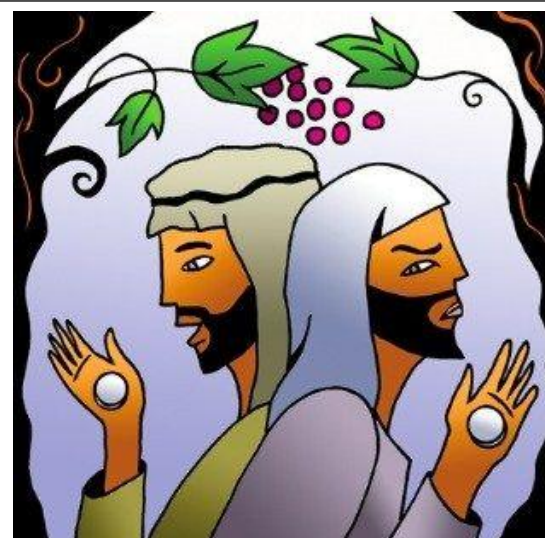
for information on our Diocese and what is happening.

Praying with the Pope in September 2026

For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

Look at www.ThePopeVideo.org for more information



*Can I not do what I like
with what is mine?*

Today

Is the 25th Sunday of Ordinary time. In the gospel Jesus tells the story of the workers in the vineyard who all receive the same pay, though some have worked all day but others only for one hour.

Mass count

Today and for the following 3 Sundays we have to count how many people come to Mass.

OS Reunion

This weekend the OS of 1986 will be gathering for their 40 year reunion. They will join us for the 11am Sunday Mass.

Bingo in St Peter's Club

Resumes this Sunday. Eyes down at 7.30pm. Monies raised go to the upkeep of the defibrillator. All welcome.

Prayers for peace

Let us continue to pray for peace in our troubled world.

Our Lady of Walsingham

Thursday is the feast of Our Lady of Walsingham. Her shrine in Norfolk is the principle pilgrimage centre for England. She is patron of the Ordinariate to which Fr Chris belongs.

Coffee Stop Special

Takes place on Thursday in the Memorial Hall from 1pm to 3.30pm. This is in aid of the MacMillan Nurses charity.

ParkPlay

Continues every Saturday at 10.30am in the field behind the Village Hall. All children welcome. if you'd like to learn more about becoming a Play Leader, contact Catriona on 07775 801057.

Next Sunday

Is the 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time. In the gospel Jesus tells the parable of the two sons: One says he will do what the father wants, but does not, the other tells the father he will not do it, but, in fact, does it.

Sick and Retired Priests Collection

Next weekend there is a retiring collection for the Sick and Retired priests of the diocese.

Mass count

The Mass count continues next Sunday and for 2 more Sundays.

New Stations for the cemetery

A list of those who contributed to this project is being compiled and will be buried under a memorial stone to thank them for their generosity. A dedication service will be held in the cemetery in the next couple of weeks to bless the stations and mark the completion of the project. Well done to all concerned.

Caritas Sponsored walk

The sponsored walk raised a fantastic £315 for Caritas services. Thanks to all who contributed to this total.

Big Sleep Out

Caritas Salford invite you to join people from across our diocese in 'The Big Sleep Out' to raise funds for hundreds of people in our area currently experiencing homelessness. So dust off your sleeping bag and get ready to wrap up warm whilst we spend the night in the great outdoors for a great cause. For more information and to register please click the following link: www.caritassalford.org.uk/BSO

New Parish Council

At the Parish AGM over the summer, the Parish Pastoral Council resigned, feeling that they were not equipped to help the parish face the challenges ahead. There is a flyer at the back of the church which outlines what the council does and how you might be able to assist in helping the parish achieve its aims. Please think about whether you might be able to help us go forward.

Happy Birthday Pope Leo

Pope Leo celebrated his 71st birthday last week. Recently Pope Leo has underlined the connection between forgiveness and peace.

News from the Holy Name in Manchester

The Jesuit community who serve the Holy Name church in Manchester have moved into the presbytery of St Augustine's. They will be serving that parish, as well as ministering to the University staff and students. Sadly, the Chaplaincy building is still out of use, but they are hoping to use the St Augustine parish hall for some university activities.