

Newsletter - 20 August 2023 **Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sunday - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass at SL & live-streamed Sat 6.30pm & Sun 9.30am Masses at SsPP Sun 8am & 11am

Monday – St Pius X No Mass today

Tuesday – The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass at SL & live-streamed 6.30pm

Wednesday - Weekday or St Rose of Lima Mass at SL & live-streamed 9.30am

Thursday – St Bartholomew (Feast)

Funeral Service for Joan Johnston at SsPP 11.45am Mass at SsPP 6.30pm

Friday – Weekday or St Louis or St Joseph Calasanz Mass at SL & live-streamed 9.30am

Saturday – Weekday or St Dominic of the Mother of God or Our Lady on Saturday

Mass at SsPP 12noon

Reconciliation 12.30-1pm at SsPP; 5.45-6.15pm at SL

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Live-stream: www.facebook.com/ourladyofhopesalford/

Prayers Requested

Sick: All who are sick, especially John McDermottroe and Peter Carroll

Lately Dead: Fr Emmett Dagens, Joseph Barry, Joan Johnston, Ann Blackwood, George Shore, Anne Ryder, Henny Tan

Anniversaries: Malcolm Cavanagh, Dolly Clooney

Masses Received: Henny Tan (LD), Malcolm Cavanagh (A), Bernard McDevitt (101st B), Kevin Robbin, Special Intentions (Frank, Rob & T), James Doyle (LD)

Diocesan Prayer Cycle: We pray for the parishes of St Kentigern, Fallowfield, and the English Martyrs, Whalley Range, with Canon Michael Cleary, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary school and for St Bede's College.

Financially Supporting Our Parish

Contactless: The Dona machines (card or mobile phone) Bank Details: TSDT Our Lady of Hope 50317403 20 55 34

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Next Week's Newsletter: Jan McIntyre Please send notices before Wednesday Email: newsletter@ourladyofhope.org.uk



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Reflections for This Week

Woman, you have great faith

Much of the letter to the Romans is explained in this Sunday's Liturgy of the Word: the whole theme is summed up in this: the Messiah came first of all to the people of Israel, to whom the promises were made in the past - but it could not remain there. The good news had to be taken to the ends of the earth, so that all peoples, indeed the whole of creation could welcome the Messiah and take a place in the Kingdom of God. All nations are welcome on God's holy mountain: "Let all the peoples praise you, O God!"

Marriage Matters: Trust in each other: When we married, we promised 'to love one another until death do us part'. In this promise we are called to put all our trust in each other, to persevere, no matter what life brings. This theme of trust is evident in the way the Canaanite woman believed that, if she persevered, Jesus would cure her daughter. He did!

Think Vocation: We pray that more men and women will have the faith to hear God's call in their lives and respond with hope in His promise and love for the Saviour by following His example.

Parish Notices

Funerals: There is a Funeral Service for Joan Johnston on Thursday at Ss Peter & Paul at 11.45am and a Funeral Service for Anne Ryder on Friday at Agecroft Crematorium at 11.40am. May they rest in peace.

St Peter & Paul's UCM Afternoon Tea: Tickets (£10) are now on sale for the afternoon tea on 10 September at St Luke's Parish Hall 2pm until 4pm. Everybody welcome. Looking forward to a great afternoon.

An Evening of Jazz and Pop Classics: with Dominique and Tim. Friday, 22 September, 8pm, St Luke's Parish Centre (doors 7.30pm, bar open). Tickets £8 each at back of church.

SCIE Review of CSSA Policies and Procedures Stakeholder Survey

The CSSA (Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency) has commissioned the SCIE (Social Care Institute for Excellence) to undertake a review of its policies and procedures. The review aims to help shape the future of safeguarding within the Catholic Church and make representations where it is evident or perceived that the current policies and procedures are outdated, or there is a gap or no policy for a situation.

To help the review team take into consideration as many views as possible, the CSSA is requesting that people right across the Catholic Church in England and Wales - including clergy, staff, volunteers, parishioners, survivors, and more - complete the following survey: https://forms.office.com/e/PavSuixHim