



St Peter's Catholic Church

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Schools

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St Peter's Catholic High School & Sixth Form Centre

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2nd October 2022

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Sunday 2nd October 2022 <i>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Diocesan Prayer Link <i>St Catharine, Frome</i> <i>St Dominic, Mells</i>	6.00pm (Sat) Mass	Joe McNulty <i>RIP</i>
	9.00am Mass	People of the Parish
	10.30am Mass	Leonie Lawrence <i>RIP</i>
	12.30pm Polish Language Mass	
	5.30pm Mass	Ints of Bridie Smythe
Monday 3rd October <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer	
	9.30am Mass	Mary Wood Anniversary
Tuesday 4th October <i>St Francis of Assisi</i>	6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
	7.00pm Mass	Thanksgiving- John Treesa
Wednesday 5th October <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
	12.00pm Mass	Milvia Sepede <i>RIP (Birthday Remembrance)</i>
Thursday 6th October <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer	
	9.30am Mass	Lynne Spears Anniversary
	7.30pm Polish Language Mass	
Friday 7th October <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer	
	9.30am Mass	Kenneth Hall Anniversary
	10.00am Mass	Vera Proctor <i>RIP</i>
	10.45am – 11.30am Confessions	
Saturday 8th October <i>Our Lady on Saturday</i>	5.00pm – 5.30pm Confessions	
	6.00pm Mass	Wladyslaw, Helen and Frank Wasylkiw <i>RIP</i>
	7.30pm Polish Language Mass	
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Sunday 9th October <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.00am Mass	Prince Allwyn <i>RIP</i>
	10.30am Mass	People of the Parish
	12.30pm Polish Language Mass	
	5.30pm Mass	Michael McGarr <i>RIP</i>

This Week: Ordinary Time: Week 27, Daily Prayer of the Church: Week 3.

Last Weekend: Mass Attendance –758 Offertory £1411.37 (including £236.00 contactless/online).

Baptisms: We welcome into the family of the church Kristina Gašparova, Jude Phillips and Ezra Blackford baptised last weekend.

Parish Office: is closed this week and will re-open on Tuesday 11th October.

Church Cleaning: After Mass on Monday morning, thank you to all those who help each week. New volunteers always welcome.

CAFOD Family Fast Day World Food Crisis Appeal: Friday 7th October, retiring collection next weekend. Millions of families are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa and support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table. Please give today or start a monthly gift to CAFOD. Use the envelope or go to cafod.org.uk/fastday

RIP: We pray for those who have died recently:

John Callaghan. His funeral service at Gloucester Crematorium Chapel on Wednesday 5th October at 11.30am.

Marie Doyle. Her funeral mass takes place in St Peter's Church on Monday 10th October at 1.00pm.

Ryszard Pietrakowski. His funeral mass takes place in St Peter's Church on Monday 17th October at 11.00am.

John 'Jack' O'Sullivan. Funeral mass takes on Friday October 14th at 12noon in St Augustine's Church, Matson.

Journey in Faith (RCIA): Interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith or in supporting those enquiring, then please contact Fr Stephen on stephen.corrigan@cliftondiocese.com. The first meeting will take place on Monday October 3rd, 6.30pm – 8.00pm in the church. Access via the rear door of the church.

Publications: October 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

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for October: For the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of sodality.

New Parish Registration: The parish has recently started a new church database, a registration form is available on the parish website. Please can everyone complete one to help us keep our parishioners' contact details up to date. Paper forms are available for those can't access the parish website. Thanks to those who have already completed their registration. All data is processed in accordance with Clifton Diocese Privacy Notice, which is available at <https://cliftondiocese.com/privacy-notice>

Do you believe in Catholic education? The faith of so many Catholics was nurtured and developed by attending a Catholic school. Bishop Declan wishes to appoint new school governors to support the education of today's generation of pupils. Whether you enjoyed the benefit of attending a Catholic school or not, how would you like to support Catholic education by becoming a school governor? Governors come from all walks of life and backgrounds – so why not you? If you have enthusiasm and commitment, then you can help to positively influence the lives of children. Visit <https://schools.cliftondiocese.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Could-you-be-a-School-Governor.pdf> or contact Bill McEntee, Governance Officer, Clifton Diocese, via bill.mcentee@cliftondiocese.com or call 07710094976 for more information and for details of how to apply.

Continuing the Synod Journey: Following on from the launch of our Diocesan Synod report 'Listening with the Heart', we will be continuing the journey with four area meetings during the Autumn. Our nearest one will take place on Saturday 5th November at St Patrick, Brockworth. A place can be booked through the Eventbrite link Eventbrite ticket: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/synod-session-brockworth-tickets-368202091367>

First Holy Communion and Confirmation: Application forms for First Holy Communion and Confirmation 2023 available now through the parish website or from the table at the back of the church.

Accounts Officer and Administrator: The Finance department based in Alexander House, Bristol, are looking to recruit an Accounts Officer and Administrator to strengthen its central Finance Office function. The role is full time, although more flexible patterns will be considered. Attention to detail and the ability to be well organised are important. AAT, part qualified or bookkeeping experience would be highly beneficial. Please find the job description and application form on the Clifton Diocese website, Working for us | Clifton Diocese. All applications to be sent to Simon Hussey Head of Finance by 7th October 2022, simon.hussey@cliftondiocese.com

Parish Finance Support Officer: The Diocese is currently introducing a new online accounting system (OPAS) for all its 99 parishes and additional support is needed in the Finance team to help support parishes in moving to this system. The role is based at Alexander House, Bristol but there will be an occasional need to travel to parishes throughout the Diocese. The closing date for applications is Friday 7th October 2022. For further details and an application form, please visit the Working for Us page within the Clifton Diocese website: Working for us | Clifton Diocese.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Fr Donal Daly, Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Margaret Coleman, Marie O'Connor, Pat O'Ryan, David Burke, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell, Breedge Maguire, Sandra Flanagan, Jean Crickett, Dan Roche, Oliver Cuffe, Michael Casey, Karen Matthews, Terri Tyreman. 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. Do please advise of any changes to be made to this list.