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Schools

St Peter's Catholic Primary School: Tel: 01452 524792. Web: www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk
St Peter's Catholic High School & Sixth Form Centre Tel: 01452 520594. Web: www.st-petershigh.gloucs.sch.uk

19th October 2025 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

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Sunday 19th October	6.00pm (Sat)	Mass Clare Selman Anniv
29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am	Mass Jim & Maureen Faulkner RIP
Diocesan Prayer Link	10.30am	Mass James Brendan Kennedy Anniv
St Gerard Majella, Knowle	12.30pm	Polish Mass
Christ the King, Knowle West	5.30pm	Mass People of the Parish
Monday 20th October	9.10am	Morning Prayer
Weekday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	Mass Anastasia Brisco RIP
Tuesday 21st October	9.30am	Mass Ian Merriman RIP
Weekday in Ordinary Time		
Wednesday 22nd October	11.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
St John Paul II	12.00pm	Mass Kitty McMahon Anniv
Thursday 23rd October	6.00pm	Mass P. A. Augustine
Weekday in Ordinary Time	_	_
Friday 24th October	9.10am	Morning Prayer
Weekday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	Mass Patricia Szarek Anniv
	7.00pm	Polish Mass
Saturday 25th October	9.30am	Rosary
Our Lady on Saturday	10.00am	Mass Kuttyamma Zacharias RIP
	10.45am – 11.3	30am Confessions
	5.00pm – 5.30p	om Confessions
	6.00pm	Mass Kitty Daly RIP
	7.30pm	Polish Mass
Sunday 26th October	9.00am	Mass Ian Merriman RIP
30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.30am	Mass Audrey Fricker RIP
	12.30pm	Polish Mass
	5.30pm	Mass People of the Parish

Last Weekend: Offertory - £1800.15 (Inc £482.00 contactless/online) Donations - £689.84 (Inc £683.82 contactless/online) Mass Attendance - 980

Church Cleaning: After morning Mass on Monday. Thank you to all who help on a regular basis.

This Week: Ordinary Time Week 29 and year 1 for the weekday Mass readings. Divine Office week 1. **Please note Mass on Thursday is at 6.00pm.**

Baptisms: We welcome into the family of the church Charlene McDonagh, baptised last weekend.

World Mission Sunday is this weekend. This globally celebrated moment of grace, is a special day that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer, celebration and care for the family of the Church. The theme this year is 'Missionaries of Hope among all peoples', reminding us that everyone deserves to experience God's love. Thanks to the sacrifice and witness of missionaries, the Catholic Church is growing; many Churches can now take care of themselves. However, over 40% of the Church across the world still needs our help. By supporting Missio we directly help over 1000 dioceses in these young Churches, bringing hope and new life to people thirsting to hear of God's love for them. Through Missio, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection this Sunday. All donations may be gift-aided by using the envelopes which are available. For more information or to donate online please visit https://missio.org.uk/world-mission-sunday-2025

RIP: Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:

Sin Ja Gelderd, her Funeral Service takes place in St Peter's Church on Friday 24th October at 11.45am followed by committal at Gloucester Crematorium.

Michael Kilker, his Funeral Mass takes place in St Peter's Church on Monday 27th October at 1.00pm followed by burial at Coney hill Cemetery.

Mary Macdonald, her Funeral Mass takes place on Tuesday 28th October at 12.00noon followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.

RCIA (Journey in Faith): Continues this Thursday 23rd October from 6.45pm to 8.15pm.

SVP: Meet on Tuesday 21st October after the evening Mass. New members are always welcome.

Father Gary's Induction Mass: will be celebrated by Bishop Bosco on Tuesday 4th November at 7.00pm. This will be followed by a celebration at St Peter's Primary School where we can enjoy a glass of wine, tea/coffee cheese & savouries. If you wish to attend, please add your name to the list at the back of church so that we can get an idea of numbers for catering purposes. If you can help on the night, please contact Lorraine Smith or the parish office.

Parish Christmas Fair: on Saturday 29th November 2025 from 2.00pm until 4.30 pm. Volunteers to contact Lorraine Smith or email the parish office.

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales and Birmingham Newman University: are conducting research into Neurodiversity and our Faith. If you're an adult neurodivergent Catholic or a Caregiver of a neurodivergent Catholic, we want to hear from you. Your experiences will help us to become more inclusive and responsive to your needs. To find out more and to fill in our short surveys look here: www.godwhospeaks.uk/neurodivergent-catholic-surveys/

The Little Way Catholic Educational Trust: are very excited to recruit Chaplaincy and Youth Ministry team members to support the primary schools within our Trust with chaplaincy and youth ministry. We are at the start of our journey into developing a team of youth ministers to work within our Trust schools. These roles will be to work across six primary schools in the first instance and so a willingness to travel between those schools (across Gloucestershire) either by own transport or using public transport or lift shares is necessary. Salary -£17,306.00 Annually (FTE) - National Living Minimum Wage Closing Date - 11:59pm, 7th Nov 2025 Start Date -5th January 2026 Positions Available – 2 Interview Date - Friday 14th November 2025 For further information please use the link: VACANCIES | Clifton Diocese Schools and Colleges

Further Details - Charlotte Blanch, CEO of the Little Way Catholic Educational Trust Telephone: 07962 521428 Email: c.blanch@lwcet.co.uk

Clifton Diocese in partnership with 'Light of Truth' are offering Essential Training for Catechists. Parishioners can join us on Saturdays, 6th, 13th & 20th December, online, from 9am to 12 noon for a short course of 3 sessions, to discover the essential nature and principles of catechesis, the sources of catechesis, and the best ways to prepare and deliver our catechesis. This course is open to everyone involved or interested in any kind of catechesis for adults, young people or children. Anyone interested can sign up for the series by clicking on the Zoom link here. More information on other courses & sessions run by the Sisters can be found on the following link: https://www.lightoftruth.uk/join

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Betty Meadows, Andrea Brushneen, Christy & Sue Hartnett, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Kathy Smith, Sandra Flanagan, Michael Casey, Terri and Sean Tyreman, Rosemary de Castro Lima, Richard Johnson, Armani Parker, Sam Kirby, Julie Brooks, Poonam Britto, David McClurg, Sr Veronica Robson, Josie Hedderman, Chris Bianchi. 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.