Please pray for . .

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR
AROUND THIS TIME

Stephen Breman William Gordon John Murray

May all who sleep in Christ find in your presence light, happiness and peace, through Christ Our Lord. Amen

ALSO THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Sister Charles, Valerie Ashby, Colette and Ciano Bartolo, Ellie Beaton, Mary and Gordon Beddows, Louise Boughey, Denise Bradley, David Brearley, Mary Bretherton, Sarah Brewer, Ann Carmen, Craig Cook Jnr, Tina Corkill, Les Cowell, Barbara Cowell, Dennis Cowell, Sheila Cowell, Peter Cuff, Mary Davies, John Dean, John Delouise, F.D. Jr, Anita Dubique-Ashton, Tony Dubique, Barbara Edmundson, James Faulkner, Margaret Harrison, Jayne Heaton, Pat Hindley, Christine Hudson, Brian Hume, Carol Hume, Michael Larkin, Ruth Lightfoot, Georgina Lomax, Peter McKeown, Eileen Peet, Angela Rawlins, Joan Redmond, Pat Singleton, Tony Stirrup, Jayne Torvill, Rosina Turco, John Tyson, Graham Wells.

God holds the whole world in his hands. We ask him to embrace those who are sick that they may be brought to a fullness of health and life.

- PLEASE NOTE-

The above list of those who are sick will be refreshed from Sunday 30 July. If prayers are still required please contact Fr Mark, Deacon Jim or place a note in the postbox in the porch. If anyone wishes to be visited by a Eucharistic Minister to receive Holy Communion please contact Fr Mark or Deacon Jim. Or email stpeter.woolston@rcaol.org.uk



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday 8 July

6.30 pm Maureen Bostock

Sunday 9 July

11 am Margaret & Tony O'Kell (Golden Wedding anniversary

Baptism at 12.30 pm: Leon Marcus Dobson

Monday 10 July

No Mass

Tuesday 11 July St Benedict, Patron of Europe 9.30 am Teddy Casey

Wednesday 12 July

7.30 pm Fred Marsh

Thursday 13 July

St Henry

No Mass

Friday 14 July

St Camillus de Lellis

9.30 am People of the Parish

Saturday 15 July *St Swithin; St Bonaventure* 6.30 pm Arthur Wilkinson

Sunday 16 July

11 am Stan Wright; Joseph Durkan

When you can't find the sunshine, be the sunshine

Last Week's Offertory – £294.20 Standing Orders (May) – £1,413

_ Thank you!____

PARISH OF ST PETER & ST MICHAEL

Weir Lane, Woolston, Warrington

Newsletter

Sunday 9 July 2023

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Psalter Week 2



Sea Sunday

'O hear us when we cry to Thee for those in peril on the sea'

A WARM WELCOME TO ANY VISITORS

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Sea Sunday

Today is set aside for us to remember and pray for seafarers and their families and give thanks for their lives and work. It is an opportunity to think about those who work tirelessly to bring us the food and goods we so so often take for granted.

Christening

This Sunday, 9 July, we welcome into our parish family Leon Marcus Dobson, who is to be baptised at 12.30 pm. We wish him every future blessing and congratulate his parents.

Tea and Cakes this Week

We look forward to welcoming you on the parish lawn after Mass on Sunday 9 July to enjoy tea and cakes. This is an opportunity to bring our parish together, to socialise with others and to raise funds for the parish. Pray for the weather to be kind!

SPAM Meeting

The next meeting of SPAM, St Peter's Parish Council, will be held on Monday 10 July at 7 pm in the Millennium Room. The agenda will be distributed before the meeting.

Second Collection

Yes, another one! Next week it is **Provision for Priests In Retirement**. Please bring your envelope.

Summer Fair

Saint Peter's School Summer Fair this year will be held at school from 3.30 to 5.30 pm on Friday 21 July. Entry is free and you are invited to join in for lots of fun. There will be hot food, cream teas, refreshments, tombola, children's games and, of course, a raffle. Raffle tickets will be on sale after weekend Masses.

Elderly and Grandparents' Day

Pope Francis declared a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, to take place annually on the fourth Sunday of July, celebrating Ss Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus. Children, grandparents and elderly parishioners will be involved in the Mass on that day.

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2023 Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Saint Peter's Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 21-28 July and is affiliated to the Liverpool Archdiocesan Pilgrimage. There are now 14 of our parishioners taking part to date.

Confirmations

Last weekend Bishop Tom Williams confirmed six young people from our parish – Neave Bonsall, Izabel Donnelly, Emma Hampson, Grace Alice Newton, Thomas David Swift and Lilly Sayers. Please keep them in your prayers.

PARISH 100 CLUB DRAW

July Draw This Week

The draw will take place after Mass on 9 July. Members are reminded that payment must be made by the weekend before the draw takes place to be included. Also, please ensure your contact telephone number is known in order to be informed if you win. The next draw will be on Sunday 13 August after 11 am Mass.

If you're not in you can't win - Good Luck!

Creation Time 2023

This year Creation Time adopts the title *Let Justice and Peace Flow* and runs from Friday 1 September to 4 October (the feast day of St Francis of Assisi). As we did last year please send in photographs for this theme for use on the church website and Mass presentations during September. Please email your photos in jpeg format (landscape orientation) of landscapes, seascapes, places of interest, still life etc., but not including people, for the parish website at:

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Warrington Foodbank

Any surplus food items would be welcomed, especially rice pudding, tinned tomatoes, Smash, hot dogs and jam. Your donations can be left in the crate in the church porch to help those less fortunate. Thank you for your help – it is much appreciated.

SILENCE IS GOLDEN . .

If you are going to talk in my house,
please talk to Me.
I am in the tabernacle.
I am the Blessed Sacrament.

Tell Me all your problems and between us
we can solve them all.
Please don't distract anyone else
from talking to Me in my house.

Please show reverence to the Blessed Sacrament

A PRAYER FOR YOU

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother,
hold me firmly lest I fall.
I am nervous when I am walking
and to thee I humbly call.
Guide me over every crossing,
watch me when I'm on the stairs,
let me know you are beside me,
listen to my fervent prayers.
Bring me to my destination safely every day.
Help me with each undertaking
as the hours pass away.
And when evening falls upon us
and I fear to be alone,
take my hand, O Blessed Mother,
once again and lead me home.

A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.