



St Peter's Catholic Church

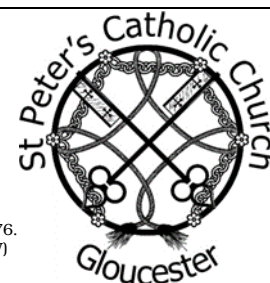
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1st August 2021

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

Sunday 1st August <i>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Diocesan Prayer Link <i>St Thomas of Canterbury, Fairford with Cricklade</i>	6.00pm	Mass	People of the Parish
	9.00am	Mass	St Peter's High School Staff
	10.30am	Mass	Ints of Una
	5.30pm	Mass	John Conway RIP
Monday 2nd August <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<i>9.10am</i>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>	
	9.30am	Mass	Ints of Fr Stephen Corrigan
Tuesday 3rd August <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<i>6.00pm</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
	7.00pm	Mass	Catherine Meally RIP
Wednesday 4th August <i>St John Vianney</i>	<i>11.00am</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
	12.00pm	Mass	Patricia Howell RIP
Thursday 5th August <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<i>8.55am</i>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>	
	9.15am	Mass	Eileen Conway RIP
Friday 6th August <i>Transfiguration of the Lord</i>	<i>8.55am</i>	<i>Morning Prayer</i>	
	9.15am	Mass	Jack Adams RIP
	<i>10.30am</i>	<i>Funeral Service for Mary Ryan</i>	
Saturday 7th August <i>Our Lady on Saturday</i>	<i>9.30am</i>	<i>Rosary</i>	
	10.00am	Mass	Eileen Dewsnip RIP
	<i>10.45am – 11.15am</i>	<i>Confessions</i>	
	<i>3.00pm</i>	<i>Filipino Monthly Mass</i>	
	<i>5.00pm – 5.30pm</i>	<i>Confessions</i>	
Sunday 8th August <i>19th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	6.00pm	Mass	Mary Cannon RIP & Grace Murphy RIP
	9.00am	Mass	Vincenzina Caldarone 2 nd Anniversary
	10.30am	Mass	People of the Parish
	5.30pm	Mass	Ints of the Laidlaw Family

This Week: Week 18. Daily Prayer of the Church: Psalter Week2. **Please note mass on Thursday & Friday is at 9.15am.**

Last Weekend: Offertory - £853.86

Mass Attendance – 345

Church Cleaning: Will next take place on Monday after the morning mass.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for August: For the Church, that She may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

Baptisms: We welcome to family of the church Alan Pankowski baptised this weekend.

RIP: We remember in our prayers those who died recently.

Mary Ryan. Coffin reception on Thursday August 5th at 4.00pm. Funeral Service Friday August 6th at 10.30am followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.

Brian Ashton, who died last unexpectedly last Sunday. Funeral arrangements later.

Cecilia Edwards, ex dinner lady at St Peter's Primary School, who died peacefully on Thursday evening. Funeral arrangements later.

We extend our sympathy to their families, relations, and friends.

Publications: August edition of Bible Alive (£3.00). and My Day by Day (75p) and the Sacred Heart Messenger (£1.85) are now available at the back of the church

Celebration of Marriage: Bishop Declan is celebrating Mass in Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 2nd October at 12.00 noon and is inviting all married couples to join him. Anyone who is celebrating a significant anniversary this year (25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th, 70th), and would like a personal invitation, please email your details to the parish office. This invitation is also extended to those couples who have or are planning to get married this year.

Missio/Red Mission Boxes: Thank you so much for your generosity in helping the missions. It is really appreciated, especially in these difficult times. Please collect your magazines from the back of Church, both Spring and Summer copies. Please bring your boxes to Church to be emptied or feel free to empty your own box and return the money in one of the brown envelopes provided. Alternatively, you can write a cheque made payable to APF. Any queries, please contact lucyglos@msn.com or 07452773330. Many thanks, Lucy Hayward

Current Situation: The Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have issued Covid-19 Route Map Step 4 Guidance. The guidance can be viewed on www.cbcew.org.uk. Here in St Peter's, we will continue to be cautious in returning the church to its full capacity, gradually opening up more pews week on week. There is no longer a requirement to book a place for Sunday Mass. We strongly recommend that those attending mass continue to wear a face covering. Hand sanitiser will continue to be available. We will gradually reintroduce singing at mass beginning with the 6.00pm Vigil Mass and 10.30am Sunday Mass. However, those who choose to sing must wear a face covering while singing. Single use hymn sheets will be made available. The physical Sign of Peace will remain suspended. It is recommended that Holy Communion continues to be received on the hand. The obligation to attend mass on a Sunday continues to be suspended and will be until the first Sunday of Advent. Mass will continue to be livestreamed. Apart from Mondays the church will now be open during the day for private prayer.

Volunteering: As we gradually build a new normal within the life of our parish, volunteers are sought to fulfil the following ministries and roles: Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Musicians and Singers, Catechists and helpers for Baptism, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation Programmes, Welcomers, Church Cleaners, Parish Committee Members (Pastoral, Finance, Buildings). To express interest or to find out more information please email Fr Liam or Deacons Colm, Tim, and David. We are very grateful to all who have and continue to fulfil many of these ministries and roles in the life of our parish.

Polish Language Mass: There will be no Polish Language Mass in St Peter's for the month of August while Fr Dariusz is away on holiday. Fr Liam will say the 12.30pm mass on Sunday August 15th in English for the Polish Community for the Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Lady.

Catechists Day: On Saturday 25 September Clifton Diocese Adult Education Dept is looking to draw together catechists from around our diocese, as well as those involved in parish formation and evangelisation, as a way of offering an opportunity for conversation and formation, focusing on family catechesis. David Wells and Ingrid La Trobe will help us to reflect on the role of parents in catechesis and give catechists the confidence to enable them to be the first teachers of their children's faith. The day will take place at St. John the Baptist parish centre, Trowbridge, and will start at 11.00am and finish around 4.00pm. Refreshments will be provided from 10.30am, we ask for catechists to bring a packed lunch. Numbers will be limited for the day so please register early. You can register for the day at the Adult Education email: adult.education@cliftondiocese.com.

Gloucester City Mission: Please visit their website www.gloscitymission.org.uk to view their latest newsletter and details of items they need for their clients.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Deacon David Hebbes, Fr Donal Daly, Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Margaret Coleman, Marie O'Connor, Pat O'Ryan, David Burke, Margaret Withers, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Paul Hawketts, Joanne Beamish, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell, Briege Maguire. In compliance with the requirements of GDPR permission must be sought from an individual (or next of kin) before their name can be added to a list of those who are sick.