



## Saint Peter's Catholic Church

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### Schools

<b>St Peter's Catholic Primary School:</b>	Tel: 01452 524792. Web: <a href="http://www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk">www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk</a>
<b>St Peter's Catholic High School &amp; Sixth Form Centre:</b>	Tel: 01452 520594. Web: <a href="http://www.st-petershigh.gloucs.sch.uk">www.st-petershigh.gloucs.sch.uk</a>

## 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026 Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June</b> <i>Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <b>Diocesan Prayer Link</b> <i>St John the Baptist, Trowbridge with St Bernadette, Westbury, St Thomas More, Bradford on Avon</i>	<b>6.00pm (Sat) Mass</b> Canon Michael English <i>RIP</i> <b>9.00am Mass</b> Thanksgiving – Joseph & Family <b>10.30am Mass</b> Esterina & Bronyslaw Bril <i>RIP</i> <b>12.30pm Polish Mass</b> <b>5.30pm Mass</b> Thanksgiving – Mariya Benny
<b>Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June</b> <i>Feast of Saints John Fisher and Thomas More</i>	<b>9.10am Morning Prayer</b> <b>9.30am Mass</b> Richard & Margaret Behan <i>RIP</i>
<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> <b>7.00pm Vigil Mass</b> Harmony Van Rossi <i>RIP</i>
<b>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist</i>	<b>11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b> <b>12.00noon Mass</b> Paul Montanaro <i>RIP</i>
<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>7.00pm Mass</b> Colm & Liz - Mass of Thanksgiving
<b>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>9.10am Morning Prayer</b> <b>9.30am Mass</b> P M Mathew <i>Anniv</i> <b>12.00noon Memorial Mass</b> for Canon Michael English <b>7.00pm Polish Mass</b>
<b>Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>9.30am Rosary</b> <b>10.00am Mass</b> Julian & Patricia Szarek <i>RIP</i> <b>10.45am – 11.30am Confessions</b> <b>5.00pm – 5.30pm Confessions</b> <b>6.00pm Mass</b> Nicola Sepede <i>10<sup>th</sup> Anniv</i> <b>7.30pm Polish Mass</b>
<b>Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul</i>	<b>9.00am Mass</b> Moira & John Blackford <i>50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary</i> <b>10.30am Mass</b> Angela Jayatilleke <i>RIP</i> <b>5.30pm Mass</b> People of the Parish

**Last Weekend:** Offertory - £1698.72 (Inc £372.00 contactless/online)  
 Donations - £189.75 (Inc £167.00 contactless/online)  
 Mass Attendance – 913

**Parish Office:** Is closed this week and will reopen on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 9.30am.

**Church Cleaning:** After morning Mass on Monday, thank you to all those who help on a regular basis. New volunteers are always very welcome.

**This Week:** Ordinary Time Week 12. Daily Prayer of the Church Psalter Week 4.

**This Sunday:** is the Day for Life, and the theme is 'The Wonder of the Child in the Womb.' There will be a second collection, the proceeds of which assist life-related activities supported by the Church. Please visit <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/day-for-life/> for more information.

**Deacon Colm:** There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving for his ministry in our parish on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 7:00pm followed by a parish celebration in our primary school on Horton Road. Please bring a plate of food to share. If you would like to donate to a gift for Deacon Colm, please place it in an envelope marked 'Deacon Colm Gift' and pass it to the parish office. You can also donate online or by using the contactless donations plate.

**Father Gary:** is celebrating his silver jubilee on 14th July 2026. There will be a celebratory Mass with Bishop Bosco in our church at 7.00pm followed by a parish celebration in the form of a pig roast at Saint Peter's Primary School afterwards. Please add your name to the list at the back of church for catering purposes. Anyone wishing to give a donation towards the costs please put it in an envelope marked 'Father Gary's Jubilee Celebration' and pass it to the parish office.

**Parish Gift for Father Gary:** On the happy occasion of his Silver Jubilee. If you would like to contribute to the gift from our parish, please put it in an envelope marked 'Father Gary's Gift' and pass it to the parish office. You can also donate online or by using the contactless donations plate.

**Baptisms:** We welcome into the family of the church, Zara Davis & Kristianne Abanes baptised last weekend.

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

**Father Aidan Murray**, who died on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June in Farnborough. Funeral details to follow.

**Canon Michael English**, Parish Priest here from 1983-1997, who died peacefully on Wednesday evening in Bath. Funeral details to follow.

**Ann Cooke**, Michael Blackburn's Mum, who died on Wednesday in Yorkshire.

**Matilda Dorival**, Funeral Service in Gloucester Crematorium Chapel on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 12.30pm followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.

**Michael Buckland**, Funeral Service in Gloucester Crematorium Chapel on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 1.30pm followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.

**Baptism Preparation Session:** There will be a Baptism Preparation Session in the Parish Hall on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August (2:15pm – 4:00pm). Catholic parents seeking baptism for their children (up to six years of age) are invited to attend. Application forms will be available during the session, as well as reserving dates. These sessions will take place approximately every couple of months.

**CYAN Young Adults Gathering – Special Guest: Bishop Bosco:** Young adults (18–35) are warmly invited to come along on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June for a special CYAN gathering following the Parish Feast Day celebrated by Bishop Bosco at St Thomas More's Parish Hall, Princess Elizabeth Way, GL51 7RA. They will gather after 5pm Mass for a bring-and-share meal, followed by an informal discussion and the opportunity to ask the Bishop questions about faith, vocation, and life in the Church. Whether you are a regular member of CYAN or have never been before, you would be most welcome. Please come along to Mass and stay afterwards for what will certainly be a memorable and encouraging evening.

**Safeguarding Volunteer Role:** The Diocesan Safeguarding Committee is seeking a dedicated and experienced volunteer with a background in social work to join the Risk Allegation Review Meeting panel. This is a vital role contributing to the safeguarding and wellbeing of individuals within our Diocesan community. More information about the role is available on the Diocesan website: <https://cliftondiocese.com/diocese/working-for-us/>

**Clifton Diocese Trustee:** The Diocese is currently looking for an individual to join the Board of the Trustees to enhance the skills of the Board. Suitable applicants should have a detailed understanding of governance, and experience in change management and transformation activities. This is a voluntary role with the commitment to one 4 hour meeting approximately eight times per year on a Wednesday from 9.30 am in Bristol, along with membership of at least one sub-committee which would meet six times per year. Time to prepare for the various meetings is also required. It is usual for a Trustee to give somewhere in the region of 8 hours per month plus travelling time. Trustee training and travel expenses will be provided. Expressions of interest in the role, together with a recommendation from your Parish Priest, should be submitted to the Bishop's Office via Alessia Dini (Saint Ambrose, North Road, Leigh Woods, Bristol BS8 3PW or [Alessia.Dini@cliftondiocese.com](mailto:Alessia.Dini@cliftondiocese.com)) by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

**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, Julio Antonelli, Julie Robertson, Kathleen Ciereszko, Gordon Hanks. 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.