



Sacred Heart, Colne



Holy Saviour, Nelson



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In Church

Saturday 11th September

Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Bookings not required
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Sunday 12th September

Sunday Mass	9.30am	Sacred Heart	booking available
Sunday Mass	11.15am	Holy Saviour	booking available

There will be no services during the week as I am away.

Saturday 18th September

Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Bookings not required
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Sunday 19th September

Sunday Mass	9.30am	Sacred Heart	booking available
Sunday Mass	11.15am	Holy Saviour	booking available

There will be Mass this week on Thursday evening, 23rd September with the SVP at 6.30pm.

Saturday 25th September

Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Bookings not required
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Sunday 26th September

Sunday Mass	9.30am	Sacred Heart	booking available
Sunday Mass	11.15am	Holy Saviour	booking available

Weekday Masses from 28th September until 1st October at the usual times unless indicated otherwise. Tuesday, Wednesday Friday at Sacred Heart at 10.00am. Thursday, Exposition 5.45pm and Mass 6.30pm.

Saturday 2nd October

Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Bookings not required
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Sunday 3rd October

Sunday Mass	9.30am	Sacred Heart	booking available
Sunday Mass	11.15am	Holy Saviour	booking available

Please note that 'booked' places are only kept until 5 minutes before Mass. They will then be available to others who come. We were hoping to be able to phase out the booking system but last weekend we were very busy at both Sunday Masses. This is great and we are very happy to see you, but we must still stay safe and cannot crowd people. This sadly meant that a few people had to be informed there was no more room.

Sunday Prayer Resource – “The Lord's Day at Home”

For those still at home and not attending Mass, the Liturgy Office has prepared a service called "The Lord's Day at Home", based on the Sunday Scriptures, that you can pray on your own or with your family. It is particularly aimed at those not able to follow a Mass on the internet. [Click here](#) to download the Mass sheet for Sunday 12 September (Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time).

Preparation for young people to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion.

There have been a few enquiries about children being prepared to receive Holy Communion for the first time. The most important part of any preparation must be familiarity with the Holy Mass and that will only happen if the children are brought to Holy Mass on a regular basis.

If you have a child who has reached the age of seven and you would like him or her to start receiving Holy Communion when they come to Mass I am going to hold a preparation course starting in October. The instructions will take place over five alternate Sundays and will follow the 9.30am Mass at Sacred Heart. It is necessary for the child, and a parent or appropriate adult, to attend the Mass and the instruction session on all of the Sundays in order to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion.

The Sunday Masses and Instructions will be on the following Sundays:

October 17th, 31st

November 14th, 28th

December 12th.

If they have attended all five days then they will be invited to made arrangements to receive the Sacraments.

This course will be repeated in the New Year for other children or for anyone who missed a session to make up that session.

If you wish your child to be enrolled on the programme, please speak to me, with the child, after any Mass between now and the 17th October.

Fr Peter

Notice for parish Readers in St John Southworth and Good Shepherd Parishes (and for those interested in taking up this ministry)

We are very fortunate to have secured the services of Michael Hargreaves who is a voice and presentation skills coach. Michael has worked with Sion Community at different times over the years, and is a long-term friend of Fr Gerard.

Michael is coming to Christ Church to lead two workshops at Christ Church on Saturday 16th and Saturday 23rd October from 10.00am till 12.00noon. The first workshop will be about the general principles of public speaking, and in the second workshop he will give more individual coaching tips and encouragement.

These two workshop are for ALL our readers. We all have a responsibility to be the best that we can be at what we do, and those who are good are the ones who are always seeking ways to improve!

Please put these two sessions in your diary now, and do make every effort to attend. It's our hope that whenever the Word of God is proclaimed in church everyone will be able to heard and understand it.

You can read a little more about Michael and his work on the following link: <http://>

Caritas appeal for Afghan refugees.

Caritas, Diocese of Salford, have written to the parishes to say that they are delighted and immensely grateful for the donations make in response to their appeal for items. They have an army of volunteers sorting through what has been given and parcels are being distributed as requested by the local authorities. They have now reached the point where they have asked that no more items be passed on to them for the time being until they know more precisely what people will need. Again, they thank you for your generosity and ask you to following developments on their website.

They also wrote this:

The medium to long-term needs of these most welcome of new neighbours will be ascertained in due course and communicated to all, for those still wishing to help in any way. Or, you may prefer to make a financial gift, and can do so here: <https://www.caritassalford.org.uk/afghanistan-appeal-2021/>

Notices from the diocese.

Diocese of Salford Vacancies

Chancery & Tribunal Administrator (replacement role):

Appointment type: Permanent, full-time (35 hours per week. 30 hours per week will also be considered).

Location: Cathedral Centre, 3 Ford Street, Salford, M3 6DP

Salary: £22,000 - £24,000 per annum.

Chancery & Tribunal Assistant (replacement role):

Appointment type: Permanent, full or part-time. We can be flexible in how we fill this role and are open to applicants interested in applying for a full-time (35 hours per week) role, or part-time position (please visit the website for further details).

Location: Cathedral Centre, 3 Ford Street, Salford, M3 6DP

Salary: £20,000 - £22,000 per annum.

For further information and to apply, please visit www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/news/vacancies/

Invitacion a Misa en Español

Catedral de Salford, 250 Chapel Street, M3 5LE

Todos los terceros Domingos de cada mes a las 2pm.

Próxima misa: Domingo 19 de Septiembre 2021.

Todos están bienvenidos a la Misa, Refrigerio compartir siempre al final de la Misa.

Información: salfordcathedralenespanolmisa@gmail.com / Mobil: 07475468128

Families Making Friends

Join us for storytelling, woodland activities, campfire treats and make friends with other local families in Pendle! Register for more information.



Saturday 18th Sep 2021

BOOK NOW!!

We are pleased to invite local families from across Pendle to join us for the Families Making Friends initiative on Saturday 18th September! 🌿🍄

Building Bridges Pendle are organising a whole host of events to support the local community from adventures for children to street clean ups for any age.

For more information about the event in the poster and for other events go to the website: www.buildingbridgespendle.org.uk