



# St Peter's Catholic Church

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## Schools

**St Peter's Catholic Primary School:**

Tel: 01452 524792. Web: [www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk](http://www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk)

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## 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022

### 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

<b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b> <i>24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <b>Diocesan Prayer Link</b> <i>St Stanislaus, Dulverton</i> <i>Sacred Heart, Minehead, with Watchet</i>	<b>6.00pm (Sat) Mass</b>	Margaret Street <i>1<sup>st</sup> Anniv</i>
	<b>9.00am Mass</b>	Elaine Fray Anniv
	<b>10.30am Mass</b>	Fr Frank Cama <i>RIP</i>
	<b>12.30pm Polish Language Mass</b>	
<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>5.30pm Mass</b>	Michael McGarr <i>RIP</i>
	<b>9.10am Morning Prayer</b>	
	<b>9.30am Mass</b>	Thanksgiving for Jimmy & Family
<b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>St John Chrysostom</i>	<b>6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>	
	<b>7.00pm Mass</b>	Thanksgiving
<b>Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i>	<b>11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>	
	<b>12.00pm Mass</b>	James & Ethel Hickey <i>RIP</i>
	<b>7.00pm Mass</b>	Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II <i>RIP</i>
<b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i>	<b>9.10am Morning Prayer</b>	
	<b>9.30am Mass</b>	Thanksgiving- Aibel Joise
<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>St Cornelius and St Cyprian</i>	<b>9.10am Morning Prayer</b>	
	<b>9.30am Mass</b>	Ints of Anne & Tom Noonan
	<b>7.30pm Polish Language Mass</b>	
<b>Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>St Edith of Wilton</i>	<b>10.00am Mass</b>	Ints of Liz & Alan Robertson
	<b>10.45am – 11.30am Confessions</b>	
	<b>5.00pm – 5.30pm Confessions</b>	
	<b>6.00pm Mass</b>	Mary Tracey <i>RIP</i>
<b>Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September</b> <i>25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>7.30pm Polish Language Mass</b>	
	<b>9.00am Mass</b>	People of the Parish
	<b>10.30am Mass</b>	Madge Sparkes <i>RIP</i>
	<b>12.30pm Polish Language Mass</b>	
	<b>5.30pm Mass</b>	Ints of Sara Mason

**This Week:** Ordinary Time: Week 24, Daily Prayer of the Church: Week 4.

**Last Weekend:** Mass Attendance –686

Offertory £1816.58 (including £211.00 contactless/online).

**Baptisms:** We welcome into the family of the church Raphael Bayle, Chibuikem Jason Ugochukwu, Freddie Prasath, baptised last weekend.

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

**Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II RIP:** There will be a mass for the repose of the soul of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in St Peter's Church on Wednesday September 14<sup>th</sup> at 7.00pm. During all masses this weekend, after the Creed, prayers will be offered for the response of the soul of Her Majesty, The Queen, for the Royal Family and for God's blessing and strength on His Majesty, King Charles III, as he assumes the high office of monarch.

**Pakistan Floods Appeal:** Donations to the Emergency Pakistan Floods Appeal can be made through the CAFOD website, [www.cafod.org.uk](http://www.cafod.org.uk), or by placing a cash donation in an envelope marked 'Floods Appeal' and placing it in the offertory collection this weekend. CAFOD is part of the Disasters Emergency Committee.

**Next Sunday:** In the past, the third Sunday in September has been known as 'Home Mission Sunday'. This has now changed to *Evangelii Gaudium Sunday* to better reflect the Holy Father's inspiration, and the work of the Mission Department at the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales. There will be a retiring collection next weekend to help with financing the work of the Mission Department, and in enabling the local Church to make the Joy of the Gospel a reality in England and Wales.

**RIP:** We pray for those who have died recently:

**Helen Augusta 'Gussie' Murphy**, who died earlier this week. Funeral details yet to be confirmed.

**Caroline Aldington**, who died this week. Funeral details yet to be confirmed.

**SVP:** Meet on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September after the evening mass.

**Journey in Faith (RCIA):** If you are interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith or in supporting those enquiring, please contact Fr Stephen via [stephen.corrigan@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:stephen.corrigan@cliftondiocese.com)

**Parish Registration:** An online registration form is now available on the parish website. We ask all parishioners to complete one. Paper forms are available for those who are unable to access the parish website. All data is processed in accordance with Clifton Diocese Privacy Notice, which is available at <https://cliftondiocese.com/privacy-notice>

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in St Peter's Church next Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> 1.00pm to 5.30pm. We invite parishioners to take advantage of this opportunity to spend time in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament to pray for our parish and city. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of the church so that we can ensure there is always someone in church while the Blessed Sacrament is Exposed.

**Concert for Ukraine.** On Thursday September 29<sup>th</sup>, we will be hosting, in St Peter's Church, a concert for Ukraine, featuring Gloucestershire Police Male Voice Choir and a choir from the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church of the Good Shepherd on Derby Road beginning at 7.00pm. Tickets £10, Concessions £8 available from the parish office, via [www.gloucestershirepolicemvc.co.uk](http://www.gloucestershirepolicemvc.co.uk), or on the door on the night.

**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](mailto: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 5<sup>th</sup> 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

**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.