

Catholic Parish of St Peter and All Souls

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Sunday 16th August 2026
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
20th Sun in Ordinary Time Ps Week 4

Sun 16th Aug

8.30am Mass Joaquim De Souza Intention
9.15am OLOL Mass Antonio Azevedo & Family +
10.30am Mass People of the Parish
12.30pm Mass **Portuguese**
6.00pm Mass Domingos Dos Santos
Martins+

Mon 17th Aug

9 30 am Mass Mr & Mrs Di Prosopo +
12.00pm **Funeral Service Margaret Hutchings**

Tues 18th Aug

9.30 am Mass Manuel Dos Reis & Maria Ximenes +
12.00pm **Funeral Service Zita Cickova**

Wed 19th Aug

9.30 am Mass Joao Corsino & Isauca Ribero +

Thurs 20th Aug St Bernard Abbot, Doctor

9.30 am Mass Thanksgiving Venecia Guedes
11.00am at PCH Mass Benjamin & Angelina Lagman
13.00 **Funeral for Anna Savona**

Fri 21st Aug St Pius X Mem

9.30 am Mass Tadeusz & Leokadia Szalajko F
12.30 pm Mass Femia Dos Reis Int

Sat 22nd Aug Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mem

9.30am Mass Tony Scibelli +
10.00 am **Holy Hour & Confessions**
17.00 pm **Confessions**
18.00pm Mass Edina, Aga Pito, Fr Eitas & Ernesto Da Cruiz

Sun 23rd Aug

8.30am Mass Melroy & Bianca Int
9.15am Mass OLOL Julian Barno's Int +
10.30am Mass People of the Parish
12.30pm Mass **Portuguese**
6.00pm Mass Irene Iglinska +

Ryzard Kucinski, Tadeusz & Leokadia Szalajko, Patrick Berne, Francis Mulholland, Michelina Marnyckyj, Sebastian Wasewski, Ann Parkin, Mary Jeffs, Hilda Maresz, Paul Neal, Leslie O'Connor, Margaret Flynn and Antonio Aschettino.
May they rest in peace

We pray for the repose of the souls of Margaret Hutchings, Zita Cickova, Anna Savona & Joseph Thomas Somers who recently died.

SUNDAY LITURGY

1st Reading: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27; Gospel: Luke 1:39-56.

Theme: What Does "Catholic Church" Mean?

"Catholic" stands for "universal," that is, open to all people. The first reading tells us that Israel, before going into exile and before coming into contact with other peoples, was not "catholic," it was closed in upon itself. Later Israel, more enlightened, realized that the one God is Father of all. The gospel shows what Jesus thinks. Christian communities must be really "catholic" open to receive everybody. The second reading is related to this topic and shows that salvation is not a result of privilege or because one is a member of a certain people, but because one accepts the saving initiative of God.

Response to the Psalm: On your right stands the queen in gold of Ophir.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia.

Mary has been taken up into heaven; the host of angels rejoice.

Alleluia.

FINANCES

Loose plate: £ 879.06

Standing orders: £786.22

This week online and card: £290

Thank you for your ongoing support of our parish
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We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Patricia D'Arcy, James Duffy, Ernesto Perciballi, Luke Mucklin, Zilvinas Orzekauskas, Rosa Catalano, Neutrice

NOTICES

Altar Servers Summer Training

There will be a meeting for all altar servers (both new and current) in the Parish Hall on Mon 31st Aug from 10.30 – 11.30. Refreshments will be served. For further details please contact Luke Sheridan on 07856331253 See the notice in the porch.

We are starting a Children's Choir! A beautiful opportunity for our children to take part in the liturgy. Our leader is Tanya who ran a very successful children's choir in a sister church. Parents, please contact Tanya, Stan, members of the adult choir, or Fathers Walter or Alex to book a place for your children. Practices will start in September on Sundays at 4.45pm. After a few weeks of practices, children will sing during the 6pm Mass every week. Some basic music theory will be taught as you go along.

Next baptism course is on the 6th of September at St Peter & All Souls at 2pm in the parish hall.

For sale: Camper Van, Renault Master 2006, personal conversion, two berth van, with WC, cooker, sink and fridge, all in working order, only 2 seat belts. Contact Fr Philip on 07745 236611.

Next Sunday Aug 23rd Deacon John and Pat invite you to a Garden Party at their home from 2.30pm until you want to go home. Tickets are £12 per adult (15 years old and upwards) and £7 per child (up to 15 years old) – on sale from this weekend. All donations and ticket takings will be to boost our Fundraising for the church.

First Holy Communion (FHC) Programme 2026-27 is now open for registration, beginning on **10th August**. Registration forms are available **on the parish website**. Please register early as this helps the catechists to plan over the summer holidays. Registration closes on 31 August.

Parents, are you looking for a Catholic school for your primary-aged children? **St Thomas More Catholic** Primary School has spaces available for children starting Reception in September 2026 as well as other year groups throughout the school.

Listening & prayer ministry — This is a Ministry run by the Diocese and available free of charge to any parishioner in need (over 18). If you would appreciate speaking with two trained Helpers who will listen with openness, love and empathy, and offer prayerful support and guidance, then please contact us. BOOKING FORM:
www.rcdea.org.uk/listening-and-prayer/

World Youth Day 2027 in Seoul South Korea. If you are interested in going on this amazing pilgrimage, please see www.rcdea.org.uk/youth Places are **limited and you need to be aged 18 by the summer of 2027**.

Marriage support: If you are just in a rut or for more serious issues – Retrouvaille could be the

solution. www.retrouvaille.org.uk +44 797 338 0443

Going into hospital— Contact the chaplaincy team, Telephone: 01733 673115 (non-urgent calls); 07934 796221 (emergency priest out of hours). Email: nwangliaft.chaplaincy@nhs.net, or Catholic Lay Chaplain sallyanne.smith@nhs.net

Newcomers to our parish - If you are new to our parish, please complete a card from the box at the back of the church and post it through the letterbox at the Presbytery door.

Last weekend we were selling raffle tickets for a picture of the west front of Peterborough Cathedral. It is a striking piece of work, painted at a time when the sun is closer to the horizon and the shadows of the three Gothic arches give the picture a tremendous sense of 3 dimensionality. The size of the painting is 33cm by 35cm and it has been expertly framed, so the painting has the appearance of a much larger work. It would look magnificent on the wall of a family home. We are selling tickets at £5 each to give someone a chance to win this one-off piece of local history. All proceeds for the sale of tickets will go to All Souls Building Fund – for the necessary works to our church. **Please support this raffle – it could potentially raise a large sum of money towards our funds account. You can still buy tickets until we have sold all that we have printed. They will be on sale again next weekend for those who missed out last week.**

Pilgrimage to Walsingham: Faith & Light, part of the L'Arche family supporting those living with learning difficulties/special needs and their families, invite all with leaning difficulties or special needs to a join them at their pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 5th September. A light lunch is available at the Village Hall in Walsingham High Street from 12.00 noon, we walk the Holy Mile at 13.00 and celebrate Mass together in the Chapel of Reconciliation at 15.00. Details are on the poster in the church porch

March for Life – Sat 5th Sept in London

Bishop Peter will be joining this event this year and invites you to accompany him and pray for the more than 10 million babies who have been aborted since 1967. The procession ends in Parliament Square where the crowd will be calling for Life from Conception – No Exception. Make your way to London and join the procession.

Sanctuary Lamps, Our Lady's Altar, Blessed Sacrament & Sacred Heart – Personal Intention.

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